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Quincy people are pleased at the success of a former master. A recent issue of the Post said:

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And the Band Played.

Inspector McKay recovered an alto horn and a band uniform belonging to the City Band Association from the premises of Antonio Johangelo, Monday night. It appears that some time ago the uniform was loaned to an Italian who boarded with Johangelo. Inspector McKay went to the place with a member of the association last week. The fellow claimed the band owed him money and he wanted that before he gave up the uniform.

It is alleged an agreement was reached that he was to receive a certain sum. A few days later this sum was tendered the man but he refused to accept it.

Last Friday he sailed for Europe, and it was thought that he took the instrument and uniform with him. Inspector McKay, however, located the articles in Quincy and Monday night got possession of them.

Speaker Frothingham Coming.

Louis A. Frothingham, Esq., Speaker of Massachusetts House of Representatives, will address the Atlantic Monday Evening club, March 7, on "Legislative Affairs." His efforts for a shorter legislative session is bearing fruit in the early reports of committees, and already many important measures have been acted on. As the people of Atlantic have the chance to hear a possible future governor they should turn out in goodly numbers.

FRESH ATTACK BY JAPANESE.

Port Arthur Subjected to a Furious Bombardment

RUSSIANS HAD TO RETIRE

One of Their Cruisers In Sinking Condition, Another Badly Damaged and Torpedo Boat Sunk, While the Retzivan Sustains Further Damage--Japs Kept Out of Range of Guns--To Resume Mail Service Between Shanghai and Japan Without Naval Escort--Alleged Disposition of Military Forces

London, March 1.—A dispatch to The Daily Telegraph from Yin Kow, dated Feb. 29, says:

Fifteen Japanese warships furiously bombarded Port Arthur from 10 until 12 o'clock this morning. The Russian cruisers Novik, Askold and Bayan, accompanied by four torpedo boats, steamed out to meet the attack. They were, however, forced to retire. The Askold was in a sinking condition. The Novik was badly damaged and a torpedo boat was sunk. The Russian battleship Retvizan was again damaged. The Japanese withdrew in good order.

The pause in the war operations in the far east has been broken by another Japanese attack on Port Arthur, of which only the foregoing brief account is yet to hand. This report, however, shows a repetition of the now familiar tactics of Japan.

It is presumed that this attack was made in bad weather, previous telegraphic advices having reported a severe gale raging at Port Arthur. As usual the Japanese did not remain long enough off the harbor to enable the gunners at the forts to get their range. Again also the same three cruisers, the Bayan, the Askold and the Novik came out to meet the attack, and this suggests that either they were the only effective ships there, or that the larger battleships were unable to get out.

No news is published here today of operations or movements other than at Port Arthur. As an indication that the Japanese possess full command of the sea, the Shanghai correspondent of The Daily Express says it has been officially announced that the Japanese mail boat service between Shanghai and Japan will be resumed Saturday without naval escort.

Many alleged dispositions of the opposing military forces are published this morning, but they differ too much in detail to be of great value.

According to a report from St. Petersburg a body of Cossacks from the south Ussuri province, with quick-firing guns, is advancing along the east coast of Korea to prevent the landing of the main Japanese army, and the comment is made that possibly the reported Japanese landing at Possiet Bay may have been made with the intention of attacking this force.

A dispatch from Shanghai to The Daily Chronicle says the Russians are transferring the guns from the disabled ships at Port Arthur to the forts there.

A dispatch from Che Foo to The Standard says a Japanese cruiser and torpedo boat entered that harbor without lights at 1 o'clock on the morning of the 29th and it is believed they embarked the Japanese who took refuge there after the attack to bottle up Port Arthur.

A correspondent of The Times at Wei Hai Wei says a Japanese fleet was seen off the Shan Tung coast yesterday morning.

A Tokio correspondent of The Times cables that the steamer sunk by the Japanese on either side of the Russian battleship Retvizan at Port Arthur has partially obstructed the entrance to the harbor.

The military problem that confronts the combatants is whether to take the offensive or to act on the defensive. It seems altogether likely that Japan will push slowly forward till she reaches the Yalu, and it does not seem probable that she will meet with any serious opposition until she reaches the vicinity of that river. It seems highly improbable that the Russians will fall back on Harbin, as suggested in the dispatches, until they have been thoroughly beaten on the first line of defense.

Japan will find this a most difficult task. Acting on the defensive, Russia will compel Japan to bring overwhelming numbers to bear on the point or points where Japan seeks to break through her lines. Of course the Japanese will try to outmaneuver the Russians and turn them out of their positions without the handicap of having to deliver frontal attacks, but it is assumed that the Russian positions and dispositions have been made with this evident contingency in view. It may therefore be expected that a fair test will soon be had of the ability of the Japanese soldier to face the European soldiers on the field of battle.

The Russians are convinced that the Japanese intend to invest and try to take Port Arthur, its reduction being a "question of national honor" with them, so the garrison is being re-enforced and all preparations made for a general assault. The commander has promised to die before surrender. It would not seem, however, to be to Japan's advantage to attempt a land attack on Port Arthur at this time. If she succeeds in cutting and holding the railroad line running north from Port Arthur she accomplishes all that is necessary now. She will keep the Port Arthur fleet and garrison bottled up without the tremendous loss of life which it will cost to take the stronghold.

Said to Be Near the Yalu

Tien Tsin, March 1.—Twenty-five hundred Russian troops are reported to have reached the Yalu, and two regiments of mounted infantry, with artillery, hold the mountain passes, some 35 miles south of Wiju.

Squadron Returning Home

Paris, March 1.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Echo De Paris confirms the report that the Russian squadron under Admiral Wirenius (which was last reported in the Red sea) is returning to Libau, and says it will remain in the Baltic until June.

Contributions For Russia

Moscow, March 1.—The Nobles' club here has voted $50,000 for the navy fund and $25,000 for the Red Cross society. A tobacconist has given 2,000,000 cigarets and a sugar refiner has donated a carload of sugar to the Red Cross society.

Mohammedans Called Upon

Tiflis, March 1.—The Caucasian shiek, Ul-Islam, has called on the Russian Mohammedans to defend their fatherland. He reminded them how they fought their co-religionists, the Turks, 25 years ago.

First B. R. C. Social.

The Blue Ribbon club, composed of a number of young ladies of the eighth grade of the John Hancock school, had their first social on Monday evening at the home of Miss Edith C. Johnson, Granite street. Music and games were enjoyed and refreshments served during the evening. The members have shown themselves to be very energetic, as the meeting was a complete success, the club having been organized very recently. The officers at present are: President, Miss Edith C. Johnson; Treasurer, Miss Irene M. Bradbury.

A Guest from China.

Mrs. Horace W. Richmond has as her guest Miss Anna Perkins. Miss Perkins, who is a daughter of a missionary was born in China and lived there for thirteen years. She was there during the last uprising of the Boxers and was a prisoner for some weeks. She speaks the Chinese language like a native. She comes to this country to complete her education.

Court Martial.

Inspector McKay was summoned to Fort Banks at Winthrop, on Monday, to testify at the court martial of Frank J. Nash for desertion. Nash is the man who came to the police station last December and said he was a deserter and desired to give himself up. He said he had deserted from the 9th U. S. Infantry at Niagara. Inspector McKay took Nash to Fort Banks the next day where he has since been a prisoner.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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THE TOTAL INCREASE

Is $21,430.89 over the Appropriations in Annual Order Last Year.

Several Reductions However, Are Made in Department Items, Notable $8,000.00 for Poor.

$9,664.75	More for Departments.
3,204.34	More for Debt and Interest.
637.30	More for Water.
3,959.50	More for Sewers.
3,965.00	More for School Committee
$21,430.89	the Total Increase.

By the Board of Assessors:

Transfers from Register of Deeds and Probate		
Books, advertising, binding and postage	$725 00	$725 00
Miscellaneous expenses		
Clerical services	1,600 00	2,090 00
	$2,325 00	$2,815 00

By the Board of Health:

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Miscellaneous expenses, abating nuisances and contagious diseases	$3,500 00	$3,100 00
Inspection	600 00	800 00
Garbage	3,000 00	3,000 00
	$7,100 00	$6,900 00

By the Managers of Public Burial Places:

Cemeteries	$4,000 00	$4000 00

By the Mayor,
Approved by the President of the Council:

Contingent fund	$150 00	$150 00
Advertising, printing and stationery	900 00	900 00
	$1,050 00	$1,050 00

By the Auditor:

Salary of city officers, including $175 for clerical services for the Auditor	$20,013 00	$20,013 00

By the City Clerk:

Clerical services	$520 00	$624 00
State Aid and Soldiers' Relief	7,000 00	7,000 00
Advertising, printing, stationery and elections	1,800 00	2,200 00
	$9,320 00	$9,824 00

By the Chief Engineer, Fire Department:

Pay of men	$19,066 00	$20,500 41
Horse shoeing and keeping	2,500 00	2,500 00
Fire alarm	1,200 00	1,200 00
Lighting engine houses	500 00	500 00
Fuel	500 00	500 00
Firemen's clothing	200 00	200 00
Repairs and fixtures	1,300 00	1,300 00
Miscellaneous	1,960 00	2,000 00
Keeping Chief's horse	200 00	200 00
Horses and harnesses	600 00	600 00
Hose	1,000 00	1,000 00
	$29,026 00	$30,500 41

By the Tax Collector:

Clerical services	$936 00	$1,350 00
Advertising, printing and stationery	1,250 00	1,825 00
	$2,186 00	$3,175 00

By the City Treasurer:

Clerical services and miscellaneous	$924 00	$950 00

Approved by the Committee on Finance:

Grand Army, Post 88	$400 00	$400 00
John A. Boyd Camp 2, S. W. V.		50 00
City Hospital	4,000 00	4,000 00
	$4,400 00	$4,450 00

By the City Engineer:

Expense of office	$2,500 00	$2,500 00

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The Mayor and City Treasurer submitted to the City Council Monday evening their estimates of the appropriations necessary for city expenses during the year 1904, to which the Ledger has added the estimates of the School Committee. Each item is also compared by the Ledger with the appropriation as made in the annual order last year. It might be added that in some cases additions were made to the 1903 appropriations.

Councilmen Holmes, Polk and Stone were the absentees.

SEWER APPROPRIATION.

The Mayor sent a communication from the Sewer Commissioner asking for an appropriation of $50,000 for sewer extensions, and $6,000 for connecting estates. To Committee on Sewers and Drains.

ANNUAL BUDGET.

The Mayor forwarded the annual budget which was referred to the Finance Committee. It is printed in full in this issue, and compared with the items of appropriations last year.

APPOINTMENTS.

The Mayor sent in the appointment of Charles W. Nightingale as a measurer of grain. Confirmed.

The Mayor forwarded the following appointments which were confirmed.

Weighers of Coal,—Herbert D. Adams, Frank W. Crane, William Cashman, George P. Mead, Herbert A. Newton, John J. Connor, E. Frank Mitchell, Willie E. French, James J. Ryan, Eben W. Sheppard, Edward W. Hall, Frank S. Patch, George B. Wendell, William W. Cushing, George B. Pray and William H. Hildreth.

Measurers of Grain, — Frank W. Crane, Fred P. Loud, William Q. Bent and William C. Hart.

The following were elected:

Measurers of Wood and Bark,—Frank S. Patch, Herbert D. Adams, Thomas J. Foley, Frank W. Crane, John J. Connor, Eben W. Sheppard, George P. Mead, Lysander W. Nash and E. Frank Mitchell.

Field Drivers,—Joseph W. Hayden, David J. Barry, Timothy J. Golden, Daniel R. McKay and Alfred W. Goodhue.

Fence Viewers,—John R. O'Neil, George V. Bryant and Joseph W. Hayden.

Pound Keeper,—George Wilson.

ELECTRIC LIGHT POLES.

The Electric Light Co. petitioned for locations of poles as follows, mostly for street lights:

Newport avenue,	4	poles.
Grand View avenue,	1	"
North Central avenue,	1	"
Park street,	2	"
Marion street,	3	"
Prospect avenue,	1	"
Highland avenue,	7	"
Wibird street,	1	"
Goffe street,	16	"
Granite street,	1	"
Edwards street,	2	"
Brackett street,	15	"
Newcomb street,	7	"

To Committee on Streets.

PETITIONS.

J. Thompson & Son petitioned for permission to run a compressed air pipe over Quarry street. To Committee on Streets.

A petition was received for a tar concrete sidewalk on Beale street, between North Central avenue and Pine street. To Committee on Streets.

A petition was received for watering Centre street, from Granite street to Brooks avenue. To Finance Committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets reported favorable on petition of the Telephone Co. for transfer of location on Willard street. Rules suspended and order passed.

The Committee on Streets reported reference to Finance Committee in the remonstrance against watering a portion of Granite and Centre streets.

SPEED OF CARS.

The joint Committee on Streets and Ordinances reported an ordinance governing the running of street cars. The ordinance provides that the speed at which cars shall be run on Hancock street between Adams and School streets; on Washington street between City Square and Union streets, and on Coddington street between Washington and Newcomb streets shall not exceed 8 miles per hour. In other parts of the city, not exceeding 12 miles per hour.

No whistles shall be used. Gong shall be sounded at intersection of streets and upon approaching 75 feet of a street crossing the speed shall be reduced to 6 miles.

Cars shall come to a full stop before

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By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer.
Office, Room 3, Adams Building.

Household Furniture

Of E. SELLBERG will be sold from residence 49 Arthur Street, West Quincy, on

Friday, March 4, 1904,
At 2 P. M.

The goods consist in part as follows: 4 Plush Chairs, nearly new, Bed Lounge, 3 Rockers, 4 large Rugs, 5 Oak Chairs, Oak Extension Table, nearly new, 10 Pictures, Wool Carpet, Table, Clock, 4 Lamps, Oil Stove, Folding Bed, Curtains, Couch, Refrigerator, Chamber Set, 8 pieces, Lot Dishes, Range, Wash Tubs and Bench, and a variety of goods.

Sale positive. Goods to be removed at once.

49 Arthur Street.

Quincy, Feb. 26. 5t--26-27-1-2-3

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 29th, 1904. The Committee on Roads and Bridges will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 821, accompanying the petition of Charles M. Bryant and another for legislation to give the Massachusetts Highway Commission custody of the bridge over Weymouth Fore River between the city of Quincy and the town of Weymouth, and to provide for certain additions to said bridge, at room No. 426, State House, on Wednesday, March 2d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. CARLETON F. HOW, Chairman. M. FITZGERALD, Clerk of the Committee. 1-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 26th, 1904. The Committee on Labor will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No 656, for employment for the unemployed; also House bill No. 896, for more work on State highways in times of industrial distress; also House bill No. 1092, that cities and towns may create emergency funds for protection of unemployed citizens and their families, at room No. 249, State House, on Thursday, March 3d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. E. T. HARVELL, Chairman. THOMAS DONAHUE, Clerk of the Committee. 29-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 26, 1904. The Committee on Election Laws will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate bill No. 116, on time allowed employees for voting; also House bills Nos. 657, 876 and 877, to change time allowed employees for voting, on time allowed employees to vote on election day, and that election day be a half holiday, at room No. 438, State House, on Thursday, March 3d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. JAMES H. McKINLEY, Chairman. GEORGE A. TURNER, Clerk of the Committee. 29-2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the next-of-kin and all other persons interested in

ROYALL TYLER,

of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, minor.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Josiah Quincy of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, praying for the appointment of himself, or some other suitable person as guardian of said minor.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the ninth day of March, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed as aforesaid.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give notice thereof, to the next of kin of said minor, and others interested, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

Feb. 27. 3t--27-1-7

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

The extremes of noon temperature in in Quincy last March were 33 and 74 degrees. Not a single day of freezing weather at noon. In four years out of the last seven, Quincy has had freezing temperature at noon in March, and may expect it this year.

Drift of Opinion.

☞An esteemed contemporary thinks that high living is the cause of appendicitis. "Who hears of the day laborer with a fashionable case of appendicitis?" it asks. There is not much sense in the question. The day laborer does not have the disease simply because he cannot afford it. He has to be satisfied with ailments that do not come so high.—Rochester, N. Y. Union and Advertiser.

☞The plain, unvarnished truth is that the most dangerous enemies of protection—far more dangerous than the free trade Democrats—are the Republican opponents of tariff revision. They have repudiated the doctrine of Blaine, McKinley and Dingley; they have played a trick on the country with reciprocity, using it to get schedules piled up abnormally high, and then repudiating the pledge of reducing them.—Washington Post.

☞Woe be to this country if ever in its conceit it turns its back on Washington and fancies that it has passed him. When Washington's character and example no longer charm Americans it will be a sign that free institutions are in the sere and yellow leaf. The point of view in this country from which Washington looms up most grandly is the White house. It is when he is compared with the great men who have dwelt there that his towering patriotitm and inspired statesmanship are seen to the best advantage. —Chicago Chronicle.

☞It is the fashion to hold the street railway companies responsible for the bad condition of the streets in the winter, but the worm will turn sometimes, and in fact can hardly be blamed in some instances where the tracks of the railway are converted into a veritable gutter, which is forced to do service in place of the regular gutters and sewers which remain filled with ice and snow. And when, in order to drain some of the holes in the street, the public employe ditches to the street railway track as the nearest and only necessary outlet, even a street railway company must be recognized as having some license to "kick"—Haverhill Gazette.

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STILL LACKS BAIL

Former Friends of Ham Appear to Have Deserted Him

A SUPBŒNA FOR LAWSON

Financier to Testify Against Alleged Embezzler, Who May Have Done Business With All the Big Brokerage Houses

Boston, March 1.—Wallace H. Ham, the self-confessed embezzler from the American Surety company of New York, St. Luke's home for convalescents and St. Paul's church, is still confined to the Charles street jail because of his inability to secure the $50,000 in which he was held on Thursday last for his appearance for a hearing in the municipal criminal court Thursday next.

Ham's embezzlement is still the talk of the "street" and all kinds of stories are in circulation as to his dealings with the various brokerage houses. The most interesting feature yet to be revealed in the case is the announcement that Thomas W. Lawson of the brokerage firm of Lawson, Arnold & Co. is to be served with a subpoena to appear as a witness in the case against Ham. While it is unknown what the prosecution expects to prove by Lawson's testimony, it is generally believed the subpoena was issued because of dealings it is thought Ham may have had with the firm of which Lawson is the head. The subpoena for Lawson's appearance in court in this case is said to have been secured by Attorney Berry of New York, one of the counsel in the employ of the American Surety company.

Since Ham's arrest one of the chief queries has been as to with what brokerage houses the embezzler did most of his business. It is generally believed that he had dealings with nearly all of the prominent houses in Boston and also with several in New York city. Those in a position to know say that a man of Ham's cleverness would not have been foolish enough to operate through only one or two houses, for then attention wuld have been quickly attracted to him because of the heavy dealings that naturally would have resulted from the large amount of money the prisoner is said to have squandered. It is also thought that most of his dealings were with first-class brokerage concerns and not through "bucket shops."

Always in cases similar to that of Ham the stock brokers are not inclined to say much about the transactions they have had with men who have turned out to be embezzlers, because of their dislike of the notoriety that is sure to follow. In the present case there is even more secrecy than ever on the part of most of those who had dealings with Ham and who were given money to invest for the once highly respected manager and treasurer. Among the houses mentioned on the "street" as having had dealings with Ham were those of Estabrook & Co. and Towle & Fitzgerald.

A newspaper man called on representatives of both concerns and each admitted having had dealings with the embezzler. In the case of Estabrook & Co. it was learned that that concern has had dealings with Ham for a number of years, but always in the investment line. A member of the firm stated that it had had intermittent dealings with Ham covering a period of several years, but never in the speculating line. His dealings with that house had been the purchase of gilt-edge securities such as officers of the American Surety company or St. Luke's home for convalescents would have made themselves.

At the office of Towle & Fitzgerald it was stated that while the firm had had dealings with Ham they were of a very recent nature, two purchases only having been made for him and both of those within a month. In his dealings with that concern Ham had been successful and not a loser.

Owing to the reticence that is now being shown by those directly interested in the case against Ham it is difficult to get at the facts found by an examination of the books of the various concerns with which Ham held offices of trust, but it is understood that already it has been discovered that the embezzler has outstanding loans in 17 different banks.

"Boys" Get Two Dollars a Day

Chicago, March 1.—Striking boys of the Illinois District Telegraph company continue to picket the offices of the Western Union Telegraph company, Men who are being paid $2 a day are doing the work of strikers, but are hampered by marauding bands of boys. The messenger boys are organized under a charter from the American Federation of Labor.

The White House Tinkering

Washington, March 1.—The architectural changes made in the White House were the subject of discussion in the senate and they were generally criticised as falling short of the improvements which should have been secured with the $500,000 appropriated for the purpose.

Charged With Killing Wife

Binghamton, N. Y., March 1.—Peter Parachok is charged with murder in the first degree for having caused the death of his wife, whose body was found on the Erie railroad tracks in this city. It was at first thought that the woman had been killed by a train.

BADLY PUNISHED

"Young Corbett" Uses Sullivan For a Punching Bag

San Francisco, March 1.—Champion featherweight "Young Corbett" had no difficulty in retaining his laurels last night, defeating Dave Sullivan of Boston in the 11th round of a scheduled 20-round contest. Corbett left the ring without a mark, while, on the other hand, Sullivan received a terrific beating, only the merciful action of Referee Graney in stopping the contest saving Sullivan from having his face beaten into a pulp.

Sullivan put up a game fight, but the contest was never in doubt. Corbett held his man safe during all stages of the contest and it was but a question of time when Sullivan would have to quit.

The fourth round nearly saw the end of the contest and only by taking long counts on four different occasions did Sullivan manage to pull through. After the disastrous fourth round Sullivan's ability to come up in the succeeding rounds was a surprise. He seemed to have taken a new lease of life, but it did not prove of any benefit to him, as he received more punishment without any chance of ultimate success.

Vardaman and "Indiscretion"

Jackson, Miss., March 1.—Governor Vardaman gave an interview last evening on the subject of lynching, in which he said: "I can sympathize thoroughly with one whose friend or relative has been outraged or atrociously murdered by a black brute, and I am not going to censure people who act a little indiscreetly under the influence of passion thus aroused. But I shall do all within my power to see that the laws are enforced. The courts must perform their functions. When this is done the people will be satisfied."

Hassen's Gang Cleaned Out

Manila, March 1.—General Wood reports an engagement with the Datto Moros under Hassen on the Island of Jolo. Lieutenant West and six privates were wounded. One has since died. The Moro loss was heavy. Hassen succeeded in making his escape. His original force has now been reduced to 15. The island is now under control of the American authorities and influential Moros are aiding in the pursuit of the outlaws.

Tobacco Workers' Complaint

Washington, March 1.—Secretary Taft transmitted to the house the petition of tobacco workers of the Philippine Islands praying for a reduction in the tariff on tobocco. The petition states that these workers received twice the wages under Spanish rule that they do now, the daily wage at that time being 50 cents. Prices of the necessaries of life, it is stated, have increased three-fold under American rule.

Queer Whim of Elements

Rochester, N. Y., March 1.—There were two sharp flashes of lightning about 7 o'clock last night, accompanied by thunder, while a driving snowstorm was in progress. The storm is one of the worst of the winter. Traffic on all steam and trolley roads is suffering as badly as at any time this winter.

Dominicans Buy War Materia

San Domingo, March 1.—The Morales government has decided to buy from Venezuela the gunboat Miranda for $200,000, to be paid in six instalments, 5000 Mauser rifles and 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition.

End of Boilermakers' Strike

San Francisco, March 1.—The strike of boilermakers of the Southern Pacific lines west of El Paso and Ogden has ended, settlement being effected at a conference. The terms of agreement are withheld.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Rev. Anton J. Le Grand died at Wichita, Kan., aged 77. He was an Episcopalian until about 20 years ago, when he embraced the Roman Catholic faith. He was of noble French birth.

The Metropolitan Sugar Refining company, capital $5,000,000, filed articles of incorporation at Trenton.

The city of Fredericksburg, Va., has accepted the model of a statue of General Mercer of Revolutionary war fame, made by Sculptor Valentine of Richmond. The statue will cost $25,000 and will be placed in Fredericksburg.

President Harper of the University of Chicago has been taken to a hospital to be operated upon for appendicitis.

George Smith, a baker, aged 39, committed suicide at Winchester, Mass., by hanging. He was despondent because of his inability to secure employment.

Sir William Vernon-Harcourt, Liberal member of the British house of commons, announces his intention of retiring from parliament. He was born in 1827.

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Two papers have been prepared for the Mothers' meeting at Bethany chapel Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bissett Jr., of Centre street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, born Feb. 22.

The street railway commenced on Sunday to run through cars again between East Milton and Neponset via Hancock street.

The annual fair of the Quincy Point church will open this afternoon and close Thursday night. The attraction this evening will be a "Bird carnival" by the children; tomorrow night a humorist and Thursday night a musical entertainment. Suppers will be served Wednesday and Thursday at 6.30 P. M.

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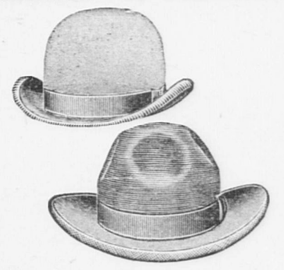
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The noon temperature of February did not go as high as usual or as low as usual. With one exception the high water mark was the lowest. In four years out of eight Quincy had lower noon temperatures in February, as will be seen by the Ledger summary below:

	Highest.	Lowest.
In 1904	48	20
In 1903	60	10
In 1902	54	23
In 1901	47	21
In 1900	60	12
In 1899	52	5
In 1898	51	18
In 1897	51	26

February had 19 days in 29 with noon temperature at or below the freezing point, whereas January had 18 days out of 31.

The following summary shows that on 13 days the noon temperature ranged between 20 and 29, and on 12 days between 30 and 39, while it was above 40 but 4 days. Last year there was one day below 20, one between 20 and 29, 16 between 30 and 39, and 10 above 40 degrees; quite a difference in the two year.

The figures of eight years are given:

	Below 10.	10 to 19.	20 to 29.	30 to 39.	40 to 49.	50 or More
1904,	0	0	13	12	4	0
1903,	0	1	1	16	6	4
1902,	0	0	5	18	4	1
1901,	0	0	11	16	1	0
1900,	0	1	6	11	9	1
1899,	2	3	3	11	6	3
1898,	0	1	4	7	14	2
1897,	0	0	4	13	9	2

None of the years had as many days below 30 degrees as 1904. In 1898 sixteen of the days had noon temperature above 40 and only five below 30.

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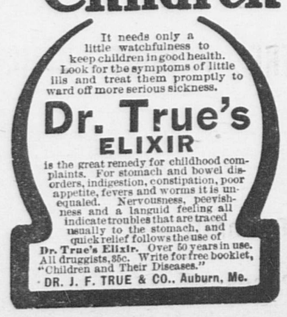
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THE ELUSIVE MILLER

Dodged Away From Sheriff, Who Got Fingers Fractured

Boston, March 1.—While attempting to serve notice of a libel suit on William Miller of St. Louis, supreme master workman of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, Deputy Sheriff Silsby received an injured hand last evening. As a result of the schism in the order John Symonds of Lynn, grand master workman of the Massachusetts division, has entered libel proceedings against Miller, damages being set at $10,000, and Silsby has been trying to locate Miller for several days. Last evening the officer was notified that Miller was on his way to the headquarters of the national organization and the sheriff waited outside the door for him to appear.

Miller escaped by darting into the headquarters and slamming the door on Silby's hand, as the sheriff attempted to seize the object of his search. It resulted in fracturing three of the sheriff's fingers. The doors were locked, bolted, chained and padlocked by a colored man inside.

Bank Hopelessy Insolvent

Boston, March 1.—Fred S. Hall of Taunton was appointed receiver of the Taunton Safe Deposit and Trust company by Judge Loring in the supreme court. The bad debts will wipe out entirely the capital stock of $200,000. The liabilities of the company are about $515,000. The depositors will be paid in full. The stockholders will be the losers. Assistant Attorney General DeGoosh says that the bank is hopelessly insolvent.

Baseball In New England

Boston, March 1.—A schedule of games for the coming season of the New England Baseball league was adopted at a meeting of the schedule committee held here. Delegates were present from Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Nashua, N. H., Manchester, N. H., Concord, N. H., and Fall River. Each club will play 63 games on the home grounds and 63 games away from home. The season will open April 29 and close Sept. 19.

Wreck Attributed to Strikers

Savannah, Ga., March 1.—A passenger train on the Atlantic Coast line was wrecked at Alajaha by running into an open switch. Engineer Potter saw two men tampering with the switch and applied the brakes, but was too close to stop his train, which collided with freight cars on the siding. The engineer, fireman and porter were injured. The lock on the switch had been broken by the wreckers. Railroad detectives think that the wreck is due to the strike of maintenance of way employes now on.

Strengthening Victoria

Seattle, March 1.—England is hurrying supplies, guns and ships to Victoria and plans to make the capital of British Columbia a western Gibraltar. These preparations for defense have been long in progress, but it is only since the war in the Orient began, with the possibility that England may become involved, that the work has been pushed with energy. Immense pieces of ordnance are on the way from Woolwich.

Adding to Naval Efficiency

Washington, March 1.—Secretary Moody has signed the order for the equipping of the 18 battleships and armored cruisers now building with submerged torpedo tubes. It is believed that the torpedo tubes with which the Japanese battleships are equipped are responsible for the damage to the Russian battleships in the Port Arthur day attack, as the Russian vessels were hit below the waterline.

Six-Weeks' Lockout Ended

Chicago, March 1.—Fifteen hundred locked-out carriage and wagon workers have accepted a proposal made them by employers whose shops have been tied up for six weeks, being granted an increase of 4 percent over the scale paid before the lockout. The settlement also provides for the "open shop" and arbitration of all differences. The shops affected reopened today.

Says He Didn't Call Himself Lord

St. Louis, March 1.—Frederick S. Barrington, who is on trial at Clayton on the charge of murdering James P. McCann, when placed on the witness stand denied that he ever represented himself as "Lord Barrington," although he declined to reply when asked his name.

Riches Proved Too Much

Bessemer, Mich., March 1.—James Colgate, aged 20, of Hurley, has been taken to an insane hospital. Colgate was a mine teamster until recently, when his grandfather died at New Haven and left him a fortune. Sudden riches turned the boy's brain.

Trains Blocked In Michigan

Bay City, Mich., March 1.—The Michigan Central railroad last night abandoned all trains between Bay City and Mackinac, on account of a severe snowstorm. The Detroit and Mackinac road also is blocked, all Athena trains being cancelled.

Long Vacation Ended

Shamokin, Pa., March 1.—Three collieries of the Lehigh Valley Coal company, which have been idle since last October, resumed work today, giving work to 1500 men and boys.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Wednesday, March 2.
Sun rises—6:19; sets—5:35.
Moon rises—6:34 p. m.
High water—11:15 a. m.; 11:45 p. m.
Temperatures are, as a rule, above the seasonable average. It will be warmer in New England, with rain or snow in south and snow in north portion.

A BAD IMPRESSION

Russia's Contraband List Disregards Dividing Line

WILL IGNORE ALL RULES

Washington Considers the Treatment of "Fuel" Notably Mischievous--Principles Enunciated by United States May Soon Rise to Vex Us

Washington, March 1.—The present war in the east will probably result in some new interpretations of international law governing contraband goods and seizure. The action of the Japanese a few days ago in offering compensation for the cargo of American foodstuffs intercepted on its way to the enemy was not only a clever stroke of policy as far as it may affect public sentiment in the United States, but followed the best English precedent, and set the pace for some Caucasian and Christian nations which plume themselves on a higher civilization than Japan.

On the other hand, Russia's contraband list bids fair to create a very disagreeable impression here. It appears to ignore entirely the dividing line between the absolute and the conditionally contraband. Its looseness of construction, coupled with the warning in the eighth rule of war, that the imperial government reserves the right to depart from the foregoing and in any given case to make its regulations suit special circumstances, is understood to mean that Russia will do what she pleases and in the manner which suits her best, and that any aggrieved nation securing justice may have to fight for it. One special subject of criticism is the sweeping character of schedule H, which makes unconditionally contraband "every kind of fuels such as coal, naphtha, spirits, etc.," without regard to the evidence of its purpose to be used in warfare. In the West African conference of 1894 Russia dissented vigorously from the inclusion of coal in the prescribed list, and declared that she would refuse her consent to any article in any treaty which would imply recognition of it as contraband.

Of course, in such matters it makes a good deal of difference whose ox is gored. We are likely ourselves to get into a snarl over the contraband question before the present war is over. We furnish to the world nearly every item mentioned in the Russian list. Our producers and merchants, while they may not go to the length of fitting of ships to pierce far eastern blockades and supply munitions to either belligerent, are not likely to sleep on their opportunities in other directions. They probably will be lured by the prospect of large profits into taking the risk of shipping contraband goods to neutral ports with the knowledge that they are to be conveyed thence to one of the belligerents.

Then will come into play such decisions as our federal supreme court rendered in the Springbok and Peterhof cases, where the character of the cargo and attendant conditions were deemed sufficient evidence of ultimate destination to justify seizure as contraband, even though the port of immediate destination were neutral and the cargo was under a neutral flag.

The principles laid down by the court in those cases are liable to rise to vex us now. The only consolation is that, whether those opinions existed or not, the Russian prize courts would probably not hesitate to lay on the penalties. The difference between the Russian and the Anglo-Saxon practice in this regard is that our prize cases are not only publicly tried, but the judicial opinions on them are written into the record where all men can consult them as precedent, whereas every Russian prize court is literally a law unto itself whenever it sets about the trial of a case.

Won't Buy Cancelling Machines

Washington, March 1.—Postmaster General Payne has transmitted to Speaker Cannon a report discussing the question as to whether cancelling machines should be purchased or rented. The postmaster general reaches the conclusion that "the government is not warranted in purchasing these machines under present conditions." He recommends an appropriation of $200,000 for their rental.

Blame For Fatal Fire

New York, March 1.—The coroner's jury investigating the deaths of seven persons in the fire in the Brooklyn Chair company's factory on Feb. 9 returned a verdict last night censuring the estate of Mary E. Cowperthwaite, owner of the building, and criticising the state factory department for failing to make proper inspection.

Charges Defamation

New York, March 1.—James W. Morrissey, business manager of the Adelina Patti company, has brought suit against Robert Grau, incorporated, and Adelina Patti company, for breach of contract for the sum of $1700 and has instituted separate action against Grau as an individual for $25,000 for defamation.

British Warship Ashore

Victoria, B. C., March 1.—It is reported here that H. M. S. Bonaventure, the new flagship of the north Pacific squadron, en route from Portsmouth to Esquimault, is ashore on the South or Central American coast and is in a bad position.

Dozen People Burned to Death

Roberval, Que., March 1.—Twelve lives were lost in a fire which destroyed the home of Thomas Guay at St. Felicion. When the fire was first noticed by neighbors, who live some distance away, the house had been burned to the ground. In it at the time were the eight small children of Thomas Guay and Mrs. Phillip Gagnon and her three small children. None escaped. Both Gagnon and Guay were absent, working in the woods.

Girl's Encounter With Tramp

Maynard, Mass., March 1.—Miss Julia Sullivan, 18, went out on an errand last night and upon her return found a tramp in her father's room. The tramp had the contents of her father's pocketbook, $17.50, spread out on the bed. The girl seized the money, when she was felled by the tramp, who struck her on the forehead. He then escaped with a $2 bill.

Miss Walker's Beneficence

Boston, March 1.—An inventory of the estate of the late Miss Mary L. Walker of Waltham, whose will provides for the erection of an Episcopal cathedral in this city, shows its total value to be $1,150,000. Besides the bequest for the erection of the cathedral, Miss Walker arranged for other legacies to charitable and educational institutions.

Freight Conductor Decapitated

Worcester, Mass., March 1.—John C. Grant, for 22 years a freight conductor of the Boston and Albany division, was decapitated by being run over by a freight car in a yard of the company last night. Grant did not go on his regular run, but was sent last night to throw switches.

Death Penalty Stands

Boston, March 1.—In the Massachusetts senate the committee on joint judiciary reported leave to withdraw on the petition that the death penalty be abolished. Two members of the senate and four of the house dissent.

Soap Makers Go Under

Boston, March1.— David M. Cohen and Harry Cohen, owners of the Standard Soap works, have filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, showing liabilities incurred in 1903 of $62,908.52. There are no assets.

Strike Against Reduced Wages

Boston, March 1.—A strike of 75 rubber garment workers was declared last night against the Union Rubber company. The strikers demand a repeal of a wage reduction which was announced on Saturday.

Performance Stopped by Police

Chicago, March 1.—The police last night ordered the closing of Steinway hall during the performance of "Sedda Gabler." One act had been performed when the police entered and ordered the house closed. It was charged that the provisions of the ordinance governing the construction of public halls had not been complied with.

Guests Fled In Night Clothes

Livingston, Mont., March 1.—Fire that started in the Park hotel destroyed the postoffice block, in which the hotel and a number of business houses and professional offices were located. The loss is $100,000. A number of guests escaped from the hotel in their night clothes.

Awful Fall of Banker's Wife

New York, March 1.—Mrs. Ada Crutchfield, wife of David Crutchfield, senior member of the banking firm of Crutchfield & Co., was instantly killed by falling from a window of her home in the eighth story of an apartment building.

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Plumed Hats Are Good Investments. Entire Gowns Made of Lace.

A plumed hat is about the best millinery investment any woman can make.

Elbow sleeves continue to be most popular for evening wear, but they are of a most fancy description, trimmed with many ruffles and ruchings and even decorated with tabs and ends of narrow velvet or flowered ribbon.

Entire gowns of ecru lace never go out of fashion, and they are always easy to remodel in a dozen different ways.

Spangled tulle over pale colored satin makes a delightfully dainty evening gown, although it is decidedly perishable.

There is also a revival of pale colored brocades, but these are more suitable



CLOTH COSTUME.

for middle aged women than for younger matrons. A stiff silk is never, of course, suitable for a young girl.

Washable shirt waist costumes of white serge will be worn a great deal this summer, and wise women are making them up at present. To be practical they should be unlined, of course, with neatly bound seams. A blouse waist is the best, and it can be worn with a wide kid belt, either white or colored, to match the necktie.

Persian lawn and the soft finished lawns which look so much like chiffon, as well as the all over English embroidery, are commanding great attention for blouses. The backs are trimmed as well as the fronts, although perhaps not quite as elaborately, the cuffs being of lace or embroidery to match the rest of the trimming. A great variety of shapes are to be seen in these cuffs, some extending almost to the elbow and others being deeper on the outside of the arm than on the inside. Deep lace berthas of valenciennes or renaissance lace are a novelty for trimming the finer blouses.

The cut shows a costume of moleskin gray cloth trimmed with touches of light gray silk and white lace medallions. JUDIC CHOLLET.

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TO BOSTON Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 23	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	a c	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 15	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	6 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 18
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 00	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 49	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgf	
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cb	
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58		
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28		
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 4		
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A.M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P.M.

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MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A.M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P.M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A.M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P.M.

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Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M, then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON—7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Superintendent.
H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst. Gen. Supt.
Quincy, Mass., Nov. 20, 1903.

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F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite street.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	35	38	54	32	30
Monday,	39	48	—	—	—
Tuesday,	38	45	44	42	27
Wednesday,	—	37	38	41	54
Thursday,	—	28	33	35	52
Friday,	—	27	48	40	36
Saturday,	—	28	47	34	37

New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearing.
Chas. C. Hearn—Dr. Howard's Specific.
To Let—Unfurnished Rooms.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Snow has fallen all day. It is wet and sticky.

March proposes to keep up its end of the winter.

The prospects are good for "six weeks' sleighing in March."

Mrs. Samuel Bland, formerly of Wollaston died on Sunday at Gardner.

Mrs. B. F. Thomas of Billings street, who has been ill, is reported better.

The Squantum Yacht Club house will be opened with a hop early in May.

Mr. O. B. Plummer of Wollaston avenue is seriously sick with pneumonia.

The members of the Wollaston Yacht Club are greatly enthused over a pool tournament.

Thomas W. Lincoln, Jr., and his son Joseph, spent Sunday at the Webster Farm, Marshfield.

Mr. Clarence Abbott of Boston, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Albert Cain of Hersey place, Quincy Point.

Friday evening at 7.45, the monthly prayer and covenant meeting will be held in the Baptist chapel at Wollaston.

Alfred Pitts of Washington street, has returned from the Eye and Ear Infirmary, Boston, where he had one of his eyes treated.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of Memorial church, Atlantic, are preparing for an apron and handkerchief sale to be given Easter week.

The Wollaston Auxiliary of the Woman's Board of Missions will meet with Mrs. A. H. Lincoln this afternoon; leader, Mrs. E. S. Tenney.

Walton Hall, Jr., of Marshfield is ill at his grandfather's home on Washington street. He was about to return to Amherst Agricultural college, when he was taken suddenly ill.

John Waga, an assistant at James Maloney's barber shop on Hancock street, left Monday for parts unknown. It is also alleged that he carried Maloney's razors with him.

The vestry of Christ church have sent a letter of congratulation to St. Chrysostom's parish over the fact that the latter is now independent of missionary aid and wishing success.

Wednesday afternoon at 3.00 the regular monthly business meeting of Social and Benevolent Society will meet in the chapel of the Wollaston Baptist church written reports from all committees are desired.

The Water department commenced Monday to make war on delinquents, and a squad of inspectors was sent out to shut off the water from all estates where the water rates due Jan. 1, 1904, have not been paid,

A series of basket ball games which promises to be of great interest has been arranged between the St. Marys of West Quincy and the Quincys. The first match will be at West Quincy next Tuesday evening, and the second at Quincy the following Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George K. Carter of Charles street entertained a number of their friends Monday evening. A very delightful evening was passed in games nusic, etc. A dainty collation was rved. Among those present were: s. L. H. Austin, Misses Nora Bate- Annie and Victoria Carter, Rev. Austin, Messrs Douglas Smith, s Parker, Daniel Scouler Jr. T Parker, Charles Turner, Charles Fel Goss,

BRIDGE HEARING

Who Shall Pay Cost of Atlantic Improvement?

Not a Case of Street Widening.

Order to Railroad to Build to Width of Old Turnpike.

A hearing was held Monday at the office of the Railroad Commission in Boston before the special commission, consisting of Judge Dunbar, George Lyman Rogers and Charles R. Bishop, to apportion the cost between city, town, county and corporations, in building the bridge over the railroad at Atlantic.

City Solicitor Paul R. Blackmur represented the City of Quincy; F. A. Farnham the New York New Haven and Hartford; Bentley W. Warren and C. A. Gasfield the Old Colony street railroad, and F. H. Williams the county.

The whole day was given up to the opening, introduction of ancient records, and submitting expert testimony.

City Solicitor Blackmur, for Quincy, claimed that Hancock street was a part of the old Weymouth and Braintree turnpike which was laid out under the acts of 1803 and constructed in 1804, and the city asked for the widening of the bridge within the limit of the layout, namely 64 feet. In view of the fact that the Old Colony railroad was not built until 1845, the highway then being in existence, the city ought not to be called upon to pay a large amount toward the new bridge.

The railroad claimed that under the present law all parties benefited by the widening of the bridge and approaches thereto, paving, sidewalks and edgestones for 600 feet under the order of the city, should pay its proportional part; also the street railway.

Experts for the city testified that the cost of widening the bridge to full width would not be over $21,000.

The railroad claimed this would cost $34,000, and to lengthen the bridge as ordered would cost $53,000. The railroad admitted that they should pay the difference between the $34,000 and $53,000, which is for lengthening the bridge to enable four tracks to go under it.

Commissioner Knowlton, City Engineer Flood and Ezekeil Sargent of the City Engineers department, and Herbert T. Whitman, testified for the city as to cost, material, etc.

The hearing was adjourned for two weeks, at which time the testimony will be finished.

Before closing, a motion was made to have the City of Boston notified to be present at the next hearing as it may be claimed they should bear a part of the cost.

By Electricity.

Recently the Boston & Albany railroad gave a test to electric power for the first time, and as it was highly successful, it is expected that electricity will be extended more and more to its suburban lines. At present it will be confined to a car which will make frequent trips between Riverside and Newton Lower Falls, a distance of a little over a mile. In external appearance the car much resembles a modern street railway trolley car. The inside is arranged with a baggage department, sandwiched in between a passenger compartment capable of seating forty and a smoker with a seating capacity of twenty.

A report comes from Albany to the effect that plans, now under consideration by New York Central officials, include the operation of trains between South Framingham and Boston by electricity. No steam locomotives will run into the South Terminal station in Boston, if this plan is carried. It is said to be the intention of the New York Central management to have trains between South Framingham and Albany operated by steam locomotives, to make the run through from Albany to South Framingham, instead of stopping at Worcester as they do now. At South Framingham, the roundhouse will be enlarged to accommodate the increased number of steam locomotives to centre there, and only freight locomotives to be housed at Worcester. From South Framingham to Boston, the main line will be equipped with electricity of a high potentiality. In corroboration of the above statement, an official of the Schenectady locomotive works at Schenectady, N. Y., made a statement to a Worcester man, saying that the Schenectady works has received an order for 100 electric locomotives, to be built for the New York Central road.—Framingham Tribune.

TODAY'S COURT.

John Griffin was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

CITY COUNCIL.

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crossing other tracks at grade. Ordered to a second reading.

A TRANSFER.

The joint Committee on Finance and Public Buildings reported favorable on the transfer of $715.08 from street lighting of 1903, to Repair of Public Buildings of 1903. Rules suspended and order passed.

NO REFUND.

The Committee on Finance reported ought not to pass on order refunding tax of $80 to James T. Burchsted.

The City Solicitors ruling on the matter, was that Burchsted had claimed himself the ownership. The property had been assessed to him, and he had paid on it, there is some question as to who does own the land.

Report accepted.

LOCATION OF POLES.

The orders granting the Telephone Co. a location for poles on Spear, Taylor, Goffe, Berlin, Woodbine and Marsh streets were passed to be ordained.

The order granting the Electric Light Co. a location for pole on Temple street was passed to be ordained.

TAXES REFUNDED.

The order refunding tax title of $19.89 to John H. Dinegan was passed.

The order refunding $22.56 tax to the Workingmen's Cooperative Bank, took its second reading.

Adjourned at 8.20, for one week.

LEAP YEAR COUPLE.

Yesterday Their First Wedding Anniversary for Eight Years.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Phillips celebrated their ninth wedding anniversary, or the 36th year of their marriage Monday evening.

The fact that they were to celebrate had not entered their minds. They were spending the evening in a quiet manner at their home on Union street, but along about 8 o'clock there was an alarm at the outer door, and upon its being opened nearly half a hundred of their relatives, neighbors and friends entered and announced that they had come to celebrate.

They were made welcome and the evening was passed in a pleasant manner with games, music, and refreshments. They were presented with numerous remembrances including a very handsome art square.

Mr. Phillips was born in that part of Braintree now known as Quincy Neck, and has made Quincy his home for the greater part of his life. He served his country faithfully during the rebellion, and received an honorable discharge.

Returning from war he journeyed to Marshfield where he wooed and won the heart of Abby Hall, or vice versa, which ended in a marriage ceremony on Feb. 29, 1868.

A son and daughter have been born to them, both of whom were present Monday evening.

Mr. Phillips was for many years associated with his brother, Hiram W. Phillips, as a sub-marine diver, but has not followed this business to any great extent of recent years. During his active service as a diver he had many thrilling experiences some of which have been recounted upon the platform by him and his brother in talks upon sub-marine diving.

Danced February 29.

The leap year party held at Polands hall, Norfolk Downs, under the auspices of the Semaphore club Monday night, was without question the event of the season. The grand march was led by Mr. and Mrs. James Baker who were followed by about sixty-five couples. The music was furnished by Elmer E. Towne of Boston. Ice cream and punch were served during the evening. The merry party broke up about twelve o'clock.

Launch Tomorrow.

The Fall River Line freight steamers will be launched at the Fore River Works on Wednesday at 11.30.

The Quincy basket ball team will have as rivals on Thursday evening the Cooper Class of Lynn. The Hyde Park juniors will play the Quincy juniors.

MARRIED.

ROSS—SHADDOCK—In Quincy, Feb. 29, by Harrison A. Keith, Esq., Mr. John A. L. Ross to Miss Maude L. Shaddock, both of Quincy.

DIED.

BLAND—In Gardner, Feb. 28, Mrs. Samuel Bland, formerly of Wollaston, aged 39 years and 4 months.

MELVIN—In Milton, Feb. 29, Charles E., son of Mrs. Annie and the late James Melvin, of Thacher street, aged 16 years.

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LIBEL CHARGED

The Damages are Set at $50,000.

Prescott vs. Faxon at Dedham.

The Declarations of Plaintiff in the Case.

The suit of Charles L. Prescott against Henry H. Faxon for $50,000 for libel was begun on Monday before Judge Harris in the Superior court at Dedham.

Mr. Prescott's declaration contains nine counts. The first two declare that Mr. Faxon caused to be published in Boston papers July 8, 1902, a libel that greatly damaged Mr. Prescott's business and reputation, so that "he has suffered great pain of the body and mind, and has been disgraced in the eyes of the public and has been otherwise injured and damnified."

The third count alleges libel in Mr. Faxon's saying on July 3, 1902, "He is thoroughly incompetent to conduct the business of city scavenger."

The fourth in saying to Mr. Prescott before a crowd, on July 20, 1902, "No cesspool was ever so full as you are now."

The fifth in saying Aug. 8, 1902, "He is robbing the public and does not properly attend to his business.

The sixth count says Mr. Faxon libelled Mr. Prescott by saying he maintained a "public nuisance," meaning a dump used in the city garbage disposal.

The seventh count declares Mr. Faxon, on Aug. 10, 1902, accused Mr. Prescott of larceny by saying, "He is robbing the public; he goes to a cesspool and removes one load and charges for several."

The eighth count says Mr. Faxon, in August, 1902, accused Mr. Prescott of cruelty to animals, by saying, "He is driving horses that are unfit for work and should be killed.

The ninth count declares Mr. Faxon, on Aug. 13, 1902, "falsely and maliciously spoke and published the false, scandalous, malicious and defamatory words: 'He keeps all of his dumping places in a filthy condition, and he never kept them as they should be.'"

Mr. Prescott tells in the same count that he has been deprived of emoluments, fees and income and of "his good name and the respect of divers good and worthy people," also of "patronage which he otherwise would have had, and has suffered great pain in body and mind, and has been otherwise greatly injured and damnified."

The first witnesses were Timothy J. Collins and Walter H. Cobb, Boston newspaper reporters who testified to letters given them by Mr. Faxon which were published.

Mr. Prescott then took the stand. He testified as to his business and to conversations with Mr. Faxon. That before the publication of alleged libels he had done $10,000 of contract work and $5,000 of scavenger work.

His net income for contract work was $2000, and $1000 for scavenger work.

After publication of articles his business fell off and he has solicited work but it had been refused him.

Mr. Prescott was on the stand at adjournment of court on Monday.

LESS CRIME.

Fourteen Per Cent. Less Cases than February, 1903.

Probation Officer Francis A. Spear reports the total number of criminal cases before the District court at Quincy during the month of February to have been 91, against 106 in 1903, and 87 in 1902 for the corresponding month.

Of the new cases, 54 were for drunkenness; 5 each for assault and truancy; 4 each for larceny and search for liquor; 2 each for bastardy, keeping gaming implements, violation of by-laws, search for gaming implements, and one each for disturbance in railroad car, cruelty to animals, keeping billiard table without license, keeping unlicensed dog, neglected child, stubborn child, threat, tramp, search for stolen goods, liquor nuisance, and liquor sale.

Of the cases commenced, six were continued for disposition, five to pay a fine and two defaulted.

Four warrants issued were not served.

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APPROPRIATIONS.

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By the Board of Trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library:		
Replacing and purchase of books	$6,400 00	$6,400 00
Periodicals, binding and printing		
Salaries and assistance		
Fuel and lighting		
Miscellaneous (including dog tax receipts)		
Catalogue		
By Commissioner of Public Works:		
Bridges, culverts and drains	$2,500 00	$2,500 00
Removal of snow	2,000 00	7,500 00
Street lighting	21,000 00	21,800 00
Advertising, printing and stationery	400 00	300 00
Clerical services	780 00	780 00
Repairing public buildings and care City Hall	7,000 00	6,500 00
Miscellaneous expenses, repair of streets, maintenance of horses, and purchase of tools	25,000 00	23,500 00
Watering streets (schedule to be furnished by the Council)	6,800 00	6,800 00
Collection of ashes		1,500 00
	$65,480 00	$71,180 00
By the Park Commissioners:		
Parks	$1,200 00	$1,200 00
By the City Solicitor:		
Law library	$100 00	$75 00
By the Chief of Police:		
Chief of Police	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
Permanent men	15,104 00	19,656 00
Keeper of station	200 00	200 00
Special police and miscellaneous	4,295 00	4,295 00
Enforcement of liquor law	1,000 00	500 00
	$21,599 00	$25,651 00
By the Mayor:		
Miscellaneous city expenses and claims	$4,000 00	$3,000
By the Overseer of the Poor:		
Almshouse and outside poor	$14,000 00	$8,000 00
Clerical services		400 00
	$14,000 00	$8,400 00
By the Sealer of Weights and Measures:		
Expense of office	$175 00	$175 00
By the Treasurer:		
City debt	$70,540 35	$69,078 00
Water debt	34,500 00	35,500 00
Park debt	1,000 00	2,000 00
Interest, Park debt	1,640 00	1,600 00
Interest, City debt	16,776 55	16,483 24
Interest, temporary loans	7,000 00	10,000 00
	$131,456 90	$134,661 24
Grand total	$327,254 90	$336,919 65
By the School Committee:		
Salaries		
Fuel		
Janitors		
Transportation		
Books, supplies and sundries		
Evening schools		
	$111,000 00	$114,965 00
With Schools added	$438,254 90	$451,884 65
WATER DEPARTMENT. To be paid from the water rates:		
Maintenance	$10,000 00	$12,000 00
Interest on Water debt	29,087 70	27,725 00
	$39,087 70	$39,725 00
SEWER DEPARTMENT. To be paid from Sewer Assessments:		
Maturing debt	$12,800 00	$14,800 00
Interest on debt	15,219 75	17,179 25
Maintenance	1,500 00	1,500 00
	$29,519 75	$33,479 25

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TO LET—House on Hayward street, East Braintree, 10 finished and 3 unfinished rooms, suitable for 2 families. Large stable adjoining. 15 minutes' walk from Fore River ship yards. Apply at 146 Franklin street. Quincy, Feb. 23. tf

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TO LET—A Five Room Cottage on Wibird Street. Apply at 53 Newcomb street. Quincy, Jan. 25. tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

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JAPAN DEFENDS HER POSITION

Has Not Violated Principles of International Law

AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Points Out Russia's Efforts to Strengthen Her Military and Naval Positions In the Far East Ever Since Failure to Abide by Pledge to Evacuate Manchuria--Common Practice In Recent Times to Declare War After Hostilities Begin

Washington, March 2.—The following authorized statement, received from his government, is given out by the Japanese minister:

"The Russian government has charged Japan with having treacherously obtained a victory by a sudden attack upon Russia, who was bent upon maintaining peace. It is further asserted that, since a rupture of diplomatic relations can never be looked upon as the opening of hostilities, and since Japan did not issue a declaration of war until Feb. 11, she has been guilty of flagrant breach of the principles of international law in making, as early as Feb. 8, most unwarrantable attacks upon Russian men-of-war and merchant vessels.

"The answer to these charges may be found in the action of Russia herself. That her government never entertained any sincere desire for peace can be clearly seen from its own conduct. Her warlike preparations in the far east since last April, when she failed to carry out her treaty engagement to evacuate Manchuria, are in full confirmation of these statements. During that time the increase made in her naval strength in the far east was as follows:

"Three battleships, one armored cruiser, five cruisers, seven destroyers, one gunboat, two vessels for laying mines; total number of vessels, 19, with a total tonnage of 82,415.

"In addition to these vessels, the Russian government sent torpedo destroyers in sections by rail to Port Arthur, where the work of putting them together has been hastened and seven of them have already been completed. Furthermore, two vessels of the volunteer fleet were armed at Vladivostok and hoisted the Russian naval ensign. The Russian government also ordered to the far east one battleship, three cruisers, seven destroyers, and four torpedo boats, of a total tonnage of about 30,740, which would have joined the Russian squadron in the far east had not circumstances subsequently compelled Russia to recall them. These vessels, if added to the others brought to the far east during the progress of negotiations, would have made a total increase in Russia's naval strength of about 113,000 tons.

"During the same period the increase of Russia's land forces in the far east has been equally marked. Since June 29 last, when, under the pretext of trial transportation on the Siberian railway, the Russian government sent to China two infantry brigades, two artillery battalions, and a large force of cavalry, troops have been constantly sent by military train from Russia to the far east, until, at the beginning of February, the total augmented strength of the Russian forces was over 40,000. At the same time plans were being made for sending, if necessary, over 200,000 men more.

"During the same period there has been the greatest activity possible at Port Arthur and at Vladivostok, and work has been carried on day and night to strengthen the fortifications of those naval ports, while forts have been built at strategic points and large quantities of arms and ammunition have been sent to the far east by the Siberian railway and the vessels of the volunteer fleet.

"From these military and naval preparations of every description made during the progress of the negotiations, it is quite evident that Russia was not inclined to a friendly settlement of the questions then under discussion between Japan and herself, but sought solely by her military prepondenance to force Japan into submission."

The statement says that during the latter part of January and up to the beginning of February, Russian military activity was still further intensified and cites several instances in proof thereof. The statement continues:

"On Feb. 6 Japan announced to Russia her determination to terminate the pending negotiations and to take such independent action as she might deem best to defend her position, menaced by Russia, and to protect her established rights and legitimate interests. At the same time the government of Japan informed the Russian government that as its moderate and unselfish proposals in the interest of a firm and lasting peace in the far east had not received the consideration which was their due, Japan had resolved to sever her diplomatic relations with Russia which, for the reason named, had ceased to possess value, and to withdraw her legation.

"The term 'independent action' naturally included the opening of hostilities. The fact that Russia was unable to understand it in that light, is, of course, no reason why Japan should be held responsible for the misinterpretation made by Russia. It is the almost unanimous opinion of international jurists that a declaration of war is not an indispensable perquisite to the opening of hostilities. Indeed, it has been the common practice in recent wars to declare war after hostilities have been begun.

"Japan's action, therefore, is not open to the least criticism in this regard. From the standpoint of international law it must be acknowledged that the charge made against her does not come with good grace from Russia, inasmuch as there are not only many historical instances of Russia herself resorting to hostilities without declaring war, but one case, that of her invasion of Finland in 1808, when she began war before there had even been a rupture of diplomatic relations."

Bombardment Story Doubted

London, March 2.—No confirmation of the report published yesterday in The Daily Telegraph that the Japanese had bombarded Port Arthur Feb. 29 has been received from any point. The wires from the scene of war have been practically silent for the past 24 hours and in some quarters this silence is supposed to indicate that Japan's great attack on Port Arthur is actually in progress and that consequently the use of the wires has been discontinued.

Vladivostok Heard From

Vladivostok, March 2.—Certain Russian newspaper correspondents and residents of Vladivostok, who felt here a short while ago, have returned. They say they found the conditions of living at Nikolsk and Harbin to be less favorable than here. Everything is quiet at Vladivostok. The rise in the price of provisions has been slight, and trade continues. There are now snowdrifts stretching for 60 or 70 miles from the fortress.

Japs Pouring Into Korea

London, March 2.—The correspondent of The Daily Mail at Che Foo, who has just returned there from Chemulpo, cables that Japanese transports carrying troops continue to arrive at Chemulpo at the rate of one a day, while provisions are being landed near Hwang Ju (94 miles northwest of Chemulpo), where a large force of Japanese infantry has concentrated.

Military Camps In Manchuria

Yin Kow, March 2.—Liao Yang, Manchuria, is now essentially a military city. An area comprising 3 1-3 square miles adjoining the railroad has been enclosed for a military camp and magazine purposes. There is also a military camp at Haicheng, Manchuria, 32 miles from New Chwang, which, with its defenses, covers 1000 acres.

Chinese Military Activity

St. Petersburg, March 2.—A Russian press correspondent at Shanghai telegraphs that it is reported at Tien Tsin that 4000 additional Chinese soldiers have been posted in northern China, and that the Chinese government has recently placed large orders for guns and ammunition.

Says Japs Have Departed

St. Petersburg, March 2.—Direct telegraphic advices received here from Port Arthur last night make no mention of the bombardment of that place reported yesterday. On the contrary, these advices say the Japanese fleet has disappeared from the horizon of Port Arthur.

Loyal to the Czar

St. Petersburg, March 2.—Countess Nirod yesterday bade farewell to another son, who has just been appointed midshipman in the Russian navy and who goes to the front to take the place of his brother, who was killed on board the Variag at Chemulpo.

March 3 was the coldest day of March last year.

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THE BUDGET

Proposed by the Mayor and School Committee.

Eleven Items Have Been Decreased.

But there are Seventeen Increases and Three New Items.

An analysis of the estimates of the Mayor and City Treasurer, and of the School Committee for 1904 will be of interest. The changes will be apparent at a glance from the following summary, showing first, three proposed appropriations in addition to the items of last year; second, seventeen items which it is proposed to increase; and lastly, eleven items it is proposed to reduce.

NEW ITEMS.

Collection of ashes,	$1,500.00
John A. Boyd Camp 2, S. W. V.	50.00
Clerical services, Overseer Poor,	400.00

INCREASES.

Inspection, Board of Health,	$ 200.00
Clerical Services, City Clerk,	104.00
Elections, etc., City Clerk,	400.00
Pay of Firemen,	1,434.41
Miscellaneous, Fire dept.,	40.00
Clerical services, Tax Collector,	414.00
Advertising, etc., Tax Collector,	575.00
Clerical services, City Treasurer,	26.00
Removal of snow,	5,500.00
Pay of police,	4,552.00
Maintenance schools,	3,965.00
Maintenance Water dept.,	2,000.00
Maturing Water debt,	2,000.00
Maturing Park debt,	1,000.00
Interest on temporary loans,	3,000.00
Maturing Sewer debt,	2,000.00
Interest on Sewer debt,	1,959,00

DECREASES.

Abating nuisances,	$400.00
Advertising, Commissioner,	100.00
Miscellaneous streets,	1,500.00
Law library,	25.00
Enforcement liquor laws,	500.00
Miscellaneous city,	1,000.00
Support of poor,	6,000.00
Maturing city debt,	1,462.35
Interest park debt,	40.00
Interest city debt,	294.31
Interest water debt,	1,362.70

The aggregate which it is proposed to appropriate inside the $12 limit is $317,223.41. This is outside the items by the City Treasurer for maturing debt and interest, and also the expenses of the Water department which are paid from water rates, and the expenses of the Sewer department which are paid from sewer assessments.

The City Auditor in his recent financial statement informed us that the average valuation of the city for the years 1901, 1902 and 1903 was $22,002,156.00. Twelve dollars on a $1,000 of this valuation would yield but $264,025.87. To this, therefore, must be added unappropriated receipts amounting to at least $53,197.54, that the City Council may appropriate the $317,223.41 proposed.

The last five items of "the increases" tabulated above are outside the $12, and the pay of firemen and police are regulated by ordinances where changes do not become operative in the year made.

The largest increase is for removal of snow,—$5,500. Most of this has already been expended and is occasioned by the unusual severity of the present winter. The increase of $2000 for maintenance of the Water department is a sharp advance. The other items of increase over which the Mayor has control are small.

The School Committee, an executive department of the city, like the Mayor, have asked for about $4,000 more for maintenance of schools.

The decrease of the amount for the Poor department results from the fact that the State has assumed the cost of the insane and idiotic. There is quite a reduction in the item for maintenance of streets, but the total for the Commissioner of Public Works is $5,700 in excess of last year.

The appropriation for the enforcement of the liquor laws is cut in two, and the item for "Miscellaneous City" reduced one-fourth.

The present administration has no control over the last four items of the "decreases" summarized above.

ONLY HER TWELFTH

But Mrs. Smith Is Now Fifty-Two Years Old.

Mrs. Alexander Smith, who dwells in the John Adams birthplace and looks carefully after the welfare of the old house for Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, was fortunate enough to have a birthday anniversary on Monday, the first in eight years, and the twelfth in her life.

She was born in Scotland in 1852, and on Monday was 52 years old. From early morning until evening she had a steady stream of callers and passed a very happy day. Many left gifts and Adams Chapter also sent a gift through their regent who called and presented it personally.

Mrs. Smith was in hopes of having a family party in the evening, but owing to other engagements it was given up, which was a great disappointment to her. Tuesday evening while sitting alone and thinking over the pleasures of her birthday, a knock on the door and there entered about twenty, the guests who could not be present Monday evening.

It was a great surprise to Mrs. Smith and she made them right welcome. A fire was started in the big fire place, and soon all were much at home as they gathered about and exchanged pleasant reminiscences.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Wood, Mr. and Mrs. William Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Gordon, Mr. Bernard Marshall, who has just returned from Scotland, Miss Isabella Marshall, Masters John Robert Marshall, Everett Marshall, Theodore Smith, Misses Violet Lillian Smith and Esther Gordon.

The guests brought an abundance of refreshments and all enjoyed the appetizing supper.

Mrs. Smith was presented a handsome fur scarf and other tokens.

Tour of Prisons.

The Prison Committee of the Legislature, composed of Senators Gove, Brackett and Flynn and Representatives Gardner, Nason of Westborough, Garland, McCann, Bamford, Cuddy, Hartford and Scigliano, went to the Concord Reformatory Sunday to get a glimpse of the institution as it is since the retirement of Superintendent Scott. Other institutions honored this year by a visit from the committee are the Charles street jail and the State prison in Charlestown.

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The new twin screw steel freight steamer "Boston," built for the Fall River line of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., was successfully launched from the Fore River Works this morning. The launching was witnessed by quite a gathering including officials of the marine division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. and President Bowles of the Fore River Co.

There was but little ceremony attending the launching. It was 11.20 when a shrill whistle sounded, and was immediately followed by the rapid tap of a hundred or more hammers driving the blocks home.

At 11.45 she began to move and then it was that Miss Mary S. Gardner of New London, a sister of J. H. Gardner, assistant superintendent of the Marine service of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. broke a bottle of wine over her bow, and in a clear voice said, "I christen thee, Boston."

As the steamer struck the water loud cheers were given by the workmen and others gathered about.

Those in the lauching party besides Miss Gardner, included: J. H. Gardner, J. Stephenson Taylor of New York, Constructing Supervising Engineer, W. A. Rogers; Draughtsman, W. G. Paine; Mrs. J. H. Ames of Newport, George A. Slade, Master Mechanic and Harry Gardner.

Immediately after entering the water a tug hauled her around to the dock.

The new steamer is one of the finest and most perfectly built freight steamers. She is a twin screw propeller and will be used on the Long Island service of the Fall River line of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. She is of the most modern construction and general equipment.

She is 318 feet long over all, with a moulded width of 60 feet, 6 inches, and a moulded depth of 22 feet, 6 inches. She is built of steel with double hull similar in construction to the battleships Rhode Island and New Jersey now building at the Fore River plant.

The prime consideration in her design has been safety from any chance of sinking or burning, together with sufficient strength to meet the working strain without vibration.

She has water-tight compartments in her double bottom, while above it, the vessel is divided by water-tight bulkheads with a "collision" bulkhead and a water-tight "collision" steel deck extending back from the stern, eleven feet below the main deck.

Her engines are in a steel enclosure. She has a steam steering gear with double freight elevators at her forward and after hatches. She will cost when completed half a million dollars.

The Boston is built under rigid inspection and is especially stiffened, the double bottom extending for a considerable length, and all bulkheads being designed to stand pressure due to the filling of any compartments with other compartments empty.

Motive power consists of two 3-cylinder triple expansion engines, the diameters of the cylinders are 24 in. H. P., 37 in. I. P., 63 in. L. P., and a stroke of 42 in. Steam is supplied by eight Scotch boilers, 14 ft. 2 1-2 in. diameter, 12 ft. from head to head in length, and designed for steam pressure of 180 lbs.

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Drift of Opinion.

☞Lent has come in and the result can be seen in the comparative quiet on the streets at night, in the silence of the halls from which in other weeks flowed sounds of melody and the cheerful laughter of the dancers, and in the comparatively small audiences some nights at the playhouse, as well as in the throngs going to church.—Brockton Enterprise.

☞Have we got to revise our estimate of the ability of the American workman to fit Wallace Downey's statement that the Glasgow shipbuilders can turn out 60 percent more in results in the same time and with the same tools than can our Americans, or have we got to revise some of our methods in order that our native skill and ability may be given a chance to show itself? Is the sloth and the sluggard being allowed to set the pace for American labor to its disadvantage?—Haverhill Gazette.

☞One of the reports of the doings of the legislature last week announced that "the people win in the skirmish with street railway committee." The report referred to the action of the house of representatives upon a bill providing for public ownership or control of street railways. Judging from the financial condition of most of the street railways in Massachusetts, the people, if this is to be a real "win," would like to have a pick of the companies they are to own and control. They would probably desire to get possession of all the paying properties and let the corporations keep the concerns that are on the verge of bankruptcy. Subsequently the house very properly killed the bill.—Banker & Tradesman.

ESCHOL SELLERS.

The Original of the Hero of Mark Twain's "Gilded Age."

The real name of the hero of "The Gilded Age" was Eschol Sellers, and he was an inventor and an active promoter very well known in the early days of the new west. His father was one of the first locomotive builders in the United States, with works at Philadelphia. Eschol Sellers and Charles Dudley Warner occupied adjoining houses some years before "The Gilded Age" was written. Sellers at that time was developing a coal field near Shawneetown, Ill., at what was then and is still known as Sellers' Landing. He was also inventing a process afterward largely used in making paper out of Indian weed pulp. He was also experimenting with the camel back engine. Notwithstanding the fact that Sellers' enterprises were destined all to be successful, Charles Dudley Warner conceived the idea that he was a typical visionary dreamer. He therefore suggested the name of Eschol Sellers for the hero of "The Gilded Age," and Mark Twain used the name, believing it to be fictitious. One of the first copies of the book happened to be seen by Eschol Sellers, who went at once to Hartford and enjoined the publication. A compromise was effected by which the publishers paid Sellers $5,000 for damages and cut all of the plates, removing the name Eschol and substituting that of Mulberry. Eschol Sellers died at a very advanced age at his pleasant home on Missionary ridge, near Chattanooga.—Washington Star.



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OVER TO "DRY" SIDE

Majority of Vermont Towns Against the Sale of Liquor

FEW CITIES FOR LICENSE

All Show Decreased Majorities as Compared With Last Year--Home of Clement, Father of License Law, Goes No-License

Burlington, Vt., March 2.—A decided change in sentiment on the license question was shown at the annual elections held throughout the state, only 48 cities and towns, according to returns received thus far, voting in favor of liquor selling, as compared with 92 last year, when the prohibition law of half a century was annulled.

The total vote on the license question in the counties was as follows:

	1904.		1903.	
	Yes.	No.	Yes.	No.
Addison	1141	1793	2131	1797
Bennington	1629	1168	3298	1126
Chittenden	3474	2661	4461	1778
Essex	293	473	529	474
Franklin	2008	2229	2686	1644
Grand Isle	166	349	274	318
Lamoille	776	1128	1095	1120
Orleans	545	1612	874	2152
Orange	686	1549	1109	1848
Washington	2560	3127	3513	2307
Windsor	1626	2968	2607	3021

Returns from Caledonia, Rutland and Windham are not completed.

The Democrats of Burlington re-elected Mayor Burke by the largest plurality ever given a mayoralty candidate in this city. In addition the Democrats elected enough aldermen to tie the vote in the board and to give them a majority of one in the city council, which the Republicans controlled last year by three majority. The city again voted in favor of license, but by a greatly reduced majority. The vote was: Yes, 2089; no, 1244.

The no-license advocates won a notable victory in the Rutland election by changing the 1200 majority for license last year to a majority of 102 against the sale of liquor. The campaign was strongly contested and the change was of special interest on account of the fact that Rutland is the home of Percival W. Clement, who originated the high-license campaign two years ago. The election in Rutland was also notable in the defeat of T. W. Temple, the Citizen candidate, and H. W. Spafford, the Republican candidate for mayor, by John F. Carder, the candidate of the Independent Labor party, who won by a plurality of 28 votes. The vote on license was: Yes, 1109; no, 1211.

Intense interest centred in the elections at Barre, which resulted in the choice of a no-license mayor, but a victory for the license forces, which carried the city for license by the reduced majority of 72 votes. Last year the city voted license by 900 majority. William Marclay, the no-license candidate for mayor, was elected by a majority of 122.

The license party carried Vergennes, but by a greatly reduced majority. With the total vote cast only eight less than that of a year ago, the license majority was only 31, against 163 last year. The license question was the only issue in the election at Vergennes. The vote: Yes, 143; no, 112.

From a majority of 551 last year the no-license advocates of Burlington reduced the majority in favor of selling liquor to a bare 40 votes. The total vote was: Yes, 690; no, 650. Frank M. Corry was re-elected mayor by a substantial majority.

License was again favored at St. Albans, but the majority was only 151, as compared with 512 last year. Albert H. George (Dem.) was elected mayor without opposition.

To Leave State to Escape Feud

Washington, March 2.—Postmaster Parnell of Junction, Ark., has resigned his office, and in his letter to the postmaster general says the action is due to a political feud, in which four members of his family have been assassinated within the last 15 months, and he feels that it is the duty to his family and friends that he leave the state.

Decision on Bucketshop Losses

St. Louis, March 2.—The St. Louis circuit court of appeals has decided that a person who loses money in a bucketshop transaction on margins cannot recover. The court states that the loser voluntarily paying to a winner the stake lost cannot recover in the absence of express special statutory enactments conferring such right of action.

A Champion Swimmer Dead

New York, March 2.—Ethel Golding, the champion woman swimmer, died at the home of her parents at Bath Beach. She was stricken with acute brights disease and then blood poisoning set in. She would have been 23 years old next Friday. She had won many medals and had never been defeated in the water.

Princeton Drops Many Students

Princeton, N. J., March 2.—Official announcement is made that 66 students have been dropped from the university for deficiency in studies. Of these, 54 are in the scientific department and 12 in the academic. Half of the total number are freshmen.

Bank Cashier Kills Himself

Waterloo, Ia., March 2.—M. T. Blake, cashier of the First National bank of Dunkerton, committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. The bank officials are examining his accounts.

BEATEN TO DEATH

Aged Woman Victim of Robber In New Hampshire Town

Londonderry, N. H., March 2.—Lying on the threshold of her blood-spattered and ransacked room was found the horribly mutilated body of Mrs. Zelia Smith, a widow, 68 years old, who made her home with her brother, John Marshall. As she was known to have had considerable money in her room it is certain that Mrs. Smith was killed while defending her property against a robber.

The only occupants of the house were Mrs. Smith and Mr. Marshall. Marshall says that he heard no outcries nor any noise during the night, although he occupied a room on the same floor as his sister. He came downstairs and, after building a fire and making some preparations for breakfast, called his sister to come down. On receiving no response he went upstairs and was fearfully shocked to find the body of his sister, her night dress almost covered with blood and with her head terribly battered.

Medical Referee Newell found that the head had been battered and the skull fractured as if from a blunt instrument. These wounds, he said, were sufficient to have caused death. In addition, however, there was a deep cut over the right eye, as well as several other cuts on the face, and there were five or six cuts and slashes on the body.

From the position of the body Dr. Newell stated that it was evident that Mrs. Smith had been killed while attempting to prevent a robber from carrying off her money.

The room gave every appearance of being thoroughly ransacked by the robber, as the trunks were opened, bureau drawers overhaued and clothing thrown about the room. An empty pocketbook lay on the floor by Mrs. Smith's side.

Street Railway Receivership

Boston, March 2.—John T. Burnett and John L. Hall have been appointed receivers of the Middleboro, Wareham and Buzzards Bay Street Railway company. They will operate the road, which has not been paying. The liabilities of the company on Sept. 30, 1903, were $572,967.48. It has no power station of its own, and has been obtaining its power from the New Bedford and Onset Street Railway company at Wareham. The company did not pay for its power and the current was shut off and the road has not been operated since.

Sticking Out Against Scrubbing

New Bedford, Mass., March 2.—An attempt to settle a strike of 500 weavers at the Dartmouth Cotton mills here by arbitration has failed. At a meeting of the strikers it was voted to decline a proposition that floors be scrubbed once a fortnight instead of weekly. The strike, which was caused by an order to scrub the floors near the looms, is in the same stage as it was on Feb. 18, the day the operatives walked out.

Stonecutters on Strike

Worcester, Mass., March 2.—One hundred and fifty granite cutters of Worcester are on strike, the points at issue being the number of men whose tools shall be sharpened by a single blacksmith and the matter of extra pay that stonecutters shall receive for working without the protection of a shed overhead. A year's agreement between the employers and granite cutters expired Monday night.

Colony In Financial Distress

Johannesburg, March 2.—Lord Milner, in delivering the presidential address here, said the colony's deficit, amounting to $5,000,000, was due to the shrinkage in railroad receipts and the general paralysis of industry, while almost all of the $150,000,000 loan had already been expended on railroads, the repatriation of the Boers and the development of the country. The resources of the country, he said, now were patience and economy.

The Case of Justice Hooker

Albany, March 2.—The committee on grievances of the New York State Bar association, to which was referred the memorial calling attention to the charges involving Supreme Court Justice Hooker in connection with the postal scandals, adopted a resolution authorizing the appointment of a subcommittee of five to investigate the allegations and to report its findings and recommendations to the entire committee.

Revenue Men vs Moonshiners

Owensville, Ky., March 2.—A rumor has reached here that a battle was waged in the mountains of Knott county between moonshiners and revenue men. William and John Haddix, moonshiners, are reported killed and Jack Combs, a moonshiner, fatally wounded. One deputy marshal is reported killed.

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George McKay is acting as court officer during the absence of Court Officer Marden.

The new building being erected on Copeland street by John Evans will be used for store purposes.

The High school orchestra and banjo and mandolin club are preparing to give a public concert.

Friday afternoon at 3.30, the Loyal Legion will meet in the vestry of the Wollaston Congregational church.

The young people have had but little opportunity this year to use the skates received for Christmas presents.

The State tax of Quincy this year will be in excess of the rich town of Milton, because of the rapid gain in valuation in this city.

If there is any such thing as being an accomplished snow shoveller there should be a surplus of experts by the time that spring opens.

The witnesses for Henry H. Faxon in the suit at Dedham are treated like lords. A good dinner is given them every day at the gentleman's expense.

The street railway put a gang of men at work on the Houghs Neck line late Tuesday night and worked all night opening up the line. Cars are running all right today.

Friday afternoon at 4.00, there will be a meeting in the parlor of Wollaston Baptist church for those who are beginning the Christian life. All who are in any way interested are very earnestly invited to come.

After 38 years experience as car inspector, E. A. Fisher now residing with his son A. W. Fisher of 140 Upland road, has severed his connections with the N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R. and accepted a position as traveling agent for the Ætna Accident Insurance Company. He was formerly of South Braintree.

On Thursday evening at 7.30 the young ladies of the Wollaston Baptist church have decided to serve a chafing dish lunch at this week's social. Music will be furnished by Miss Mary Virginia Hastings and Mrs. Chandler W. Smith. There will also be a handkerchief bazaar where may be found handkerchiefs sent from all over the United States. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

Death of Former Resident.

On Monday the body of a former resident of this city, Michael Gallagher, was brought here for interment at St. Mary's cemetery. He died at the Boston City Hospital from an attack of erysipelas. He was the son of the well known resident, the late Patrick Gallagher, who resided on Cottage avenue. For many years Michael was employed as coachman for the Adams family. He was a lover of horses, and last year a number of his old friends had the pleasure of seeing him at the Brockton fair.

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Imitating Color Blindness.

One can sometimes imitate the effects of color blindness through overfatigue of the eye. Thus Mr. Brett, the English painter, told the members of the Royal Astronomical society that in painting a scarlet geranium, after working at it for a quarter of an hour the artist will not know that it is scarlet at all, but will go on painting it as if it were black or colorless. "Red," he explained, "is a very irritant color to the retina," and he added that "you can look at green until all is blue."

Poker Was Once "Scharwenzel."

Germans claim that poker is an old German game, which for more than 100 years has been played and is still being played in some districts of Westphalia. Emigrants took it to the United States, and there its name of "scharwenzel" was changed into "poker."—London Express.

Another Interpretation.

Miss Budd—Didn't I overhear Mr. Phalter remark to you that I was "a pretty young lady?" Miss Chellus—Yes, and you really are pretty young, you know, but you'll outgrow that, of course.—Philadelphia Press.

The Patient's Excuse.

Physician—I told you to come three times a week. Why haven't you been here for five days? Patient—Because I haven't been feeling well enough.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

The Way of It.

Green—You and Short don't seem to be as intimate as you were. Does he owe you money? Brown—No, indeed; but he wanted to.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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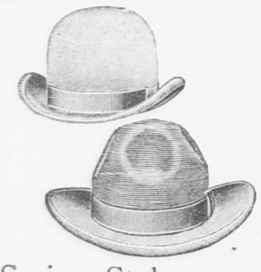


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BAD FEELING IN RUSSIA

Diplomat Claims It Is Produced by Attacks by Press of This Country--Says Russia Intends to Fulfill Her Agreement

Washington, March 2.—An important conference, lasting more than an hour, occurred yesterday afternoon between Secretary Hay and Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador. The growing ill-feeling in Russia against Americans and the continued attacks of certain parts of the American press against Russia was the main subject discussed.

To a newspaper correspondent the count said that the Russian people long since had learned to regard the people of this country as their fast friends and that it had been a bitter disappointment to them to find American newspapers attacking the Russian government, the Russian people and Russian policies. He said the first feeling of his people had been one of painful surprise, but that this is now crystallizing into a deplorable feeling of unfriendliness.

"The tone of Russian newspapers," said the ambassador, "a consequence of the tone of many Americans newspapers, is beginning to take a very painful direction in their references to the United States and in my opinion it is in the interests of both countries that some measures shall be taken to check this before it is too late.

"Fortunately the relations of the two governments continue, as always, absolutely friendly, and for this reason I am hopeful that the present unfriendliness on the part of the press of the two countries will not be lasting. The friendliness of the American and Russian governments, it is my firm belief, furnishes the basis for the restoration and preservation of the traditional friendship of their two peoples, and I hope some means may be found for the latter to reach a better understanding. My people cannot understand the American newspaper attacks upon them and have asked in all seriousness the reason for them.

"For example, one reason which has been advanced is that this country is displeased that Russia was unable to evacuate Manchuria last October. It was the earnest hope of my government that it would be possible to withdraw its troops from Manchuria at that time. The necessity of safeguarding our peculiar and predominant position there, a position which has been recognized by all the powers, made it impossible for the evacuation to take place with safety. As soon as the necessary provision can be made with China for the safeguarding of our legitimate interests in Manchuria, it then will be possible for us to execute our original intentions. Until that time evacuation can take place only at a grave risk to the vast interests of Russia in Manchuria. This, in plain words, is the reason why it has been impossible for the evacuation to take place.

"There have been examples where a nation in good faith has declared its intention to evacuate a region and has been obliged by unforeseen conditions to postpone the fulfilment of these intentions. The Russian people, knowing the situation in Manchuria; knowing, furthermore, that the avowed, prime and sole interest of the United States in that province is commercial, and that the government of Russia has given to all the powers, including the United States, the most positive assurances that their commercial rights will be protected and safeguarded whatever emergency may arrive, are unable to explain the continued attacks of certain American newspapers against Russia because she has been unable with safety to effect an evacuation.

"It is a tradition in Russia to feel friendly to America. Hundreds of Americans returning from Russia have told me of the marked kindliness with which they have been received in all parts of my country and of the friendship of which they saw evidence on every side for the United States. It is but natural that a feeling of disappointment has swept over Russia when American newspapers have arrived there attacking the government and the people in a bitter manner.

"I have been repeatedly assured by the officials here that it is the earnest wish of this government that the old traditional friendship between Russia and the United States in the interest of the two peoples should not be disturbed. Russia does not expect, now that war is on, that this country shall be anything more than neutral. My country does not ask that you should be pro-Russian and not pro-Japanese, but that you should be pro-American. She expects, and I can but hope, that she will receive fair treatment at the hands of the American press—as you say in this country—a fair showing.

"One of the reasons for the present unfortunate situation is the large number of absolutely false reports which have been sent to Russia from the United States about matters affecting the far eastern situation. These reports have contributed much in arousing sentiment against the United States. True, they have been corrected, but, unfortunately, a correction never reaches as many people as does the original report.

"I have spoken with you frankly with the hope that something might be accomplished towards clearing the situation."

Corporations Disobeyed the Law

Springfield, Ills., March 2.—Charters of 1000 corporations doing business in Illinois have been cancelled by the secretary of state for failure to comply with the law which requires annual statements. Monday was the last day on which reports could be filed and a large number have defaulted.

Miners' Strike Threatened

Indianapolis, March 2.—At the close of last evening's session of the miners' conference Frank L. Robbins, leader of the operators, said: "It looks like a strike to me, but no one can tell the result." President Mitchell refused to express himself on the situation outside the convention.

To Benefit American Ships

Washington, March 2.—The senate passed the bill requiring the use of American vessels in transporting government supplies and took up the bill prohibiting the use of other than American vessels in shipping merchandise to the Philippines.

Scouting For Merchantmen

Port Said, March 2.—The five Russian torpedo boat destroyers which arrived here yesterday have already left in the direction of Algiers. It is rumored that they intend to search for vessels bearing contraband of war in the Mediterranean. The Russian cruiser Aurora will follow them.

England Must Be Prepared

London, March 1.—In the course of a discussion of the naval estimates in the house of commons last evening Premier Balfour, while admitting the magnitude of the estimates, said the house should watch the general European and Asiatic situation, which alone could justify what the country was asked to expend. The country should not lose sight of the possibility of war between Great Britain and two great maritime powers, which could hardly end without great losses on the part of both the enemies and Great Britain, in which event the other navies would be intact and in a maritime position which they did not now hold.

Morgan Postpones Dpearture

San Francisco, March 2.—Edward V. Morgan, United States consul to Dalny, has arrived here. At the present the Russian government is unwilling to receive a representative of this country at Dalny, so he will remain in this city for some time, awaiting instructions.

To Perpetuate Hanna's Memory

Cleveland, March 2.—The Marcus A. Hanna Memorial association was incorporated at Columbus by several prominent citizens of Cleveland. The purpose of the association is to establish a chair of political science at Western Reserve university in memory of the late senator.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Wednesday, March 3.
Sun rises—6:17; sets—5:36.
Moon rises—7:48 p. m.
High water—12 m.; 12:15 p. m.

The weather has been generally fair except in New England and the upper Missouri valley. The weather will be fair in New England.

For a Smaller Congress

Washington, March 2.—Representative McDermott (N. J.) introduced a resolution amending the constitution by limiting the number of representatives in congress after 1911 to 200, each state to have at least one.

Insurgents Sieze Tugboat

San Domingo, March 2.—Minister Powell has been informed that the insurgents at San Pedro de Macoris have seized the tugboat Burro, belonging to the Clyde line of New York, and armed her.

Carnegie Gift Rejected

Detroit, March 2.—By a vote of 17 to 15, the common council last night rejected Andrew Carnegie's offer of $750,000 for a central and branch public library buildings.

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SEVEN DIRECTORS RESIGN

Breach In Brown College Athletic Squabble Is Widened

Providence, March 2.—The seven majority members of the board of directors of Brown University Athletic association further complicated the situation in which the university is placed by the disagreement over the question of professionalism by resigning last night. The directors who favor paid athletes on college teams decided that since the university corporation would not permit the rules recently adopted by the board to take immediate effect, the only dignified action they could take was to withdraw. This action leaves Brown with only two men at the head of athletics, Messrs, Meikeljohn and Hill.

The rules recently promulgated by the majority of the board of ahtletic directors, and which failed of endorsement by the corporation, which refused to permit them to go into effect prior to further consideration by the corporation at its meeting in September, repealed the old rule which forbids the appearance on a Brown team of any athlete who had previously contested for money. When the new rule was adopted and announced Meikiejohn and Hill resigned from the board, but their resignations were not accepted by the corporation. Recently notices have been sent to the alumni requesting an expression of opinion as to the advisability of the new rule. It is now considered less likely than ever that Brown will play a baseball team this season under the old rule.

Parr Wins on Handicap

Buffalo, March 2.—Jim Parr, the English wrestler, defeated Tom Jenkins, the heavyweight champion, in a handicap wrestling match here last night. Jenkins undertook to throw Parr twice in an hour. Both men were exhausted at the end of the hour's desperate struggle. Jenkins secured the only fall by sheer force of weight. Lifting Parr's body clear off the mat, and with Parr trying to bridge, Jenkins gradually forced the lighter man's shoulders down for a fall.

Farmers Won't Run Chances

Middletown, N. Y., March 2.—The war department's proposition to acquire the consent of owners of a large tract in this vicinity for the purpose of holding annual maneuvers of troops was submitted to a large meeting of farmers by Captain Moss, who made an earnest plea on behalf of the government, but it was unanimously rejected by the farmers, who feared that much destruction of property would result from the movements of large bodies of troops.

Castro's Message to Congress

Caracas, March 2.—Congress has assembled, the presidential message being read by Castro himself. He asked the Venezuelan people to accept the decision of The Hague arbitration tribunal giving preference to the claims against Venezuela of Great Britain, Germany and Italy. The message revealed the financial resources of Venezuela to be much greater than previously had been supposed.

Moderate Element Carries Cuba

Havana, March 2.—More complete election returns indicate that the Liberal Nationalists elected 15 congressmen, the Conservative Republicans 11, and the Moderate Nationalists, a party peculiar to Santiago, 5. Of the six provinces in the island the Republicans won only in two. The result of the elections is regarded as a victory for the moderate element in politics.

Woolley's Nomination Favored

Washington, March 2.—The senate committee on finance made a favorable report on the nomination of H. S. Woolley for assayer at Boise, Ida. Woolley is a Mormon bishop and his appointment was made at the urgent request of Senator Heyburn in the face of strong opposition from Idaho.

Commander Sewell Near Death

Binghamton, N. Y., March 2.—Justice Sewell has received a telegram stating that his brother, Commander Sewell, U. S. N., governor of the island of Guam, has reached San Francisco and is dying. Justice Sewell left for San Francisco this morning.

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An Animal Story For Little Folks

A Sad End to a Courtship

One beautiful spring day Mr. Caterpillar put on his high silk hat and strolled down through the meadow.

He had not gone very far when he met Miss Spider, and she was attired in a magnificent picture hat, while her dainty feet were incased in the dearest little shoes imaginable.

"Ah!" exclaimed Mr. Caterpillar. "Isn't she perfectly lovely? Surely there can be no danger of her doing me harm!"

"Good morning, Miss Spider," said Mr. Caterpillar, who was delighted that she noticed him. "You are truly beautiful today."

"Oh, thank you!" said Miss Spider.

"May I hold your hand?" he asked.



HE MET MISS SPIDER.

"You may," she said, and he grasped her hand lovingly.

"May I tell you that I love you?" he asked.

"You may," she said, and he drew closer to her.

"Will you be mine?" he asked.

"I will," she said, and he threw his arms about her.

"And will you be mine?" she whispered in his ear as her head rested on his shoulder.

"I will," he answered.

"Then I guess I'll eat you at once, for I am mighty hungry," said Miss Spider.

So she spun a web about poor old Mr. Caterpillar and had him for a meal.—Atlanta Constitution.

SEEN HERE AND THERE.

Elaborate Black Gowns—The Season of the Taffeta Hat.

Black cloth street gowns are made up with much fringe and applications of dyed lace over white satin foundations. They are also trimmed with ruchings of bias chiffon velvet and fagotings of heavy black silk showing the white foundation.

Black chiffon gowns lined with net are trimmed with applications of silk



A TAFFETA HAT.

ver embroidery and bunches of silk poppies in black and palest green.

The skirts of these chiffon evening gowns are made very full, with many narrow ruffings, and the short sleeves are also made of the same small ruffings.

A gown recently seen was of black chantilly having a shirred skirt and a waist trimmed with tiny black silk rosebuds and their leaves and a wide belt and applications of dull green chiffon velvet.

Taffeta hats are now being worn, and they will continue the vogue until straw takes their place. They are mostly shirred in bands held together by coarse lace or chiffon gaugings.

The picture shows a plain taffeta hat trimmed with a twist of tulle and a long black ostrich feather.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

NEWS IN BRIEF

A favorable report has been made from the senate committee on territories on the bill giving Alaska a delegate in congress.

L. D. Hosely of Jackson, Miss., has been appointed as the Mississippi member of the Republican national committee, vice H. C. Turley, retired.

The prices of crude oil have been cut 3 cents on the high grade product and 5 cents on the heavy grades in Kentucky and Kansas.

King Edward has approved the appointment of the Duke of Connaught to be Inspector general of the British army under the new reform scheme.

At the Republican convention of the Eleventh Ohio district Charles H. Grosvenor was nominated for his 10th term in congress.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.)

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 43	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
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r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
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r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	a c	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 15	dba	5 36 r
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r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 48 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

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r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
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r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

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TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.
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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M, 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A. M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

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O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
A. Pierson, 92 Granite street.
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F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite street.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	35	38	54	32	30
Monday,	39	48	—	—	—
Tuesday,	38	45	44	42	27
Wednesday,	43	37	38	41	54
Thursday,	—	28	33	35	52
Friday,	—	27	48	40	36
Saturday,	—	28	47	34	37

New Advertisements Today.

Wanted—House.
Bankrupt Sale of the C. F. Derby Stock.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

The Quincy base ball club will give a dance at the Coliseum, April 26.

Mr. Bernard Marshall returned last week Friday from Scotland where he has been for several months.

Rev. Rufus Tobey who recently broke his arm by a fall near his residence at Wollaston is gaining rapidly.

If there is anyone who has not been summoned to Dedham this week let him hold up his right hand.

The City Council Committee on Finance will meet Thursday night, and the Committee on Streets Friday night.

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the Quincy Point Young Men's club was held at their rooms Tuesday night. Several new members were voted in.

Mr. Frank Pollock, Mrs. Alice Cobb, and Mr. and Mrs. George H. Brown went to New York to attend the funeral of Mrs. Frederick L. Pollock.

Jeffrey R. Brackett formerly of Goffe street, Quincy, has been selected as the head of the new school to be founded by Harvard and Simmons colleges.

Monday will be town meeting day in all the suburban towns—Braintree, Weymouth, Hinghan, Holbrook, Randolph, Milton, Canton, Hyde Park, Dedham and others.

The Christian Endeavor society of Memorial church are making earnest efforts to have their concert a success. Boston and local talent will add to the pleasure of the entertainment.

It seems today like the warmest day of 1904 but there have been at least three with higher temperature, Feb. 7, 22 and 23, the temperature being on the holiday 48, about five degrees higher.

Mr. and Mrs. William N. Loud of Belmont street, Wollaston, have the sympathy of their many friends and acquaintances in the loss of their 17 year old twin son, Carleton, whose death occurred Tuesday morning from pneumonia having been ill but six days. He was was a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Loud of Washinton street to whom sympathy is also extended.

JAPAN'S WAR MINISTER.

General Terauchi, who has been Japan's minister of war since 1893, was educated in Germany and Japan and



GENERAL MASATAKE TERAUCHI.

was vice head of the Japanese board of strategy during the Chino-Japanese war.

TWELVE-RIDE BOOK.

Representative Fallon and Others Favor Them.

Representative Fallon appeared before the Committee on Railroads at the State House on Tuesday to urge the passage of a bill to require railroads to issue 12-ride book within the Metropolitan district.

He contended that the present rate schedule was burdensome on the working people. In support of this he cited Quincy. The single fare from Quincy to Boston was 15 cents. A ten-ride ticket was $1.25 and a 25-ride ticket $2.25.



This made the latter ticket nine cents a ride. He believed that the poorer people who have to travel to Boston each day to earn a livelihood should be given a twelve-ride book at the nine cent rate.

Col. Burton for the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. believed the question of reduction of fares such as proposed one for the railroad commissioners to pass upon.

To Dedicate New Organ.

The new $400 organ, which the Young Peoples' Society has bought to the Finnish Church, on Buckley street, will be dedicated Thursday evening at 7.30, with following program.

Organ prelude, by
Miss Hulda Thompson.
Opening hymn by the Congregation.
Opening service
by the pastor of the church.
Song by choir.
Uncovering of the new organ.
Prelude with the new organ
by Professor Ripley of Boston.
Discourse over theme "The Heavenly music"
H. Walkama, a student from Boston.
A dedication prayer, by
John Waananen, a student of Quincy.
Organ prelude and march by
Professor Ripley.

"A Railroad Beautiful"

Is the title of an interesting critism by Charles Mulford Robinson of the Boston & Albany R. R. artistic suburban stations and landscape gardening. It is reissued in pamphlet form and may be secured by addressing A. S. Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt., Boston.

DIED.

LOUD—In Wollaston, March 1, Carleton D., son of Mr. William M. and Mrs. Abbie J. Loud of 264 Belmont street, aged 16 years, 10 months and 20 days.

ANDREWS—In Brookline, March 1, Mr. Elbridge Francis Andrews, formerly of Quincy, aged 62 years and 5 months.

POLLOCK—In Wechawken, N. J., Feb. 28, Mrs. Adrienne C., wife of Mr. Frederick L. Pollock, formerly of Quincy, aged 27 years.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 29th, 1904. The Committee on Roads and Bridges will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 821, accompanying the petition of Charles M. Bryant and another for legislation to give the Massachusetts Highway Commission custody of the bridge over Weymouth Fore River between the city of Quincy and the town of Weymouth, and to provide for certain additions to said bridge, at room No. 426, State House, on Wednesday, March 2d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. CARLETON F. HOW, Chairman. M. FITZGERALD, Clerk of the Committee. 1-2t

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In the Prescott--Faxon Libel Case.

Plaintiff Concludes His Testimony.

Four Other Witnesses Were Also Heard on Tuesday.

Quincy is certainly monopolizing the court room at Dedham this week. Over one hundred witnesses have been summoned from this city in the libel case of Charles L. Prescott vs. Henry H. Faxon, and as many more interested Quincy people are in daily attendance, filling the court room to overflowing.

The snow storm of Tuesday delayed the trains so that the court was nearly an hour late in opening. Mr. Prescott, the plaintiff, was on the stand most of the day, from the opening until about 3 P. M. The other witnesses heard for the plaintiff were W. G. Chubbuck, H. T. Whitman, Charles F. Knowlton and Andrew A. Meyer.

In the continued cross-examination of the plaintiff by Counsel John W. McAnarney, the Herald reports Mr. Prescott as follows: Did not remember a conversation with a Mr. Marnock, in Quincy, in which the latter charged him with charging exorbitant rates. Witness said Chairman Gay of the Board of Health had not spoken to him about the way he conducted his work as city scavenger.

Counsel Anderson excepted to the admission of this and several other questions.

During 1901 or 1902, Mr. Prescott said, some of the Board of Health showed him letters which they had received, but he did not consider them complaints. During 1901 or 1902, he asserted, he was the only person whom the people of Quincy could get to clean out their cesspools and vaults.

Mr. Prescott stated that he ceased to act as city scavenger last April. He had not brought his books as city scavenger. He said he destroyed some of his records when a bill was paid. He said he did not permit contents of cesspools to be carried in barrels, nor in other vessels, which would let the contents splash over on to the streets. The witness said he had a steel cart. "Some of my men called my attention to a hole in the cover—Mr. Faxon did not—and I had the cover fixed."

Mr. Faxon's alleged statement, "You're fuller than any cesspool ever was," witness said, certainly made him feel bad. He considered that his own appearance contradicted that statement.

Mr. Prescott denied that he was in certain saloons with any of his witnesses last night.

On redirect examination Mr. Prescott said: "The letters of Andrew Milne were written to the city scavenger, I think, though they might have been to me. It was no part of my business to go round and find what cesspools needed cleaning." He said he never knowingly made an overcharge. "There have been errors, but they were corrected right away after my attention was called to them." He had never had any trouble with Mrs. Hayes.

Mr. Prescott said he used barrels built especially for the carrying of refuse. He did not know any of them leaked.

Willie G. Chubbuck of Quincy, a furniture mover, testified he had known both the plaintiff and Mr. Faxon about 23 years. On or about July 20, 1902, he saw them at a Quincy auction sale, and heard Mr. Faxon say to Mr. Prescott: "What are you doing down here?" Prescott said: "I don't know as it's any of your business." Faxon retorted, witness stated: "By — you're fuller than any cesspool ever thought of being!"

Herbert T. Whitman, in the civil engineering and real estate business, corroborated Chubbuck, and said Mr. Faxon told Mr. Prescott he (Prescott) was not doing his work satisfactorily. In the house, witness said, Faxon told Prescott he was "robbing the public," and that he went to a cesspool, took one load and charged for several. Witness did not hear Faxon tell Prescott he was fuller than any cesspool. In July, 1902, witness asserted, Mr. Faxon said words to the effect that Prescott was incompetent of administering the business of city scavenger.

Charles F. Knowlton, commissioner of public works, testified that during the last of July or first of August 1902 he met Mr. Faxon in front of the Adams building, and the latter said that the dumps were not handled properly, were in a filthy condition and that Prescott was incompetent. Witness said Mr. Faxon used words substantially to the effect that Prescott was maintaining a nuisance.

Andrew A. Meyer, investment broker and ex-Councilman, testified that he had been advised to be cautious with Prescott; Mr. Faxon told him he was a heavy drinking man.

BIRD CARNIVAL.

Given by the Children at the Quincy Point Church.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Washington street Congregational church opened their annual Fair Tuesday evening. The vestry was very prettily decorated with festoons of crepe paper. The booths were arranged along the sides of the vestry and were in charge of the following ladies:

Household, —Mrs. T. B. Pollard, Mrs. R. H. Newcomb and Mrs. Holman.

Candy,— Mrs. L. H. Turner, Miss Etta Lapham, Mrs. Herbert Adams.

Toy,— Mrs. Eaves, Mrs. H. A. Seller Mrs. Grant.

Fancy,—Mrs. C. W. Newcomb, Mrs. M. E. Wight, Mrs. George K. Carter, Miss K. Starbuck.

Apron,—Mrs. Damon, Mrs. Samuel Hayden, Mrs. Sherburne, Mrs. D. Higgins.

The entertainment was given by the children who represented the birds of the different seasons. They were assisted by Mrs. E. C. Page who took the part of "The Summer Girl."

Much credit is due Mrs. Page and Mrs. Selleck who had charge of the affair.

NO APPROPRIATION.

For a Channel to the Clubhouse at Houghs Neck.

The Quincy Yacht club bill for an appropriation to dredge the channel in front of the club house at Houghs Neck will not come before the Legislature this year. The bill was introduced in the Senate which promptly suspended the rules so as to admit it.

Tuesday a hearing was held before the House Committee on Rules, but it availed nothing, as the committee refused to suspend the rule that the bill might be admitted.

It is not believed an appropriation would have got by the Governor this year, even if the bill had been admitted. Next year the petition will probably go in early in the session.

Why They Prosper.

Boston, Mass., March 1, 1904.
Editors of the Daily Ledger:

Dear Sirs:—There are several ways by which a man engaged in expert advertising may determine the value of mediums of publicity that will pay him best, meaning by that a choice of newspapers, for there is really no other method that gives such a large return for the money invested.

With that in mind I am writing you in acknowledgement of a notice of our new program that you printed in The Ledger recently, as I think the advertising patrons of your excellent newspaper would be pleased to know that from every quarter of the State—and even from some of the others—have come requests for copies of the program, and frequent mention is made of the fact that the notice was read in The Ledger.

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Keith's Theatre, Boston.

Winter Has No Equal.

The Boston weather bureau reports a total snowfall this winter to date, of 66 inches. The storm of Tuesday was the 32d of the season. During the past four months there has been a deficiency of 20 degrees, that is below the average. The bureau says: The cold of this winter, for duration and intensity, has no equal in the official records.

Postmaster Under Fire.

A Washington dispatch to the Herald says inspectors of the postoffice department have recommended the removal of Elbridge Nash from the office of postmaster at South Weymouth, Mass., on the charge that he failed to report to the inspector of the New England postal district an alleged embezzlement of the funds of the South Weymouth office.

TODAY'S COURT.

James Mathews was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Saturday.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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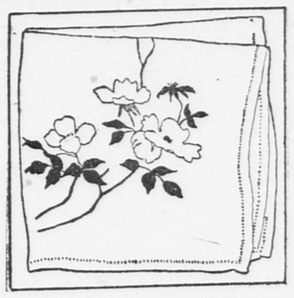
☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

A FANCY IN TABLE LINEN.

A Wild Rose Luncheon Set of Doilies For a Country House.

This set consists of a thirty-four inch square center, doilies for use under plates and the lap serviettes. Doilies and serviettes are sixteen inches square, of coarse unbleached Russian crash. They are a pretty fad for a country house wild rose luncheon, according to a Good Housekeeping writer, who tells how they are made. The square mat is used in the center, and on it are placed the epergne and vases of wild roses.

The stitchery is in solid Kensington work in blendings of rose pinks, from the most delicate shades in the blooms to the deepest, with foliage in the shades of olive and with its leaflets in the palest. The stems are shaded, beginning nearest the blooms with the lightest and graduating into the deepest olives, with here and there a touch of brown, with the same reddish brown used for the thorns. The buds are of the deepest shades of pink with raised stuffed calyx; the centers are of



CORNER OF WILD ROSE DOILY.

greenish yellow, orange and deep pink mixed in French knot stitch. Solid Kensington shaded work is used in the stitchery throughout the design and is sometimes called long and short stitch in gradation of color, for the stitches are not of equal length, but are worked into one another or between them.

The worker adapts, as a matter of course, the length of the stitch to the work to be done, directing it also according to the form to be expressed, and so arrives almost before she is aware of it (by way of satin stitch) at what is called plumage stitch. If this work is wrought entirely on an embroidery frame it can be done in split stitch, in which the needle is brought up through the foregoing stitch and splits it. The edges have a three-fourths hem, hemstitched for the centerpiece, and one-fourth inch for the doilies and serviettes, and each varies in its arrangement of the wild rose design, thrown on carelessly in one corner of the small piece and the four corners of the large one. All are designed to be used on a polished table without cloth.

A Good Dessert.

Acid apples and rice or pineapples with rice make an excellent Lenten dessert. Put a pint of milk over the fire to boil. In this cook three large tablespoonfuls of rice and half a teaspoonful of salt for twenty minutes, stirring with a fork several times. Take it up, add a heaping spoonful of butter and arrange the rice in a pudding mold with a layer of cooked rice and a layer of the fruit quartered and cooked tender alternating. If pineapples are used cook them five minutes in their own juice and then arrange them in layers with the cooked rice. Cover each pudding closely and steam it an hour and a half in a kettle of water reaching to about two-thirds of the height of the mold the pudding is cooked in. Serve this with a cream sauce made of a pint of milk boiled in a saucepan, then removed from the fire and cooled a little. Stir in two eggs with a tablespoonful of flour, three tablespoonfuls of sugar and flavoring.

A Tempting Pudding.

An attractive pudding illustrated by Table Talk is simply made. Butter very thoroughly a tall crimpled mold and sprinkle the bottom and sides with grated cocoanut, using the fresh nut rather than the desiccated article, if possible. Crumble rather fine a stale sponge or cup cake. Fill the mold almost to the top with alternate layers of



ORANGE AND COCOANUT PUDDING.

cake, cocoanut and sliced or pulped oranges. Beat well four eggs, add pint of milk, a pinch of salt and three tablespoonfuls of sugar. Baste this slowly over the mixture in the mold and let stand for ten or fifteen minutes that the cake may absorb the custard. Steam for from forty-five minutes to an hour, according to size, and garnish with sections of oranges and whipped cream.

How to Wash Flannels.

Flannels should be washed in warm suds that has a little ammonia added to it. They should be rubbed between the hands, not on a board, and dipped up and down in the suds until they are free from dirt. Squeeze them with the hands until as much water as possible is removed and rinse them in water of the same temperature as that in which they were washed. Wring out again, hang them up to dry and press on the wrong side while they are still damp.

RUSSIA'S HOLY SEA.

LAKE BAIKAL AS AN OBSTACLE TO THE CZAR'S SUCCESS.

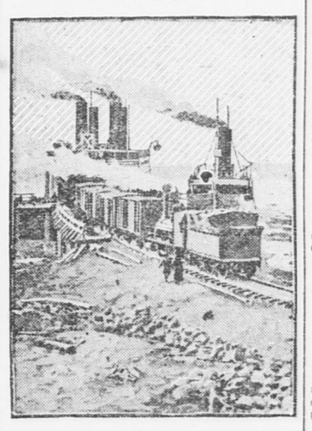
It Cuts the Transsiberian Railway In Two Parts—How It Is Crossed In Summer and In Winter—Miles of Ice a Serious Barrier.

An interesting phase of the war in the far east, both to military men and the public generally, is the enormous task that confronts Russia in maintaining the integrity of her line of communication across the continent of Asia and Lake Baikal. The conduct of military operations, with only a single track of railroad to connect the seat of war with the main base of supplies thousands of miles away, is unprecedented in warfare, and it is not impossible that the road will prove insufficient when the pinch comes.

It is at Lake Baikal, the holy sea, that the Russians are at present experiencing the greatest trouble. This great body of water, situated about 3,500 miles from Moscow and 1,500 from Vladivostok, is one of the largest fresh water lakes in the world, being exceeded in size only by the three largest American lakes and Victoria Nyanza. It is 390 miles long and from 20 to 50 wide and is situated in southern Siberia on the line of the Transsiberian road, which it breaks. A line is being built around the south shore of the lake; but, as the distance is several hundred miles and the lake is surrounded by mountains, this probably will not be completed until the Russo-Japanese war has passed into history.

The gap in the road caused by the lake is thirty-seven miles wide, and in summer this is overcome by the use of huge ferryboats which transport entire trains across it. From November to April, however, the lake is frozen to a depth of four to nine feet, and traffic is carried on over the ice. Rails are laid across the frozen surface, and trains are hauled over by engines. The ice is frequently broken by crevasses, which often delay traffic for days, until the crevasses are frozen sufficiently solid to bear the weight of a train.

For some unexplained reason it appears that the rails have not yet been laid across the ice, as a recent dispatch says that a detachment of troops was frozen to death while crossing the lake. The soldiers are transported on the Transsiberian railroad in box cars fitted with bunks, and it is probable that in



HOW TRAINS ARE FERRIED OVER LAKE BAIKAL IN SUMMER.

the hurry to dispatch them to Manchuria many have been marched across the ice. The battalion reported to have been frozen was doubtless overwhelmed by one of the blizzards for which the lake is noted.

During the late fall and early spring one of the huge ice breakers built by Vice Admiral Makaroff is used to smash a channel across the lake for the railway transports. This ice breaker is a mammoth steamer nearly 400 feet long, which runs its great bow upon the ice and breaks it down. By means of a clever hydraulic device many tons of water ballast are shifted in a few moments from stern to stem, adding to the weight of the ice crushing bow.

An English engineer who recently passed over the Transsiberian road says that it was poorly constructed from the start. Instead of being a well built, safe and serviceable track the greater part of it is a dangerous makeshift. The rails are light, and the ties are too far apart to bear heavy traffic. The rails are only twenty feet long and usually rest on three ties. In laying the ties the workmen simply cut down the trees as they went along, splitting the logs and laying the rounded side up. The rails are insecurely spiked to the ties, and the fishplates at the joints are inadequately riveted.

Any attempt to convey a large body of troops over the road in a hurry, says this authority, would be an impossibility. In the first place, the trains cannot consist of more than four or five cars because of the character of the track, and for the same reason a speed of more than twenty miles an hour is not attainable.

Besides these drawbacks to transportation it is said that in the section gangs of Chinese coolies along the road were many disguised Japanese and that they have distributed explosives along the road, ready to be set off at the proper time.

A good sized ship will carry from 300 to 600 car loads. Imagine, then, a string of several hundred cars standing empty at the eastern terminus of the Transsiberian railroad and then making their way back over thousands of miles for more supplies on a single track road. It is a journey of weeks to get to the Pacific and weeks to get back. Meanwhile Japan with a couple of ships can put the same amount of supplies where she needs them in two days.

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TO LET—Wollaston, near station, *Modern* House, 9 rooms, bath, set tubs, furnace, range, cemented cellar, open fireplace, hard floors, electric lights. Rent reasonable. Possession April 1st. Address or apply EDWARD B. MARSH, 41 Irving place, Quincy. Feb. 15. tf

TO LET—Stable, 3 stalls, large loft, water, 198 Washington street. Apply C. W. GAREY, M. D., 1247 Hancock street. Quincy, Jan. 30. tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

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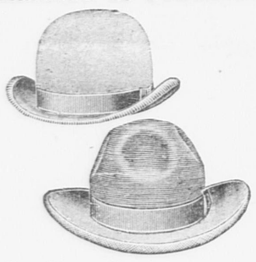
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FAXON'S SIDE

Opened in Superior Court at Dedham.

Ex-Mayor Porter was a Witness

Also Dr. Abbott of State Board of Health.

The plaintiff in the celebrated suit of Charles L. Prescott against Henry H. Faxon rested Wednesday, and the defence began to put in its case.

At the morning hearing the Herald reports the testimony as follows: William Savage of Quincy testified that during the summer of 1902 he had heard Faxon running Prescott down as to the latter's work. Witness said he heard Faxon tell Prescott the latter was incompetent, that he was robbing the public and was "removing one load and charging for three."

Thomas Shea of Quincy testified that he worked for Prescott in 1902. In August of that year witness had a talk with Faxon, who said that "horses who couldn't take a load up there ought to be killed, and that was the kind of horses Prescott had."

On cross-examination witness admitted that he drank some when at work.

James Ryan of Quincy, an employe of Prescott, testified that in the summer of 1902, during a conversation with Faxon, the latter said: "Where did you get that load?" and something about charging for more.

The opening for the defence was made by John W. McAnarney, senior counsel. Charlis H. Porter, ex-mayor of Quincy, member of the state board of health and chairman of the civil service commission, testified that in July, 1902, he visited the dump on Quincy avenue at the request of the defendant. The dump was one used by the plaintiff as city scavenger. Witness said he found the platforms broken, and that no loam or chemicals had been used and that no care had been taken of the dump. The odors, he said, were nauseating.

Dr. Frederick L. Jones of Quincy, one of the medical examiners for Norfolk county and former secretary of the city's board of health, testified as to visits to the Quincy avenue dump. On one of these occasions Faxon was with him. There was a stream of matter running down the valley and the odor was strong.

Dr. Samuel W. Abbott of Boston, secretary of the state board of health testified as an expert on the effect of dumps on the condition of the public health, and, in answer to hypothetical questions, gave his opinion of the dump on Quincy avenue in its bearings on the public health.

Joseph L. Whiton, Jr., a member of the Quincy city council, corroborated previous witnesses.

Dr. Thomas J. Dion, secretary of the present Board of Health, was called during the day but did not answer to his name, although he had been summoned. The court ordered him defaulted and issued a capias to have him brought into court today.

Quincy Point Fair.

The second day of the fair at the Point church opened at 3 P. M. for the sale of useful and fancy articles, cake and candy. At 6.30 a pie supper was served. The entertainment began at 8 o'clock, when the audience was privileged to hear for the second time, Mr. Henry Austin Sellar of Everett. His readings were full of wit and humor, and were received with hearty applause. By request he repeated a few of the selections which he gave at an entertainment early in the winter.

Mrs. Eugene C. Page rendered several soprano solo which delighted her hearers. Miss Sara M. Kelly presided at the piano.

Tonight will be the third and last night of the fair and those who attend will enjoy a fine musical treat.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

LEADERS GAIN.

Each Win Three Straight in Old Colony League.

The East Weymouth Bowling team visited Quincy Wednesday evening and were defeated three straight by Quincy at the Granite street alleys. Smith was high in single 103, Ferris high man of night, 274, and Smith was high for Weymouth, 269.

QUINCYS.

	1	2	3	Total
Ferris,	88	96	90	274
Grant,	96	78	91	265
Nash,	82	88	75	245
Moorehead,	87	87	86	260
White,	86	71	85	242
Totals,	439	420	427	1236

EAST WEYMOUTHS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Flannery,	80	89	79	248
Newcomb,	80	74	68	222
Farrar,	85	78	91	244
Welch,	87	80	79	246
Smith,	103	81	85	269
Totals,	435	402	392	1229

At Weymouth.

The Quincy Points were defeated three straight at Weymouth. Weymouth rolled over 1,300, Connell was high man getting 283. Dunn was high man for Quincy Points, getting 248. Connell got best singles, rolling 99.

WEYMOUTHS.

	1	2	3	Total
Burrell,	83	81	83	247
Peleran,	85	90	70	245
Turner,	93	92	95	280
Glover,	84	83	92	259
Connell,	99	95	88	283
Totals,	444	442	428	1314

QUINCY POINTS.

	1	2	3	Total
Dunn,	78	84	86	248
Porter,	74	75	79	228
McDonnell,	83	81	70	234
Lyons,	76	77	75	228
Flynn,	89	70	78	237
Total's,	400	387	388	1179

League Standing.

The standing to date:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Quincys	51	42	9	82
Weymouths	51	29	22	56
East Weymouths	51	19	32	40
Quincy Points	51	12	39	22

The Magazines.

The news of the war between Russia and Japan has been so voluminously reported, and with so many contradictions, that it is a relief to turn to the editorial statement which is presented in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for March, which in graphic, discriminating style, carries the reader through the mass of reports and rumors and lands him safely in the few but intensely interesting facts. This record is copiously illustrated, and is supplemented by two descriptive articles on the men who are "doing things" for both Russia and Japan.

Fire at Wollaston.

The alarm from Box 56 at 4.28 Wednesday afternoon called the department to a fire in the house of John Tabb at 200 Beale street. The fire started from some unknown cause in the attic of the L and before it was extinushed it worked down through the floor to the lower rooms. The damage will amonnt to $300.

Prominent in Odd Fellows.

Osmer B. Plummer, who conducted a grocery store on Hancock street, Wollaston, for several years, died Wednesday evening at his home on Wollaston avenue of pneumonia, after an illness of a few days' duration. He was a member of John Hancock lodge of Odd Fellows, Manet Encampment, George L. Gill Rebekah lodge and Canton Shawmut, P. M. He leaves a widow.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Were there any births in Quincy this year on the leap year date—Feb. 29?

STATE CONTROL.

A Good Case Relative to the Quincy Point Bridge.

The Committee on Roads and Bridges of the Legislature gave a hearing Wednesday on three bills almost identical in purpose, for legislation to give the Massachusetts Highway commission the custody of the bridge over Weymouth Fore River between Quincy and Weymouth.

Quincy was represented by Mayor Bryant, City Solicitor Blackmur and Commissioner Knowlton. County Commissioners James Hewin and Marshall P. Wright were present, also Representative Barnes of Weymouth, the selectmen of Weymouth and Hingham, ex-Representative F. E. Badger and others. The Weymouth selectmen being represented by Albert P. Worthen, Esq. All of these parties present to favor the proposition. In fact there was no opposition whatever.

Representative Freeman first addressed the committee, and introduced City Solicitor Blackmur who conducted the case for the petitioners.

Mr. Blackmur gave a history of legislation from the building of the first bridge in 1812 to date, and the different commissions who had been in control. He contended that though there had been a commission appointed to apportion the cost of the new bridge, that it would be impossible for it to determine with any degree of accuracy the localities which would be specially benefitted by reason of the great travel and the increasing facilities for travelling.

Ten years ago, he said, the bicycle greatly increased the area benefitted by the bridge, and now the automobile and great improvements in trolley systems had more than doubled the area over ten years ago.

But beyond all this is the expense of operating the bridge, which has been increased three fold or more by reason of a 100-foot draw in the new bridge maintained solely for the benefit of a corporation of National importance which is located on the river to the great advantage to the State of Massachusetts and protection of Boston harbor and the seacoast of New England.

Massachusetts has been enormously benefitted by reason of these works, and should assume at least the cost of maintenance, where others pay the cost of construction, which amounted to $96,000 to $97,000.

County Commissoner Hewin heartily favored State maintenance, for the reasons given, and cited an instance of the State contributing $25,000 within two years toward a bridge over the Merrimac at Newburyport.

The committee were free to admit that the petitioners had put in a strong case, but told them it would establish a precedent, which was questionable. They intimated a desire to confer with Massachusetts Highway commission, and continued the hearing to a later date.

Surprise Party.

Miss Irene D. Williams was tendered a surprise party Wednesday evening at her home 207 Liberty street by a number of her schoolmates. The evening was passed in a pleasant manner with the usual party games.

Refreshments were served and the young people closed the evening with singing patriotic songs.

During the evening Theodore Turner with a few pleasing remarks presented the hostess with a pair of slippers. Miss William in responding thanked them for their pleasing gift.

Among those present were:

Blanche Picard, Jennie McLennon, Elsie McLennon, Violet Robertson, Mamie Robertson, Helen Cummings, Margaret McLeod, Mary Lecont, Annie Cummings, Minnie Miller, Maud Copeland, Florence Hennisee, Gladis Moorehouse, Flora Thompson, Evelin Cowe, Bertram Gillis, Minnie Giles, Bertrice Moodie.

Maurice Esson, Willie Michael, Theodore Turner, Leo Brault, Arthur Brault, Willie Robertson, Frank Stronach, Ernest Howie, Chester Birnie.

TODAY'S COURT.

John O'Donovan, Anthony Mullen and Richard Sullivan were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

James F. Boyle was arraigned for drunkenness at Randolph. Case continued one month.

Dennis F. Whalen was fined $5 for drunkenness at Randolph.

Eddie F. Hand and Patrick F. Hand were sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Randolph.

NEW TRIAL

In Suit of Martel vs. White and Others.

Declared an Illegal Combination.

Liable for Damages to Business of Plaintiff.

After many months of consideration the Supreme court on Wednesday handed down its finding in the case of Fred Martell of Quincy against James N. White and other members of the Granite Manufacturers' Association of Quincy.

The decision is a most important one and strikes at the fundamental principal of the association.

The case was a suit for $10,000 for loss of his business in 1899 because of the means employed by the association against him.

Martell was a quarry owner, and was doing quite a business. He was not a member of the association. The Association fined several members from $20 to $100 for doing business with him.

The result was that his business fell off and he was practically forced out of business.

The original parties in the suit were James N. White, Tobias Burke, Walter Fegan, Patrick T. Fitzgerald, Harry S. Nicol, Alexander Marneck, Henry Hardwick and John Q. A. Field.

The case was heard in the Superior court which found for the defendants. The case was taken up on exceptions. The supreme court has held the case since December, 1902.

The opinion, written by Judge Hammond, is by a divided court, the majority deciding for the plaintiff. The result is that there will be a new trial.

The decision in part was as follows: "Nothing need be said in support of the general right to compete. To what extent combination may be allowed in competition is a matter about which there is as yet much conflict, but is possible that, in a more advanced stage of the discussion the day may come when it will be more clearly seen and will more distinctly appear in the adjudication of the courts than as yet has been the case, the proposition what was one man lawfully can do any number of men acting together by combined agreement lawfully may do, is to be received with newly disclosed qualifications arising out of the changed conditions of civilized life and of the increased facility and power of organized combination, and that the difference between the power of individuals acting each according to his own preference and that of an organized and extensive combination may be so great in its effect upon public and private interests as to cease to be simply one of degree and to reach the dignity of a difference of kind.

"Speaking generally, however, competition in business is permitted, although frequently disastrous to those engaged in it. It is always selfish, often sharp, and sometimes deadly. The fact therefore that the plaintiff was vanquished is not enough, provided that the contest was carried on within the rules allowable in such warfare.

"It is a right, however, which is to be exercised with reference to the existence of a similar right on the part of others. The trader has not a free lance. He may fight, but as a soldier, not as a guerilla. The right of competition rests upon the doctrine that the interests of the great public are best subserved by permitting the general and natural laws of business to have their full and free operation, and that this end is best attained when the trader is allowed in his business to make free use of these laws.

"He may praise his wares, may offer more advantageous terms than his rival, may sell at less than cost, or, in the words of Bowen, L. J., in the Mogul steamship case, may adopt the expedient of sowing one year a crop of apparently unfruitful prices in order by driving competition away to realize a fuller harvest of profit in the future. In these and many other obvious ways he may secure the customers of his rival and build up his own business to the destruction of that of others, and so long as he keeps within the operation of the laws of trade his justification is complete.

"But from the very nature of the case it is manifest that the right of competition furnishes no justification for an act done by the use of means which in their nature are in violation of the principle upon which it rests. The weapons used by the trader who relies upon this right for justification must be those furnished by the laws of trade, or at least must not be inconsistent with their free operation.

"No man can justify an interference with another man's business through fraud or misrepresentation nor by intimidation, obstruction or molestation. In the case before us the members of the association were to be held to the policy of refusing to trade with the plaintiff by the imposition of heavy fines, or in other words they were coerced by actual or threatening injury to their property.

"In view of the considerations upon which the right of competition is based, we are of the opinion that, as against the plaintiff, the defendants have failed to show that the coercion or intimidation of the plaintiff's customers by means of a fine is justified by the law of competition. The ground of the justification is not broad enough to cover the acts of interference in their entirety, and the interference being injurious an unjustifiable, is unlawful.

"We do not mean to be understood as saying that a fine is of itself necessarily or even generally an illegal implement. In many cases it is so slight as not to be coercive in its nature; in many it serves a useful purpose to call the attention of a member of an organization to the fact of an infraction of some innocent regulation; and in many it serves as an extra incentive to the performance of some absolute duty or the assertion of some absolute right.

"But where, as in the case before us, the fine is so large as to amount to moral intimidation or coercion, and is used as a means to enforce a right not absolute in its nature but conditional, and is inconsistent with those conditions upon which the right rests, then the coercion becomes unjustifiable and taints with illegality the act.

In the opinion of the majority of the court the case should have been submitted to the jury.

Bartlett & Anderson; J. E. Cotter and J. W. McAnarney.

Prof. Baldwin.

Prof. Edwin Thomas Baldwin of Manchester, N. H., father of Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick of this city, died Wednesday after an illness of several weeks. Death had been momentarily expected for two days. He was in his 72d year and a noted musician, taking naturally to all kinds of instruments. Before fifteen years of age he was playing a cornet in the Nashua band. He entered the Civil war as a private and was leader of Baldwin's band which escorted the First New Hampshire regiment to the front. Later he was interested in choral societies, church music, sale of pianos, etc.

RUSSIA'S MINISTER OF WAR.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Office of the Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners.

State House, Boston, Feb. 29, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Wollaston Yacht Club of Quincy, has made application to this Board for license to build and maintain a pile wharf and floats in Quincy Bay in the city of Quincy, as per plans filed with said application; and WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of March, 1904, at 11 o'clock A. M., and this office, have been assigned as the time and place for hearing all parties interested therein.

For the Board,
WOODWARD EMERY, Chairman.

March 3. 1t

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Of E. SELLBERG will be sold from residence 49 Arthur Street, West Quincy, on

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The goods consist in part as follows: 4 Plush Chairs, nearly new, Bed Lounge, 3 Rockers, 4 large Rugs, 5 Oak Chairs, Oak Extension Table, nearly new, 10 Pictures, Wool Carpet, Table, Clock, 4 Lamps, Oil Stove, Folding Bed, Curtains, Couch, Refrigerator, Chamber Set, 8 pieces, Lot Dishes, Range, Wash Tubs and Bench, and a variety of goods.

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

One year of license was enough for most of the Vermont cities and towns.

Governor Bates of Massachusetts will not succeed Secretary Moody in the president's cabinet. He thinks it would be demotion instead of promotion.

The conviction of the post office thieves at Washington has made Gen. Bristow one of the most popular men in the Republican party. What will we have?

A service pension bill is being pushed strongly in Congrees. It would provide pensions of $12 a month and cost $20,000,000 a year. The Grand Army is vigorously behind it.

Very little money is now needed in Quincy for the enforcement of the liquor laws. Mayor Bryant in his estimates this year thinks $500 enough. This is less than two cents per capita.

A conspiracy has been discovered having for its object the sale of the Rosebud Indian Lands in South Dakota aggregating 416,000 acres, at $2 or $3 and acre, when they are worth $7 to $10 an acre. The President promises to prevent the robbery if he can.

There seems to be a growing sentiment in the United States for the restoration of the whipping-post for wife-beating and other offences which free board in a public institution does not seem to abolish. Some state might try it in the interest of collective civilization.

Start the water in the streets, Mr. Commissioner, especially near City Square where there is the most travel. Water will soon make its own channel if given a little start. The gutter on the east side of Hancock street between Granite street and the brook near Cottage avenue has not been in use for two months.

That was a pretty compliment which Mr. M. J. Keating, the press agent at Keith's theatre paid to the Daily Ledger. Mr. Keating is a newspaper man of long experience, and his work for this theatre has contributed as much to its success as have the artists on the stage. No theatre in Boston is so popular with newspaper men as Keith's and this friendship has a commercial value.

Quite a fleet of large boats have now been launched by the Fore River Ship & Engine Co., the United States cruiser Des Moines, the torpedo boat destroyers Lawrence and Macdonough, the seven masted schooner Thomas W. Lawson, the six-masted schooner William L. Douglas, the propeller "Boston" for the Fall River line, several large car floats for New York harbor, and a Light-ship No. 72. And more are on the ways.

There does not seem to be any great call for 12-ride books between Quincy and Boston on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R.R. For those methodical people who desire to expend just so much per week, it might be a slight advantage, but it is some bother to purchase a ticket each week. Now a 25-ride ticket lasts two weeks, and the cash required is not prohibitive, even to the smallest wage earners.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Charles M. Schwab finds himself with a spurious Rembrandt portrait on his hands, for which he paid 200,000 francs. The ex-steel magnate had hired two experts to examine the picture before he invested in it; the only trouble was the seller of the picture had hired them also. The picture will probably be placed carefully away with Mr. Schwab's pile of Shipbuilding common. The incident has caused considerable regret among people who have had business dealings with Mr. Schwab, most of them feeling exceedingly sorry that the possessor of the portrait did not pay more.—Springfield Union.

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LIVES SACRIFICED

Collapse of Building Skeleton Known to Be Unsafe

FOURTEEN WERE KILLED

New York Building Department Had Repeatedly Warned Contractors and Owners of the Property Without Result

New York, March 3.—Fourteen persons are believed to have been killed, of whom the bodies of only five have been recovered, about a score injured and several are missing through the collapse of the steel skeleton of the Hotel Darlington, a 13-story apartment house in course of erection on West Forty-Sixth street.

The steel framework had been erected as far as the 11th floor and the structure was swarming with iron-workers, masons and laborers, when, without an instant's warning, the upper floor sagged and collapsed, and the whole structure fell with a crash that shook all the buildings in the vicinity. A portion of the steel frame fell upon the rear of the Hotel Patterson, on West Forty-Seventh street, crushing in the walls of the dining room and killing Mrs. Ella L. Storrs as she was sitting at luncheon with the wife of Rev. Dr. Minot J. Savage.

Among those missing is Frank J. Allison of the Allison Realty company, the builders of the hotel, who is known to have been in the building when it fell. Efforts to recover the bodies of the dead and rescue those imprisoned in the wreck were begun by the firemen immediately after the crash. Owing to the enormous mass of metal wreckage days may elapse before all the bodies are recovered.

The cause of the disaster generally accepted is the overloading of the floors. Foreman Halpin, in charge of the iron-workers, stated that there was a large quantity of cement and other building material on the fifth floor, and that on the ninth floor were 83 iron beams which were to have been used in constructing the remaining floors of the building.

That criminal carelessness is chargeable to somebody is shown by the fact that the building department had placed repeated "violations" against the building, the last one being filed yesterday at the instance of Inspector French, because "the side walls were more than two stories in advance of the front walls, and the floor beams were not properly bolted and tied." In spite of this and previous warnings, those responsible for the construction of the building went ahead regardless of consequences.

Adjoining the collapsed building on the west is the four-story brownstone residence of Harold Brown. Some of the huge iron beams struck the side of the house and stove holes in the wall and roof, and dislodged a part of the brownstone front, which was thrown to the street. The occupants escaped uninjured.

On the east side is a house occupied by A. W. Cragie as a school for boys. The pupils had gone home to luncheon a few minutes before the crash occurred. Some of the beams struck the house, tearing off a portion of the roof and smashing holes in the side walls.

The Hotel Patterson was shaken to its foundations and the rear fire escapes on seven stories were torn from their fastenings and all the windows on these floors were smashed. The occupants of these apartments hastily quitted the building. Rev. Dr. Savage was ill in his apartments in the front of the hotel at the time of the collapse.

Records of the building department show that from the beginning to the end there has been a constant contest between the building department and the Allison Realty company, the contractors and owners of the property. Amendment after amendment to the plans were filed, and the engineers of the building department time and time again disapproved of the suggestions made for the betterment both by the owners and the architects.

Whitney Estate $11,000,000

Mineola, L. I., March 3.—Harry P. Whitney, executor of the late William C. Whitney, has filed a provisional estimate of the value of his father's estate liable to taxation in this state, fixing the value of real estate at $1,000,000 and that of the personal estate at $10,000,000.

Called Home by Castro

Washington, March 3.—General Hernandez, the Venezuelan minister to this country, has received notice that President Castro desires him to return home for a conference "upon certain matters which it is easier to talk about than to write about."

Conspiracy Not Proven

Cripple Creek, Col., March 3.—The jury in the conspiracy case against Sherman Parker and Thomas Foster, Miners' union leaders, who were charged with conspiring to wreck a passenger train, last night rendered a verdict of not guilty.

Guam Governor Seriously Sick

Vallejo, Cal., March 3.—Commander W. F. Sewell, U. S. N., who has been the governor of Guam since August, 1902, has arrived at the Mare Island navy yard on the U. S. S. Supply. He is critically ill and was taken to the hospital.

DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL

Three Soldiers Dead and Two Others Are Dying

New London, Conn., March 3.—Corporal Thomas O'Brien, Private Morris O'Connor and Private John Reynolds, members of the coast artillery, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Terry, are dead, and Private John Walsh and Private William Harrigan are confined to the military hospital at the post in a precarious condition. The men were poisoned by drinking wood alcohol. The proprietor of the military barber shop, at which place the men secured the stuff, is under arrest pending an investigation. O'Brien's home is in Westerly, R. I., the parents of Reynolds reside either in Beverly or Salem, Mass., and O'Conner is said to have relatives at Fall River, Mass.

According to the story told by a non-commissioned officer, O'Brien, O'Connor, Reynolds, Harrigan and Walsh obtained a quantity of liquor in some manner unknown to the officers at the post, and after it had been drunk the men desired to get another supply. They visited Piskell's barber shop to secure a quantity of alcohol. Piskell told the soldiers that wood alcohol was deadly poison.

The soldiers seemed to take this information as a joke and later managed to secure a quantity of the poison. They all drank of the liquid, with the result noted above.

Harrigan's condition indicates that death is a question of a few hours and the physicians have given up hope of saving Walsh.

Highwaymen Held Up Car

Clinton, Mass., March 3.—Two masked men held up a car on the Worcester Consolidated railway at South Lancaster last night. The highwaymen were armed, and the 20 passengers in the car were terrified. H. I. Sauler knocked one of the highwaymen off the car and a brief fight followed, during which the highwaymen fired two shots, but no one was hit. The highwaymen then made their escape.

Concessions Not Satisfactory

Clinton, Mass., March 3.—Although the contractors have made two concessions to the striking Italians on the south dike of the Machusetts reservoir, the parties split on the wage question, the strikers refusing to accept an offer of 15 cents an hour for 10 hours a day and demanding $1.50 for a nine-hour day.

Lost Arm In Sawmill

Barre, Mass., March 3.—James McManus, Jr., 40, employed as a worker at a steam sawmill, got a mitten caught in such a way that his right arm was drawn against a large circular saw and severed at the elbow. The man lost much blood, making his condition serious.

Refuse to Increase Wages

Fall River, Mass., March 3.—The Master Builders' association last night refused to accede to the demands of the carpenters for an increase of 25 cents a day because an eight-hour day was granted last year.

Hanna, Trusts and Unionism

Cleveland, March 3.—At the weekly meeting of the United Trades and Labor council here last night resolutions eulogistic to the late Senator Hanna were not adopted. In the discussion which followed the offering of the resolutions there were several speeches in which it was stated that Hanna was a friend to the trusts and that the trusts are the enemy to the workingman.

Embezzlers of Bank Funds

Freehold, N. J., March 3.—President Twining and Treasurer Connell of the wrecked Monmouth Trust company of Asbury Park were found guilty on indictments charging them with presenting false minutes to the state banking department and with embezzling $30,000 of the trust company's funds.

Admits Embezzlement

Cincinnati, March 3.—Frederick Tateman, late treasurer of the National Woodworkers' union, arrested in Denver on a charge of embezzlement, has been brought here. He admits his guilt and explains that he lost most of the money in pool rooms. He is charged with embezzling $3740.

Friendly Scuffle Caused Death

Kansas City, March 3.—Molden Hurt, an attorney of this city, died as the result of an injury received in a Turkish bathroom. Hurt engaged in a friendly scuffle with a companion and accidentally fell against a glass door. The glass cut his throat in two places.

Great Ice Floes Moving

St. Johns, March 3.—The heaviest Arctic ice floes of many years are now drifting south over the Grand Banks and blocking the entire eastern seaboard of Newfoundland. It is now almost impossible to leave or enter this port.

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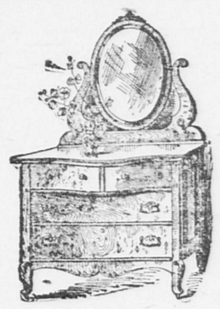
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Mormon Church President Believes In Polygamy

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Smoot Protestants Will Try to Show That President Smith and "Twelve Apostles" Form a Propaganda of Polygamy

Washington, March 3.—An effort to air the innermost secrets of the Mormon faith was manifested in the first day's proceedings before the senate committee on privileges and elections, which is investigating the protests against Reed Smoot retaining his seat as a senator from Utah.

The attorneys for the defense are A. S. Worthington of this city and Waldemar VanCott of Sale Lake. John G. Carlisle, former secretary of the treasury, and Robert W. Tayler, former representative in congress and the attorney who prosecuted the successful contest against Brigham Roberts retaining his seat in congress, on the ground of his having violated the anti-polygamy law, are the counsel for the protestants.

President Joseph D. Smith, the highest official of the church, was on the stand all day. He was questioned closely in regard to the principles of divine revelations. He said he adhered absolutely to all the preachings of the church in that regard and that he himself had been visited with divine inspirations from God directing him as to details in matters pertaining to the welfare of the church, though no angels had come to him as in the case of the revelation to his uncle, Joseph Smith, Jr., the founder of the church.

He subscribed to the standard of authority for the church in relation to the revelation commanding polygamy as made known to the first president in a visit from "an angel in black." He also said that he still believed in polygamy.

Mr. VanCott read from Tayler's statement that Smoot was not charged with any offense cognizable by law.

Mr. Tayler said that he was pursuing the line of inquiry set out in the protest against Smoot, to the effect that the president of the Mormon church and a majority of the 12 apostles were practicing polygamy. He referred to Smith as the daily associate and superior, in the church, of Smoot, and said Smith is the husband of five wives and believes still in the principles of polygamy.

"Do you expect to prove in that connection that the president and the 12 apostles form a propaganda of polygamy?" asked Mr. Beveridge.

"We do," said Mr. Tayler.

The testimony was directed in a slight degree only at Smoot, and no attempt was made by the defense to curtail the admission of testimony until President Smith was questioned in relation to polygamous cohabitation of certain officials of the church before the manifesto of 1890. The attorneys then objected and much time was devoted to the revelancy of such testimony.

The committee went into executive session, and, after a full discussion, determined to allow the utmost latitude to the hearings, which means that court practices will be avoided. The protestants said they regarded this as a victory for them. The committee will hear practically all the prosecution has to offer and determine for itself what is competent testimony. The committee will hold daily sessions.

Naval Boatswain Murdered

Pensacola, Fla., March 3.—Boatswain Divine, commanding officer of the naval tug Sebago, was assassinted last night at the Pensacola navy yard as he was going on board the vessel at the yard. He was struck from behind. A bluejacket named Gatts, a member of the Sebago's crew, has been arrested.

To Post Navy Department

Washington, March 3.—The navy department proposes to make an early and thorough investigation of the cost of producing armor plate, processes, etc., in European countries, and Rear Admiral O'Neil, chief of ordnance, has been ordered to proceed abroad and make investigation.

Blizzard In Full Swing

Marquette, Mich., March 3.—The most severe blizzard of the winter is raging in upper Michigan. Both train and wire service are demoralized.

Duluth, March 3.—Business is practically suspended in Duluth on account of the heavy storm. It is the worst of the winter.

An Alleged Check Raiser

Columbus, O., March 3.—Detectives from Cincinnati arrested Robert J. Knox here, on a warrant from Muncie, Ind., charging him with raising a check from $15 to $1500. Knox is said to be a noted forger and is said to be known also as R. E. Webster and R. E. Drake.

Elmer Dover Confined to Bed

Cleveland, March 3.—Elmer Dover, secretary of the Republican national committee, is ill and confined to his room here. The physicians do not believe that Dover's illness is serious, but he will be kept quiet for several days.

Dick Goes to the Senate

Columbus, O., March 3.—General Charles F. Dick was declared elected to the United States senate at the conclusion of the joint ballot of the two houses for both the short and long term.

THE SMITH MURDER

Evidence That Assassin Displayed Remarkable Nerve

Londonderry, N. H., March 3.—The Rockingham county officials announce that the man under suspicion in the Celia M. Smith murder case is Carl E. Brigham, aged 21. Brigham formerly worked on the farm adjoining that of John Marshall. A photographic description has been sent broadcast. Last week he called at the Marshall home and offered to manage the farm, but the offer was declined.

An investigation has confirmed the original theory of robbery and made plain the manner of the intruder's entry and exit, suggesting a familiarity, on the part of the murderer, with the premises. The assassin entered the house through the shed in the rear, mounted to the second floor by the back stairs and, making his way to a little entry-way in the hall near Mrs. Smith's room, was in the act of rifling a trunk when the aged woman appeared at the door of her chamber. Interrupted in his work, the robber sprang upon the woman, using as a weapon the chisel, or similar tool, which he had used to open the trunk. Seizing her by the throat to prevent an outcry, he slashed her five or six times in the face with the blade of the instrument and then, reversing the weapon, struck the woman three terrific blows with the handle of the tool, fracturing her skull and bearing her to the floor. The body was left as the woman fell across the threshold of her room. Stepping across her lifeless form, the robber entered the chamber and ransacked the bureau. He took the money from the pocketbook found in the trunk and passing down the back stairs went out through the shed, leaving a telltale smooch of blood on the doorjamb.

An Unsatisfactory Proceeding

Chicago, March 3.—The examination of witnesses in the case of Porter Bros.' company, the bankrupt fruit and produce concern, which involves more than $1,000,000, has ended. The taking of testimony in the case has dragged along for several months, the delays being occasioned principally in order that James S. Watson, president of the defunct company, might examine his books and give satisfactory testimony. When called to the stand yesterday Watson claimed he was unable to throw any new light on the matter, so it was agreed that the taking of further evidence was useless.

Revolution Still Smouldering

Manila, March 3.—Del Pilar, the leading spirit of the Caribao insurrection against Spain and the United States, who was exiled to Guam, but who returned and accepted the oath of allegiance, has joined the outlaws who are defying the authority of the government.

Washington, March 3.—General Wood reports to the war department that a rebel styling himself General Prym has issued a commission to Ricarte as lieutenant general of northern Luzon. Ricarte is an irreconcilable who has given much trouble.

Miners and Operators Disagree

Indianapolis, March 3.—At the joint scale committee meeting of the central competitive coal mining district the wage scale for the year beginning April 1 was taken up. The miners insist upon the present scale, with certain concessions. The operators demand a wage reduction of 15 percent. The committee adjourned last night without effecting an agreement. The counter-demand will be referred to a sub-scale committee, which will call the convention in the near future.

Columbian Exposition Windup

Chicago, March 3.—The accounts of the World's Columbian exposition of 1898 closed last evening with the payment of a final dividend of 4.65 percent to all of the 2000 stockholders. This payment makes a total of 14.65 percent in dividends paid on the capital stock. The entire amount disbursed in the final dividend was $256,000. All told, the local organization spent $26,000,000, and the national government and the different states $7,000,000.

Gil Coming to United States

San Juan, P. R., March 3.—Senor Wos y Gil, former, president of Santo Domingo, left here last night incognito on board a steamer for Havana. He will proceed to New York for the purpose of opposing General Sanchez, minister of foreign relations of the Morales government of Santo Domingo, in his efforts to secure from the United States further recognition of the Morales government.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Russell W. Davenport, one of the leading metallurgists of the country, died at Philadelphia of pneumonia, aged 55. He was an authority on the manufacture of steel for guns and armor plate.

The new rates for steerage passage between New York and Mediterranean ports, announced under the agreement recently reached by steamship lines to end the rate war, show a decided increase over those formerly in effect.

Secretary Taft has sent to congress an estimate of $8000 to provide a suitable foundation for Emperor William's statue of Frenerick the Great and to defray the expenses of the dedication next October.

By the will of Edward R. Lambert, offered for probate at Bridgeport, Conn., Yale university is given property worth $12,000 after the death of the persons having a life interest in it. If Yale does not accept the gift in five years it will go to Harvard.

Dr. Howard C. Russell of the United States marine hospital service died at the marine hospital, Stapleton, L. I., of pneumonia.

OLD-TIME FRIENDSHIP

Russia and United States to Have "Better Understanding"

St. Petersburg, March 3.—The Russian government earnestly desires the conservation of the ancient friendship between the United States and the empire. The belief is expressed here that the two countries are now on the eve of a better understanding of the points concerning which difference have existed. The campaign of recrimination which is progressing in a portion of the press of both countries is deprecated by the government.

The correction of the original version of the Vicksburg incident at Chemulpo has already affected Russian public opinion favorably. The report of Commander Marshall of the Vicksburg has been officially communicated to Foreign Minister Lamsdorff and the formal thanks of the Russian admiralty will be tendered as soon as a detailed report is received from the captain of the Variag.

The foreign office points out that the views held at Washington, regarding foodstuffs as contraband of war, agrees with theirs if such foodstuffs are destined for private individuals. The difficulty will be to determine the ultimate destination of such material. It might be consigned to private parties, but eventally rueach the military government. The foreign office holds that foodstuffs shipped in large quantities are subject to suspicion, as this would be prima facie evidence that the material was designed for the use of the military.

Russians Seize Telegraph Offices

Tokio, March 3.—It has been learned here that the Russians have occupied the telegraph offices at Anju and Yong Pyon, north of Ping Yang. They have imprisoned the district governor and have confiscated official papers. The Russian force near Anju numbers only about 40 men. The main Russian force is concentrated at Liao Yang.

The Russians near Antung aggregate 2000. No important engagement is expected south of the Yalu river which, it is believed, the Russians will make their main line of defense.

Preparing For Eventualities

London, March 3.—Orders have been issued to dispatch 2000 troops to reinforce the British garrison at Malta. It is believed that this movement is made to facilitate the reinforcing of the stations in China later, should necessity arise. Four hundred troops were also ordered to China to raise the local stations there to war strength.

American Money In Canada

St. John, March 3.—At a meeting of the St. John clearing house directors it was decided to accept American currency at face value in all the city banks. Heretofore a quarter of 1 percent discount has been charged. American money has been supplanting Canadian currency here and limiting the circulation of Canadian notes. As a discount was charged at the banks, merchants used the American money to pay their help and thus its circulation was aided.

Bandit Van Dine Declared Sane

Chicago, March 3.—Harvey Van Dine, one of the car barn bandits now on trial for murder, was declared sane by Dr. Kiernan, a specialist in nervous diseases, who testified concerning the sanity of Guiteau, the assassin of President Garfield. Two other experts in neurology also testified that Van Dine was not insane. The mother of Van Dine had testified that several brothers and sisters of Van Dine's father were insane.

Jim Crow Bill Passed

Annapolis, Md., March 3.—In the house of delegates the bill providing that steam railways in the state shall furnish separate cars for negroes except on express trains, and that all steamboats plying in Maryland waters shall provide separate compartments, was passed by a strict party vote, all the Democrats voting for it and all the Republicans against it.

Rapid Descent of Mercury

Lincoln, Neb., March 3.—At 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon the Lincoln weather bureau thermometer indicated 79 degrees, the highest temperature for March of which there is record. One hour later it had fallen 20 degrees and at 7 o'clock last night the reading was 16 above zero, a fall in six hours of 63 degrees.

Isle of Pines Treaty Signed

Washington, March 3.—Secretary Hay and Mr. Quesada, the Cuban minister, have signed a new treaty confirming Cuba in the title to the Isle of Pines. The new treaty will be sent immediately to the senate. It must also go to Havana to be acted upon by the Cuban senate.

Southern Town Burned Out

Raleigh, March 3.—A large part of Rocky Mount was swept away by fire, the loss being over $80,000. The fire started in the opera house in the Masonic building. This was destroyed, together with the postoffice, bank building, telephone office and five store buildings.

World's Fair Women's Fund

St. Louis, March 3.—The members of the board of lady managers of the Louisiana Purchase exposition were informed last night by President Francis that the $100,000 which congress voted them had been placed to their credit.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Friday, March 4.
Sun rises—6:15; sets—5:37.
Moon rises—8:59 p. m.
High water—12:30 a. m.; 1 p. m.
The eastward movement of a western depression will be attended by rain in New England, followed by fair and colder weather.

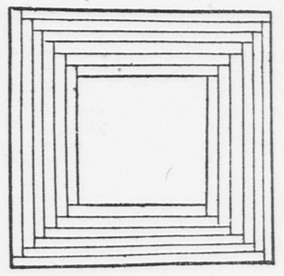
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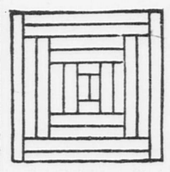
thickness, but when laying them afterward the veneer flooring should be used, laying it over the original floor without disturbing it. The thickness varies, the three-eighths inch being most commonly used, and it comes in several kinds of natural wood, perfectly smooth on the face of the strips and tongued and grooved on ends and sides so that they can be both end and side matched. The widths are from 1½ inch face upward. Little work is needed after it is laid, as most of the joints will be perfect and at the most only a little rubbing with sandpaper is needed before the finish is applied. The three-eighths inch veneer is light and easy to handle and can be laid by one who is not an expert, saving some expense.

Maple is best for floors which come to heavy wear, being tough and showing little effect of wear if kept shellacked. If a border is desired some of the strips may be stained with walnut stain, which comes ready for use, or strips of natural wood may be used, cherry or beech being especially handsome. White and red oak, either plain or quarter sawed, are useful for parlors or rooms where only ordinary wear comes on the wood. Birch, beech, walnut, cherry, even mahogany, curly birch, birdseye and curly maple, redwood and sycamore are to be had.

Borders worked in various colored woods can be purchased if desired, but usually the border is made while laying the floor, alternating dark and light strips to suit the fancy. In fastening the veneer the nails are put obliquely through the tongue of each strip, which holds the new floor firmly to the old one without disfiguring it with nail holes, and when the floor is laid log cabin style it can be so braced that but few nails need be put through from the top, the last two strips laid being the only ones that cannot be fastened otherwise. The first cut shows how the floor is laid, the center being filled in as the border is begun, if desired, or as in the second cut.

For a border for a maple floor, three strips of the natural color, then two stained strips, two natural color and one stained strip are pretty.

After a maple floor is laid it should be given two coats of shellac. As we feared that the white shellac would be too light, we had it mixed with an equal amount of orange shellac, which stained the floor slightly. When perfectly dry it was rubbed over with floor wax, which comes ready for use, allowed to dry for half an hour, then rubbed with a weighted brush made especially for that use. It must be first rubbed crosswise of the grain, then lengthwise till a perfect polish is obtained.



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Apples In French Style.

A very economical dessert for luncheon is made by baking apples the French way, which will be found a great improvement on the old method of baking them whole. This is simply to peel, core and quarter tart apples Arrange them in a baking dish with edges down and the round parts up. Pack the sections in closely in layers until the dish is filled up. Add one-half cupful of water, sprinkle granulated sugar and ground cinnamon over the top. Put tiny bits of butter here and there and then bake from half to three-quarters of an hour or until a golden brown. Test with a fork before removing from the oven and serve hot with cream. This makes a delicious dessert.—Exchange.

Expression In Dress.

A girl with blue eyes may wear turquoise blue, and some one will write sonnets to her in which "azure hue" will rhyme with "true." Certain shades of brown on a brown haired girl make a charming effect of demureness, while yellow on a golden haired girl suggests sunshine.

Remember it is always better that some one should say, "What beautiful eyes (or hair or complexion) Miss A. has" than "Miss A. is rather nice looking." In the first assertion admiration is positive. Some one has been made to feel that a distinct point of beauty exists. In the latter the impression has that of negative attraction.

DOING ONE'S BEST.

It Is a Good Character Forming Habit to Cultivate.

This habit of always doing one's best enters into the very marrow of one's heart and character. It affects one's bearing, one's self possession. The man who does everything to a finish has a feeling of serenity. He is not easily thrown off his balance. He has nothing to fear, and he can look the world in the face because he feels conscious that he has not put shoddy into anything, that he has had nothing to do with shams and that he has always done his level best. The sense of efficiency, of being master of one's craft, of being equal to any emergency, the consciousness of possessing the ability to do with superiority whatever one undertakes, will give soul satisfaction which a half hearted, slipshod worker never knows.

When a man feels throbbing within him the power to do what he undertakes as well as it can possibly be done, and all his faculties say "Amen" to what he is doing and give their unqualified approval to his efforts—this is happiness, this is success. This buoyant sense of power spurs the faculties to their fullest development. It unfolds the mental, the moral and the physical forces, and this very growth, the consciousness of an expanding mentality and of a broadening horizon, gives an added satisfaction beyond the power of words to describe. It is a realization of nobility, the divinity of the mind.—Success.

A Crooked Spire.

The most curious spire in England is at Chesterfield, the leaning tower of Pisa not being more interesting to sightseers than the queer kink in a respectable church, which tradition says was caused by the devil kicking out as he passed the spire. The devil had just had his hoofs shod by a local blacksmith, and his pain was so intense the edifice was shaken out of shape. Another and wittier legend says the spire was bowing to a lovely and virtuous bride. Many noted persons have in years gone visited Rowsley and quaint Peacock Inn and thence traveled to Chesterfield to gaze on this freak of nature, for natural causes are supposed to have bent the spire rather than an irritable devil whose hoofs were not shod to please him.

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TO BOSTON Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47
r 6 12	abc	6 32
r 6 42	abc	7 02
r — 12	abc	7 32
r 7 13	ad	7 42
7 29	Exp	7 45
r 7 44	a l c	8 02
r 7 54	abcde	8 15
r 8 12	abc	8 32
r 8 26	abd	8 45
r 8 46	a t c d	9 05
r 9 12	abc	9 32
r 9 42	abc	10 02
r 0 12	a b :	10 32
r 10 42	abc	11 02
r 11 12	a l c	11 32
r 12 12	abc	12 32
r 1 12	abc	1 32
r 1 42	abc	2 02
r 2 12	abc	2 32
r 3 12	abc	3 32
r 3 42	abc	4 02
r 4 12	abc	4 32
4 59	Exp.	5 15
r 5 12	abc	5 32
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57
r 6 12	abc	6 32
r 6 42	abc	7 02
6 59	Exp.	7 15
r 7 12	abc	7 32
r 7 39	abcdeighi	8 07
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32
r 9 12	abc	9 32
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32
r 11 12	abc	11 32

FROM BOSTON Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 58	cba	7 19 r
7 28	cba	7 49 r
8 28	cba	8 49 r
8 58	cba	9 19 r
9 28	cba	9 49 r
10 28	cba	10 49 r
11 28	cba	11 49 r
12 28	cba	12 49 r
12 58	cba	1 19 r
1 28	cba	1 49 r
1 58	cba	2 19 r
2 28	eba	2 49 r
2 45	eba	3 06 r
3 28	cba	3 49 r
3 45	cba	4 06 r
4 28	cba	4 49 r
4 50	edcba	5 16 r
5 10	dba	5 36 r
5 26	a	5 45 r
5 28	cba	5 49 r
5 45	dba	6 06 r
5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
5 58	cba	6 19 r
6 15	da	6 36 r
6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 58	cba	7 19 r
7 28	cba	7 49 r
8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
9 28	cba	9 49 r
10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02 r	6 28 cba 6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02 r	8 58 cba 9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32 r	10 16 ihgfedcba 10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51 r	12 28 cba 12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 45 r	2 16 ihgfedcba 2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32 r	3 16 ihgfedcba 3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44 r	4 28 cba 4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32 r	5 28 cba 5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44 r	6 58 cba 7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32 r	8 28 fedcba 8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32 r	8 43 Exp. 9 00 r
9 00	Exp.	9 15 r	9 28 ihgfedcba 9 57 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33 r	10 28 feucba 10 53 r
10 22	abcdefghi	10 50 r	

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M., 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

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TIME TABLE

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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON -7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

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EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	35	38	54	32	30
Monday,	39	48	—	—	—
Tuesday,	38	45	44	42	27
Wednesday,	43	37	38	41	54
Thursday,	48	28	33	35	52
Friday,	—	27	48	40	36
Saturday,	—	28	47	34	37

New Advertisements Today.

Chas. C. Hearn—Dr. Howard's Specific.
Harbor and Land Commissioners' Notice.
V. E. Miller—Flour and Oranges.
Notice—C. E. Woodbury.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Today is warmer than yesterday.

Today is as rainy as yesterday was pleasant.

The City Council will meet again next Monday evening.

People who have to be out today find the walking anything but pleasant. Water is running in rivers along the streets and the street crossings are almost impassible.

A large coal pung filled with charcoal capsized on Hancock street, Atlantic, near the R. R. bridge Tuesday evening, and delayed traffic for some time. The pung was broken but was removed. The contents was still on the street.

A few friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duncan called on them at their home at the Wollaston Hotel Wednesday evening, and a most enjoyable time was spent. They were presented with a rocking chair. A musical program and games were the features of the evening, then all went down to the dining hall where a collation was served.

EMPEROR OF KOREA.

Emperor Yi Hiung, whose country caused war between China and Japan in 1894-95 and is the present bone of contention between Japan and Russia,



YI HIUNG.

is fifty-one years of age. He became king in 1864 and emperor in 1897. Like the emperor of China, he is a man of little force and ability.

Two Orders in Attendance.

The funeral of Gordon McIntosh was held Wednesday afternoon from his late residence on Buckley street. It was attended by Clan McGregor, O. S. C. and John Ericson Court Foresters of America. Services were conducted by Rev. Nathaniel J. Sproul and was followed by the burial service of the two orders. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston.

Mamma—"Aren't you home from school earlier than usual today?"

Bobby—"Yes, mamma, I wasn't kept in today."

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

DIED.

PLUMMER—In Wollaston, March 2, Mr Osmer B. Plummer of 151 Wollaston avenue, aged 35 years.

PALMER—In South Attleboro, Mrs. Hattie H. Palmer, wife of Geo. H. Palmer, formerly of West Quincy.

NEW SCHOOL

With Quincy Born Gentleman at the Head.

Jeffrey R. Brackett is Selected.

Will Fit for Practical Administration to Poor and Others.

Quincy will have increased interest in the new school for Massachusetts because Jeffrey R. Brackett, who was born in this city, will be at the head. Perhaps he may decide to locate the school in Quincy. The objects of the new school are well set forth by the Herald:

Harvard university, the oldest college in America, and Simmons college, the newest institution of higher education in Boston, have united to found a distinctively new school in Boston, a school for the training of men and women for the practical administration of the public departments of the poor, the insane and the criminal.

As the director of this new school the two colleges have called the man who is probably the greatest expert in this department of social science in the country. He is Jeffrey Richardson Brackett of Baltimore, born in Massachusetts, and a Harvard graduate.

This new school will be the first to be established in American to give definite and systematic instruction in the whole field of philanthropic endeavor. For several years a summer school has been held in New York city, where courses of lectures have been given on the various phases of public philanthropy and penology, which have been attended largely by persons employed in the work. Two or three years ago a winter course was started in the same city along the same lines, and now Chicago has an evening school during the winter on this subject.

But no school has heretofore attempted to correlate the whole sum of accumulated knowledge of these problems, and to present practical courses therein, and to train students in a broad way for the purpose of intelligently dealing with these perplexing questions.

This is to be the aim of the new school, and to establish such a school was one of the earliest plans of Simmons college, an institution which has already successfully established several new courses for women, which it is believed will be far-reaching in their future influence on women.

As conditions are now and as they have been since the beginning of systematic relief to the poor, the administrators of this work have been developed in their own particular lines. If one became expert in the work among children, for instance, or among children of a particular denomination, the chances are that the person would know little or nothing about other branches of relief and vice versa.

When Simmons college instituted its investigations into the subject and proposed to start such a school, there was an immediate demand that it should not be limited to women only, but should be open also to men.

It was this urgent demand that enlisted the attention of Harvard university and brought about this cooperation between the two institutions. While all details have not been announced, it is very probable that each institution will appoint an equal number of representatives to act as administrators of the new school, and that at the head will be Mr. Brackett. Incidentally Mr. Brackett will be appointed an instructor in Harvard college, and simultaneously he will be appointed a professor in Simmons college. Just what the title of the department in Harvard, or what the professorship in Simmons will be has not been announced.

The location of the school is likely to be in the North or West end of Boston, and will draw its students only from Harvard and Simmons. Men desiring to take the courses will be required to register at Harvard and pay their tuition fees to Harvard, while women desiring the courses will register at Simmons college and will then have admission to the courses of study, the lectures and other practical work which will be devised, but which has not yet been wholly completed.

Some such movement has been in contemplation for some time, and Columbia has already offered to Mr. Brackett a very lucrative position to undertake such a work in connection with that institution, with headquarters in New York city.

One thing that is said to make the founding of the school in Boston most auspicious is the very large number and the wide variety of philanthropic institutions in the city, and above all their unusually sound and practical organization.

As far as women are concerned, it is expected to prove a very alluring field. Many college girls, daughters of wealthy parents, will leave school with a desire for philanthropic work, and outside of this new charity training school there will be no other place where a broad and deep knowledge of the subject can be obtained.

It is also expected that many men now engaged in the work in special lines will desire to avail themselves of the new school for the purpose of broadening themselves in the work.

WAS BORN IN QUINCY.

Jeffrey Richardson Brackett was born in Quincy Oct. 20, 1860, and he made his home there and in Boston until after his graduation from Harvard in the class of 1883.

He comes from colonial ancestry. Among his paternal ancestors was Capt. Richard Brackett, who in 1630 signed a covenant with John Winthrop and others for the erection of the first meeting house in Boston. Shortly thereafter he received an allotment of land at Mt. Wollaston, Quincy, and established his home there. He was the chief military commander of Braintree and one of the charter members of the Ancient and Honorable artillery company of Boston. Other paternal ancestors were Richard Gridley, who laid out the defences at Bunker Hill, and Jeremy Gridley, from whom both John and Samuel Adams received their legal training.

His mother was a daughter of the late Benjamin H. Richardson, one of Boston's leading merchants and ship owners. His father died when he was quite young and the general oversight of the boy, as well as the management of the estate, which was considerable, devolved upon an uncle, B. Heber Richardson, whose home is now at 4 St. James avenue.

He was prepared for Harvard at Adams Academy in Quincy, and after taking the full academic course at Harvard he took a post graduate course at Johns Hopkins university in Baltimore. There he married and there he has made his home since.

All his life he has been engaged in the study of social problems, and he is now looked upon as the highest authority in America on matters relating to the care of the poor, the insane and the criminal classes. For some years he has been president of the board of supervisors of city charities in Baltimore, an unsalaried position, and chairman of the state board of charities and correction. Last year he was elected president of the national conference of charities.

For some years past he has been a lecturer, both at Johns Hopkins university and at the Massachusetts institute of Technology as well as at the summer and winter schools in New York which have been founded to study scientifically the problems of philanthropy and the treatment of the submerged and outcast elements in society.

Immediately after the great fire in Baltimore last month he organized a relief committee and among his associates on the advisory board were President Ira Remsens of Johns Hopkins university, Hon. Charles J. Bonaparte and other prominent Baltimoreans.

Although Mr. Brackett left Boston more than 20 years ago, he has continued to return interests hear, and during all this time he has been a member of the aristocratic Union club, and he is a trustee of that ancient Boston organization which has the name of "a republican institution."

Mr. Brackett was sent to Cuba a few years ago by the U. S. government to suggest a municipal system of dealing with the poor and criminals.

Mr. Brackatt handed in his resignation as chairman of the Baltimore charity organizations Monday and is to come to Boston immediately.

Teachers' Course.

The fourth entertainment of the Quincy Teachers' Association was held at the High School hall, Wednesday evening. Mrs. Lyman delivered a lecture on the "Music of the Iroquois" which was illustrated by song and instruments. The musical instruments were very unique in structure as well as tone. Among them were the tum-tum, dog-whistle, gourd-rattle, hand-rattle, bark-rattle, and turtle-rattle. Mrs. Lyman's knowledge was gained by personal intercourse with the survivors of the six great nations, which added to the personality of the speaker, furnished a very pleasing evening.

Death of Fr. Garrity.

Rev. John J. Garrity curate at the East Boston church, passed away early this morning after a brief illness of pneumonia. Fr. Garrity was born in Quincy and was a son of William Garrity of Cottage street. He received his early education in the public schools of Quincy and then entered Boston College. Graduating from there he entered the seminary at Montreal, Canada, from which he was ordained to the priesthood in 1888. He was assigned to a church at East Boston where he has since been located.

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THE WORD "ATLAS."

Strictly Speaking, It Is a Misnomer For a Map Book.

Strictly speaking, "atlas" is a misnomer for a map book, since it was not the world but the heavens that the "atlas" of mythology upheld. Mercator, the famous Dutch geographer, who made globes for Emperor Charles V. of Germany, was the first to use the name in this connection, choosing it as a convenient and in some sort an appropriate title, because Atlas, the demigod, figures with a world upon his shoulders as a frontispiece of some early works on geography.

Atlas, it was said, made war with other Titans upon Zeus and, being conquered, was condemned to bear heaven upon his head and hands. Later tradition represented him as a man changed by means of Medusa's head into a mountain, upon which rested heaven and all its stars.

In any case Atlas was always associated with a heavy burden strongly borne. Thus Shakespeare makes Warwick say to Gloucester:

Thou art no Atlas for so great a weight.

It is not difficult to see how, by an association of ideas, this came to be chosen as the name for a book of maps, which upholds and exhibits to us the whole world.

AN IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL.

Burial of the Poet Campbell In Westminster Abbey.

Mr. S. C. Hall in his "Memories" describes the burial of the poet Campbell in Westminster abbey. Statesmen, poets and men of letters followed the venerable dean of St. Paul's, the poet Milman, as, reading the burial service, he led the solemn procession to poets' corner. It was not, however, the presence of these illustrious mourners that made the funeral one of the most impressive ever seen in that mausoleum of great men.

A long, reverential pause preceded the words, "Ashes to ashes, dust to dust." As they were slowly uttered a Polish officer advanced from among the mourners and dropped upon the coffin some earth taken from the grave of Kosciusko, the hero whose patriotism and death the poet had praised in verse. The effect was startling.

Then came the climax.

"I heard a voice from heaven," read the dean, and immediately a thunderclap shook the old abbey. He paused; the mourners were thrilled. As the awful sound died away the dean finished the sentence—"they rest from their labors."

HAILSTONES.

The Generally Accepted Theory of How They Are Formed.

Soft hail consists of minute snow balls and true hail, or hard pellets, of ice of alternate concentric layers of ice and snow varying in size from peas to dangerous stones of several pounds weight.

Ferrel's theory as to the method of their formation is generally accepted. Hail, he says, is owing to the presence of a tornado which need not actually reach the earth. The lower part of the rotating column is a region of cloud and rain; the upper part is snow. Raindrops suspended for a time in the snowy region are frozen, and if thrown beyond the influence of the incurrent they fall to the ground as soft hail. Should they be carried into the vortex, they ascend through the rainy region, are coated with moisture, mount to the colder region, where ice is formed, and finally fall to the earth.

This theory satisfactorily accounts for hailstorms occurring chiefly in summer, as it is only in hot weather that these powerful ascending currents exist.

A Clever Swindle.

The following story was told the other day by a lawyer in the course of a discussion as to the value of an indorsed check as a receipt:

"A client of mine had a bill of $30 against a customer who, he thought, was very fair pay. One day this man came into his place of business in a great hurry and asked my friend to cash a check for him. The check was for $30. Well, my client gave him the $30 and thought no more about it until a request to settle the little bill brought the response that the customer had an indorsed check to show as a receipt. And it meant a lawsuit to collect the bill."—New York Tribune.

Foxglove.

The foxglove is a hardy perennial that has a medicinal reputation. Digitalis is one of the most valued remedies in heart troubles and is obtained from the plant to which the common name, foxglove, is given. In olden times it was esteemed as an application to ulcers, etc., and Italian peasants have a proverb, "Foxglove heals all sores." Flowers of the foxglove were reputed to be favorites with elves and fairies.

A Parallel Case.

Miss Peachblow (at the church fair)—Oh, Mr. Dusnap, buy this sofa pillow. It has just been reduced from $4 to 75 cents.

Mr. Dusnap (ruefully)—Can't do it. I had $10 five minutes ago, but now I am reduced to 15 cents.—Judge.

Indication of Success.

"My lawyer is certain he has won my case," remarked the prospective heiress.

"Did he tell you so?"

"No, but he has proposed."—New York Times.

They Do, Indeed.

She—You don't hear the men use the word "obey" in the wedding ceremony. He—No; that's so. But they usually have to, all right.—Yonkers Statesman.

OVER 100,000 JAPS IN KOREA

All Ready For Movement Toward the Enemy's Front

WILL BUILD A RAILROAD

To Extend From Seoul to Wiju, Being an Imitation of the Soudan Tactics of Kitchener—Well-Armed Brigands Said to Have Attacked Russians—Refugees From Port Arthur Undergo Fearful Suffering—Report of Skirmish at Ping Yang

London, March 3.—Hardly a word of news from the seat of war, with the exception of the Russian official dispatches, is published here, and it now seems clear that the story of a bombardment of Port Arthur by the Japanese on Feb. 29 is nothing more than a recho of previous attacks.

Count Benckendorff, Russian ambassador to Great Britain, arrived here last night from St. Petersburg.

Evidence accumulates that Japan has thrown a great army into Korea. It may be true that she has more than 100,000 men there. Every preparation apparently has been made to ensure the success of the campaign toward the Yalu. Japan's notification to the Korean government of her intention to begin immediately a railroad from Seoul to Wiju (from her base to the enemy's front, as did Kitchener in the Soudan) is an exhibition of her nerve. To build a light military road over the Seoul-Pokin highway, following the advance of the main Japanese army to the north, would be a more difficult engineering feat than that which confronted Kitchener in the Soudan, but it can be done rapidly by the energetic Japanese. They were reported weeks ago to have shipped the materials accumulated for the Fusan-Seoul road north to be used on this road, so there will have to be no wait for things with which to work.

From Yin Kow comes an unconfirmed report that 500 bandits, armed with modern rifles, have attacked a Russian post to the west of Haicheng (Heicheng is 32 miles east by north of New Chwang). There was severe fighting, and both sides lost heavily. This report is discredited at Yin Kow. If it is true, it indicates that a serious danger is confronting Russia in these well-armed brigand bands. According to The Daily Mail's account of this affair, six Japanese were found dead among the bandits. This would tend to show that the Japanese are organizing the bands.

Reports from Tokio declare that Japan has granted permission for 53 foreign newspaper correspondents to accompany the Japanese forces. Seventeen of these correspondents are Americans. The date of their departure has not been fixed.

A mile and a quarter of the Siberian railroad, according to Tokio reports, has been destroyed in the Ninguta district, between Vladivostok and Harbin.

The Tien Tsin correspondent of The Standard cables that the Russians are strongly fortifying points south of Mukden. Thousands of coolies who are working day and night on the ramparts and entrenchments of Haicheng are compelled to labor without pay.

Heartrending stories are appearing in the English newspapers of the suffering of refugees from Port Arthur on the train journey to European Russia. It is bitterly cold and there is a scarcity of food and water. Several children have been suffocated under the rugs and shawls with which they were covered in attempts to keep them warm. Owing to exposure and exhaustion an epidemic of influenza has broken out among the refugees.

In a St. Petersburg dispatch to the czar, Viceroy Alexieff says: "Admiral Stark, telegraphing from Port Arthur March 2, says the enemy did not appear off Port Arthur on either Feb. 28, Feb. 29 or March 1. Reconnaissances made by cruisers and torpedo boats over a radius of 60 miles from Port Arthur also failed to discover the enemy's vessels."

Major General Pflug, Viceroy Alexieff's chief-of-staff, under date of March 2, reports: "According to additional information which has reached me, our patrols, having passed the night 12 versts (eight miles) from Ping Yang, approached that town on the morning of Feb. 29. They were closely pressing a Japanese patrol of seven officers. Lieutenant Lonchakoff attacked this patrol with three Cossacks, forcing it to retreat at a gallop towards the gates of the town.

"The presence of our patrols near Ping Yang caused great alarm, and soon the enemy's sharpshooters manned the wall and towers and opened fire, expecting an attack. According to the report our patrols approached within 700 paces of the town, which they found to be surrounded by both old and new ramparts. These, however, were not yet occupied by the enemy, and it is supposed that the Japanese have not more than 1000 men in Ping Yang."

Another Russian Handicap

St. Petersburg, March 3.—The cars on the ice railroad over Lake Baikal are now drawn by horses, a locomotive which performed this service having broken through the ice.

SAILORS AND DRINK.

Odd Devices For Obtaining Intoxicants on Board Ship.

Sailors have more originality, more resourcefulness and more ingenuity in securing things to get drunk with than any other class of human beings. They are never at a loss to find some substitute for whisky and brandy when such conventional intoxicants are not to be had. The shellac carried upon men-of-war for varnishing purposes is such a common beverage among thirsty jack tars that it has to be kept under lock and key and used under guard. Jalap is put in the alcohol of liquid compasses to keep the thirsty from draining them. Cologne is quite a treat in a pinch, and the story is told of a surgeon on one of our old warships who, being a good deal of a naturalist, was at a loss to account for the decay of some snakes, lizards and other specimens he had preserved in jars of alcohol until investigation showed that water had been substituted for the liquid in the jars and the alcohol consumed by some stealthy sailors. I recall the case of a vessel where the ship's cook reported the steady depletion of his stock of yeast, and the master-at-arms as steadily reported cases of mysterious intoxication in the crew, the ship being far from land at the time. Again investigation was resorted to, resulting in the discovery that the jackies had been pilfering the yeast, which they subjected to a treatment yielding them a satisfactory intoxicating liquor.—San Francisco Town Talk.

AN INDIAN LEGEND.

The Diegueno Myth Concerning the Creation of the Earth.

The Diegueno (mission Indian) has no surmise concerning the creation of the earth. To him it is a primeval fact. Earth and sky existed in the beginning of things, but not as now, illumined by sun, moon and stars, informed with purpose and active with life. In the beginning all was shapeless, dark, inert, a chaos full of untried potencies. The sky power, brooding mystery, rested upon the receptive earth. Out of chaos came a voice, a song, ending in a long drawn sigh, signifying accomplishment, rest at the end of achievement; again, voice, song and sigh, and with each act of the first cause, an effect. The earth mother, Sin-yo-hauch, the mysterious name, brought forth to the sky power a god, Tu-chai-pa, the best, the firstborn, and then Yo-ko-mat-is, the lesser, the brother. Then did Tu-chai-pa, with the assistance of his brother, create man to inhabit the earth, and the sun, moon and stars to give light, first of all uprearing from its primal prostrate state the sky to be the arch of the heavens as we see it now above our heads.

The spirituality of this conception of creation, together with certain points of resemblance to the Hebrew story of Genesis, dignifies the Diegueno account and places it in a class by itself among Indian myths.—Southern Workmen.

Weights Started on the Farm.

By an English law enacted in 1266 it was provided that a silver penny, called a sterling, should equal in weight thirty-two wheat grains, well dried and taken from the center of the ear. From this it seems evident that the grain of wheat was the prototype of the standard grain. The weight now known as the grain is of course copied from governmental standards.

In 1826 certain weights and measures were legalized in England, and in 1827 copies of these were furnished our government, among them being the troy pound, equivalent to 5,760 grains.

The origin of the signs commonly used for the scruple, dram and ounce does not seem to be known. It is not unlikely that they are entirely arbitrary.—St. Louis Republic.

Reading the Lines at the Wrist.

The rascette, or magic bracelet, is, according to authorities on palmistry, to be found at the base of the hand and forms the line or lines which mark the junction of hand and wrist. One such line, if unbroken, deep and strongly marked, is supposed to foretell a happy life and to indicate calmness of disposition. If the line is chained—that is, crossed and recrossed by numerous small lines—the indication is of a life of labor. Two such lines indicate happiness and long life, while three form the magic bracelet, adding great riches to the other blessings. The addition of the third line to the other two is rare.

Why the Apple Is Healthful.

The acids of the apple are of signal use for men of sedentary habits whose lives are sluggish in action, those acids serving to eliminate from the body noxious matters which, if retained, would make the brain heavy and dull or bring about jaundice or skin eruptions and other allied troubles. Some such experience must have led to our custom of taking apple sauce with roast pork, rich goose and like dishes.

Not Pretty Then.

"Hateful thing, she is!" exclaimed Miss Pretty angrily. "I'm glad I'm not as mean as she is. I'm as much above her as"—

"Tut, tut!" interrupted her fiance. "Remember that rosebud mouth of yours ceases to be a rosebud when it begins to blow."—Philadelphia Press.

Paper of One Kind.

Glanders—It is said that paper can be used effectively in keeping a person warm. Gazley—That is very true. I remember a thirty day promissory note of mine once kept me in a perspiration for a month.

Experience teacheth that resolution is a sole help in need.—Shakespeare.

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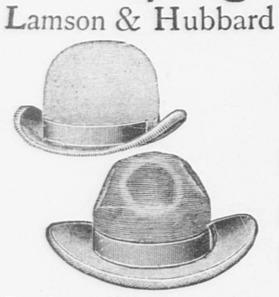
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April 25. tf

TROOPS POUR INTO KOREA.

Japs Landing at Different Points In the Hermit Kingdom

HAVE MADE DARING RAID

Flying Column Pushed Into a Position Left Unguarded by Russians and Which Commands Vital Points In Manchuria--Japan Has Complete Freedom of Sea by Caging of Both of Russia's Fleets

London, March 4.—The far eastern news consists chiefly of more or less reliable reports of Japanese military movements and the general idea among correspondents appears to be that no important land battle is expected before the end of March.

A dispatch to The Daily Express from Chemulpo, dated March 2, says that 15,000 Japanese troops have landed at Chinampo and gone to Ping Yang.

The Harbin, Manchuria, correspondent of The Daily Chronicle gives a rumor that 60,000 Japanese have landed at Wonsan.

The Shanghai correspondent of The Daily Telegraph asserts that three separate Japanese armies have landed in Korea and the Paris edition of the New York Herald publishes a report from Che Foo to the effect that six Japanese cruisers, escorting 10 transports, have been seen steaming in the direction of the Gulf of Liao Tung.

Nothing in any of these reports is improbable, but it is evident that Japan is maintaining strict secrecy as to her plans.

The Russian naval organ says the chief strategical mission of the Russian fleet at Port Arthur is to prevent the Japanese from landing on the shores of the Gulf of Liao Tung, thus protecting the right flank and rear of the forces in Manchuria from the Japanese army.

If the dispatch from Vladivostok, to the effect that 2500 Japanese troops landed at Song Chin, Plaksin Bay, Feb. 19, and immediately started west by north for Maofurchan be true, the Japanese have begun a daring raid. The fact that they moved without artillery shows that they were travelling light for the purpose of making speed. Maofurchan is situated about 150 miles from the point of departure on the northern border of Korea. Here the highway from Kilju to Mukden going west is crossed by the highway from Kirin going south over the Yalu. This road follows the river to Wiju, at its mouth. The Mukden-Kilju road also has a branch to Vladivostok.

On the basis of present knowledge it would appear that the Russians had left this important pivotal point unguarded and that the ever-alert Japanese had hastened to seize it. According to the dispatches they have been on the road two weeks today and if the travelling has been good should have reached their destination by this time. If other troops follow and support them and together they can hold the place the Japanese have secured a strong position, directly south of this Harbin-Kirin road, which also leads to Mukden on the west and Vladivostok on the northeast.

Tokio also reports that more than a mile of the Vladivostok-Harbin railroad has been destroyed, probably by the force landed at Possiet Bay, and there is evidence that the so-called Vladivostok squadron is bottled up in the harbor of that port. If the Japanese have caged both of the Russian fleets Japan has complete freedom of the sea and can use her transports with perfect freedom and without convoy except perhaps by torpedo boats.

Say Japs Lost Heavily

Vladivostok, March 4.—Eye witnesses of the naval fight at Port Arthur have just arrived here. They declare that the losses of the Japanese up to Feb. 25 were greater than has been admitted in foreign newspapers. In addition to five steamers sunk, they say that five torpedo boat destroyers, one gunboat and two torpedo boats were put out of action and several others so damaged that they will require extensive repairs.

Strife Over Indemnity Tax

Shanghai, March 4.—A dispatch from Chen Ning Chou, province of Kui Chou, China, announces that a rebellion has broken out against the Boxer indemnity tax. The sub-prefect's residence was looted yesterday.

Revenue Cutter Sunk

Port Said, March 4.—As a result of a collision between a Russian torpedo boat and an Egyptian revenue cutter at Kantara, in the canal, the latter was sunk. There were no casualties. The canal will be blocked for at least 24 hours. Three of the four Russian torpedo boats which returned here after having sailed ostensibly for Algiers were refused an additional supply of coal and ordered to leave port. The Russian ships at Port Said and Suez repeatedly overstay their time limit in spite of the protests of the government.

Quincy Day Nursery.

The regular monthly meeting of Quincy Day Nursery association was called to order by the president at 3 o'clock Tuesday in the Council Chamber, City hall.

Notwithstanding the severe weather more than a quorum were present and amendments to Constitution voted.

A suitable house on Water street in the vicinity of Brewers corner is found to which the nursery will be moved by April 1, as the present rooms which have offered such a happy home for the children must then be given up.

All in any way interested in Day Nursery work are cordially invited to visit the nursery on Elm street, or after March at Brewers corner, and to attend any of the monthly meetings held at City Hall the first Tuesday in each month at 2.30 o'clock.

The association acknowledges with thanks the following donations:

A member,—box of cards for alphabetically arranged membership list.

Mrs. Herbert S. Hayford,—Apples.

Mrs. Walter E. Simmons,—Eggs, butter and tea.

Mrs. Edward Sandberg,—table cloth and tray cloths, crackers, cookies, coffee, jar cream, apples and preserves.

Mrs. Hugh Tracy,—milk every day.

Mrs. H. G. Crocker,—cookies.

S. F. Newcomb,—cornstarch.

Mrs. T. A. Addison,—oranges, pail and sand.

Mrs. F. S. Davis,—paper blocks.

Mrs. C. W. Guy,—rice boiler.

Hayward & Curtis,—Quincy Day Nursery sign.

The largest number on any one day was four and the smallest one, the aggregate being 26. The sum of $2.30 was received from parents.

Poor Winter for Horse Shoers.

It is said that horse shoers have not become rich this winter. That frequent sharpening of shoes has not been necessary because the streets have not been icy one day and dry the next. Then again because of the soft snow the horses shoes have not worn out as rapidly as usual, requiring to be shod only half as often. Sharpening was necessary this morning and the horse shoers may have a little extra work yet.

"Why the dickens don't you stop?" asked the angry householder. "The fire is all out."

"I allow it is," admitted the leader of the villiage hose company, "but there is three winders not broke yet."

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WILL LIE IN STATE.

Fr. Garrity's Body Will Be Taken to St. John's Church Tonight.

The body of Rev. John J. Garrity, who died at East Boston early Thursday morning, was brought to Quincy that afternoon. The body will be taken to St. John's church tonight where it will lay in state until 10.15 A. M. Saturday, at which time funeral services will be held. The burial will be at St. Mary's cemetery.

It was about two weeks ago that Fr. Garrity was stricken with pneumonia. He rallied last week, but a stomach trouble complicated his illness, and caused death.

The schools of the Assumption parish at East Boston were closed Thursday as a mark of respect.

Fr. Garrity is survived by a father, two brothers and four sisters.

EVENLY MATCHED.

Played Overtime But Neither Could Win at Basket Ball.

The hardest fought game of basket ball at the Coliseum this season was between the Quincys and the Cooper class of Lynn on Thursday evening. The score was a tie, 15 to 15, at the end of the second half. The play was then continued for ten minutes but as neither side could score it was called a draw game.

QUINCY	COOPER CLASS
Collins rf	lb Booth
Cushing lf	rb Barry
Mahoney c	c Wentworth
Garey rb	lf Smith
Gibson lb	rf Brown

Score, Quincy 15 Cooper class 15. Goals from floor, Mahoney 3, Garey 3, Gibson, Smith, 3, Booth, Brown, Wentworth. Goals from fouls, Garey, Booth, 2, Wentworth. Referee, Parker. Umpire, Elliott. Scorer, Smith. Timer, Glover. Time, 30m. halves. Attendance 200.

Juniors Win.

The Quincy Juniors were more successful and almost shut out the Hyde Park juniors. The home team won 12 to 2.

QUINCY JRS.	HYDE PARK JRS.
Dawson rf	lb Bensley
Doyle lf	rb Scott
Jones c	c Dobbrow
Harkins c	
Martell rb	lf McDougal
Collins lb	rf Gray

Score. Quincy Juniors 12, Hyde Park Juniors 2. Goals from floor, Martell 4, Harkins, Jones, McDougal. Referee, Parker. Scorer, Smith. Timer, Glover, Time 15m halves. Attendance 250.

MILTON.

Rev. E. H. Hadlock of the Olivet Congregational church at Springfield has declined the call to become the pastor of the East Milton Congregational church.

The Milton High second team was defeated at basket ball by East Boston High on Thursday 12 to 3.

Four large blocks of granite were dumped on the railway track in front of John Evans' store on Copeland street Wednesday afternoon, causing some delay to street cars. The stone which was loaded onto one of Fletcher's sleds slipped off when the sled slewed on the ice.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Sheldon of East Milton have gone to Florida.

Two new voters were born in East Milton this week a son to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Forbes on Sunday, and a son to Mr. and Mrs. C. Van Ham on Tuesday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the East Milton Congregational church held an enjoyable supper Tuesday evening.

Rev. George E. Whitehouse gave a lecture on his travels abroad, illustrated by the stereopticon at the East Milton Baptist church Wednesday evening.

Christophor Graham is still confined to his home by illness.

Michael Finn, formerly of Granite avenue, dropped dead at Dorchester last Monday.

Rev. Robert Walker chaplain of the Charles Street jail will speak on "Jails" at the Mission of Our Saviour church on Sunday evening.

TODAY'S COURT.

James Gill was arraigned for drunkenness at Randolph. Case continued until Saturday, at which time he will be returned to the State farm.

John M. Connell was fined $25 for the larceny of a silk handkerchief from War S ng at Weymouth.

ADAMS CHINA.

Mrs. Roosevelt May Secure Some for White House Collection.

In connection with the exhibition consisting of china used by the various presidents of the United States which Mrs. Roosevelt proposed to give at the White House, and on the work of collecting which she is about to start, it may be remarked that Boston has probably the most valuable of any of the sets of rare old china handed down by past presidents, says the Record.

This is the Adams china, some handed down by John Adams, whose presidential term began in 1797, and some by John Quincy Adams 1824.

Some of that of the former is almost priceless. It consists of old china collected by John Adams, while in Europe, and was once used in the palaces of the French kings.

Not the days of the empire do these rare pieces mark, but the old royal days when the kings ruled by divine right, the grandeur and splendor of the French court was at its height, and the common people at grass and had not yet felt its oats.

They were used by the Louises, and each piece bears the royal stamp. After the revolution, when royalty was set back, some of the royal china shared the fate of the kings, and some was saved and fell into other hands.

John Adams collected a full set of this, but it has since been divided among the various descendants of the family.

Both Charles Francis Adams and his sister, Mrs. H. B. Quincy, of 452 Beacon street, have pieces of this.

"I do not think I should care to let this go," said Mrs. Quincy, even for an exhibition at the White House. It is too rare a relic, priceless, and could never be replaced.

"I have several of the old plates and some vases and other dishes. They are painted with flowers, I might possibly loan it, but not if I could help it. Suppose it might get broken in the packing!"

C. F. Adams stated that his old china had been boxed up in a warehouse for the past five years, but that he would be perfectly willing to loan it at Mrs. Roosevelt's request, so that it is likely that a part, at least, of this valuable collection will be seen.

There are several other sets belonging to both presidents scattered over this state, among them several valuable pieces of old Canton china belonging to Brooks Adams, at the old Adams house in Quincy.

THE REAL RUSSIA.

It will be Described and Pictured in the Boston Globe Next Sunday—Sec. Cortelyou Describes His New Department to Frank G. Carpenter—How British Cities Are Governed, by Frederick Upham Adams—All in the Sunday Globe.

The real Russia—not the Russia of either the Russophobe of the Russophile—and the real Russians, their wives and children and homes, their government, imperial, provincial and municipal, their soldiers and sailors, how they fight and live, will be told in popular illustrated war leaders in the Boston Globe next Sunday. An American doctor who is the principal adviser of the emperor of Korea will be among those war features, being a romantic story of a Yankee and his wife in the far east. A record of the war week by week. The fulness, intelligence and comparative accuracy of the Boston Globe's war reports have made it an authority on the great struggle in the Orient. The Globe, day and Sunday, is the best war paper in the country.

But the Globe is a peace paper, as well. George B. Cortelyou, the young stenographer, who has risen to a seat in the cabinet at Washington in 15 years, has described his new department of commerce to Frank G. Carpenter for the Boston Globe next Sunday. Arbitration, organized and unorganized labor, wages and cost of living, trusts, our commercial invasion of the old world and our immigration are among the topics which Sec. Cortelyou discusses.

Frederick Upham Adams the noted author and sociologist, is investigating the city governments of Great Britain for the Boston Globe, and will tell next Sunday how the city of London is providing good, cheap tenements for its people.

New England's production of $30,000,000 of wood pulp every year, described in the Globe's popular series on the great industries of New England.

Average circulation of the Boston Globe for February. Daily, 215,580. Sunday, 313,290—by far the largest in New England.

Decidedly colder this morning; mercury at 15 above at sunrise.

FOURTH DAY

Of the Libel Case of Prescott vs. Faxon.

A Long Cross-Examination.

Edward J. Lennon on the Stand Four Hours.

But a few witnesses for the defence were heard Thursday in the Prescott-Faxon libel case, as Edward J. Lennon, the inspector of the Board of Health was on the stand over four hours.

Albert R. Shedd, a government inspector, testified to the bad odor that greeted him mornings as he passed by the dump on Quincy avenue on his way to the Fore River works. Dr. H. C. Hallowell testified to his visit to the dump.

John S. Gay, a witness for the defendant and chairman of the Board of Health, testified that it was probable the letters of complaint received by his board had been destroyed. He had made a search, but failed to find same. Of four complaints produced by Mr. Lennon, he recognized three as those he had seen before. So far as he knew they were the only complaints in existence.

Inspector Lennon was recalled and told of complaints against Prescott investigated by him. Sent a letter to Prescott requesting him to call at the office of the board of health for orders relative to his work. In reply he received the following letter from Prescott:

QUINCY, Aug. 6, 1901.

Edward J. Lennon—Sir: Yours by special delivery at hand and contents noted. Kindly understand that I am no servant of yours and am not to take any heed of your requests. Any requests that the board of health or the honorable mayor may have for me will receive prompt attention. Your requests I shall ignore.

C. L. PRESCOT

Counsel Anderson subjected Mr. Lennon to a searching cross-examination, and went over the testimony under direct examination bit by bit.

Lennon stated that he had no feeling against Prescott, and never had received orders from the Board of Health not to interfere with the latter's work.

John S. Gay was asked by the defendant's counsel to produce the letter book of the board of health and did so. He was asked to read a letter—press copy of a letter—to Prescott, sent by the board. He did so. The letter was dated May 28, 1901. The letter was excluded and an exception was taken.

Inspector Lennon's cross examination was at length and very searching. During this period Mr. Faxon, seated in the bar inclosure, enjoyed "cat naps."

Closing Day.

Thursday was the last day of the fair at the Quincy Point church. The tables were liberally patronized. A supper of beans, ham, salad, rolls, coffee and pies was served at 6.30. The entertainment opened at 8 o'clock. The readings by Mrs. Albert Candlin of Waltham were heartily encored. The selections rendered by the mixed quartette delighted the audience. The quartette consisted of Mr. Edgar M. Copeland, Mrs. Geo. K. Carter, Miss Nina B. Gage and Mr. T. B. Pollard.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. E. C. Page, the numbers by the ladies quartette were dropped. Miss Bessie L. Drew of Atlantic sang several solos in her usual pleasing manner. Miss Sara M. Kelly accompanied on the piano.

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

Mr. Bryan seems to be willing to take anything except advice. And yet he claims to be in favor of reciprocity.

Senator Tillman says that a farmer is a man that works with his hands and an agriculturist is a man who works with his mouth. If anybody ever knew Senator Tillman to work with his hands, he will please stand up and be counted.

Perhaps the success of Mr. Jeffrey R. Brackett is due in a great measure to his estimable mother. Many Quincy people speak in high regard of the late Mrs. Brackett, who was a lovely woman. Mr. Brackett was graduated from Adams Academy, and continues an interest in the school by contributing each year a cash prize for the best English composition, which is awarded at the Adams gold medal exercises.

Three years ago Senator Beveridge traveled all through Manchuria, Siberia, and Russia. Being interviewed by our Washington correspondent he says: "The Russian has immense staying qualities. He can live on a small amount of plain food. He can endure enough exposure and hardship to kill most men for he has a deep chest, broad shoulders and stout legs, and appears to be almost without nerves. He believes in the future destiny of his country as the one designated by the Almighty for the redemption of the world. Like the Boer he prays and sings as he fights, and, being a fatalist is as formidable as Cromwell's trooper. And there are millions of him. Can Japan stand up for any great length of time against such an antagonist? I think not." Yet Russia complains that we are hostile.

Drift of Opinion.

☞No matter how small the lies when they leave the seat of war, some of them grow to be whoppers before they reach this country.—Beverely Times.

☞When the appointment of W. Cameron Forbes to the Philippine commission was made, the Gazette, in commenting upon it, remarked that one of its chief advantages lay in the connection which Mr. Forbes had with American capital and the possibility that he might be the means of attracting that capital to the Philippine opportunity which was in sore need of it. It is noted now that Gov. Wright, in his letter concerning Mr. Forbes' appointment, confirms that view in saying that "he can be of most service now in the United States, if he can take up and conclude negotiations with American capitalists for immediate construction of a railroad system through Luzon. If he can bring this matter to a conclusion he will confer a great benefit upon the Philippine people." Liberal laws, a generous system of schools, and all of the advantages which the government can confer, will be handicapped unless there is the introduction of capital to enable and assist the people to make the most of the opportunities for development.—Haverhill Gazette.

Unitarian Club.

The next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club will be held Tuesday evening, Mar. 8. Dinner will be served at six-thirty and the club will be addressed by Rev. John D. Pickles of South Boston upon the "Essentials of Faith in the Methodist religion, and by Rev. Richard T. Peede of Everett on the "Essentials of Faith" in the Baptist religion.

Serious Train Wreck

Rowlesburg, W. Va., March 4.—A passenger train from St. Louis to New York was wrecked near here. Fireman McKenzie was killed and Engineer Bowden was probably fatally scalded. The engine was overturned and two express cars, baggage and mail cars derailed. No passengers were injured. The accident occurred at interlocking switches.

The Endeavor Convention

Baltimore, March 4.—The committee on arrangements for the international Christian Endeavor convention scheduled to be held in this city next year decided last night that the recent fire would not prevent the holding of the convention here. Arrangements are being made to entertain 50,000 delegates from all over the world.

NEW ACCUSATIONS

Embezzler Ham Said to Have Secured Loan by Fraud

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Bail Is Increased to $65,000, In Default of Which He Goes Back to Jail--Intimation That He Has Concealed Funds

Boston, March 4.—Remarkable revelations, provided they are all substantiated by future evidence, were made in the case of Wallace H. Ham, the self-confessed embezzler from the American Surety company of New York and St. Luke's home for convalescents of Roxbury, in the municipal criminal court before Judge Adams by Attorney Berry of New York, counsel for the surety company, who also appeared for the home.

Seldom in the history of Massachusetts has a man, who for years has stood high in society and church affairs, been painted blacker than was the man who for a week past has been imprisoned in the Charles street jail after vain attempts to raise the $50,000 bail in which he was held Feb. 25 by Judge Ely.

At that time Ham was arraigned on a charge of embezzling $104,000 from the American Surety company, but he was called upon to answer to another lower court warrant, which alleges the embezzlement of $34,000 from St. Luke's home for convalescents. Charles W. Bartlett, counsel for the defendant, was ready to have the case against his client called, but to the surprise of the opposing counsel, Mr. Bartlett said that his client would waive examination on both charges. He said he simply wanted to address the court on the matter of bail.

Before he could start on that subject Attorney Berry said that if such was the fact, and there was to be no preliminary hearing, he also wanted to be heard on the question of bail. Accordingly he was first heard. In brief he asked that the bail in the two cases be fixed at $100,000, or $75,000 in the case of the surety company and $25,000 in the case of St. Luke's home.

Mr. Bartlett objected to such large bail, and, after a scathing reply to the statements made by Attorney Berry, suggested that the bail in the case of the surety company be $20,000 and in that of St. Luke's home $5000. Judge Adams finally decided to let the bail in the case of the surety company remain as originally placed at $50,000, and in the case of the home he made it $15,000, or a total of $65,000. Unable to secure sureties, Ham was once more remanded to jail.

In the course of the proceedings it was alleged that in securing a loan from the Atlantic National bank of Boston, Ham had presented false records and had also illegally used the name of Francis C. Foster on a document presented to the bank. Mr. Berry said that while such action was not perhaps a forgery, according to the statutory laws of Massachusetts it practically amounted to the same. It was also stated that the embezzlements from the American Surety company had been found to reach, in round numbers, $230,000, and that while the figures in the case of St. Luke's home were placed at $34,000, there is little doubt that they will reach at least $50,000. Not a word was introduced about Ham's embezzlements from St. Paul's church.

During Attorney Berry's statement to the court, it was brought out that the American Surety company is of the belief that Ham has not squandered all of the money he stole, mainly because of statements made by Ham in his confessions, that he had made money on his investments. Mr. Berry's statement was to the effect that Ham may have hidden away a sum large enough to meet all of his thefts.

Keeps Track of Deserters

Berlin, March 4.—Emperor William, upon the request of Ambassador Tower, has pardoned Edward Engresser of Buffalo, N. Y., sentenced some time ago to six months' imprisonment for desertion. Engresser left the German army in 1870. He returned to Baden two months ago, thinking he had been forgotten after 33 years' absence, but he was immediately arrested and convicted.

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ON BRIGHAM'S TRAIL

Young Man Wanted For the Murder of Mrs Smith

Londonderry, N. H., March 4.—In the light of new developments the Rockingham county officers are more than ever anxious to apprehend Carl E. Brigham, the young farmhand suspected of being the murderer of Mrs. Celia M. Smith, and they believe they have traced him as far as Lowell, Mass., where they are satisfied he left an electric car on Merrimac square at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, a few hours after the murder.

Late last night the officers received information which convinced them that Brigham made his way to Pelham, a distanct of five miles from the scene of the tragedy, within two hours after the murder was committed and from there took the first morning car for Lowell. He was provided with funds and when he took the car at Pelham at 5:40 he took out a $10 bill which he proffered for his fare.

The discovery of a blood-stained cap, later identified as Brigam's, together with a small crowbar, also stained with human blood, in the barn on the Marshall farm, convince the authorities that Brigham is the man wanted. These articles were tucked away in an obscure corner, and were brought to light by an officer who was searching for the weapon with which Mrs. Smith was murdered.

Dangerous Fooling With Torpedo

Lowell, Mass., March 4.—Edward Sweeney was probably fatally injured by the explosion of a railroad torpedo, John Brady will be disfigured for life and several other boys sustained minor injuries. The boys were playing in Middlesex street. Sweeney produced the torpedo. Another lad got a hammer and, placing the torpedo against a wall, struck it a smart blow. An explosion followed and all the lads were thrown to the ground. Sweeney sustained a deep wound in the chest, extending into the lung. Brady's face and neck were badly gashed.

Beverly Woman Murdered

Beverly, Mass., March 4.—Matrimonial difficulties led to a tragedy here, the victim being Mrs. E. A. Trask, who was shot and killed at the home of her mother. The alleged murderer is Joseph A. Hastings, a bartender of Salem. Hastings was arrested in that city, charged with the crime. Hastings had been drinking and those who know him ascribe his alleged act to this. He has a wife and four children in Salem. Mrs. Trask leaves a husband and a daughter. The Trasks had been separated for some time.

Wants Changes In Theatre

Boston, March 4.—At the meeting of the common council last night Councilman Cook offered an order asking that the building commissioner to compel the management of the Hollis Street theatre to remove enough seats from the first and second balconies to make egress safe. Mr. Cook also claimed that three windows, each labelled "Exit to Fire Escape," were barred and that in case of a panic it would be impossible to open them, even if tools were near by. The order was referred to the mayor.

Italian Strikers Return to Work

Clinton, Mass., March 4.—The strike of Italian laborers employed on the Wachusett reservoir has been settled. The settlement was a compromise. The contractor agreed to cancel the charge of 25 cents a week against each workman for insurance and the use of the commissary and the men withdrew their demand for a reduction in hours of labor at the same wages. The 250 laborers returned to work today.

Connecticut Railroad Deal

New Haven, March 4.—The deal whereby the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad will acquire the property of the Fair Haven and Westville street railroad is officially confirmed. In exchange for the stock of the street railway company the purchasing railroad will give certificates at the rate of $50 a share, payable 50 years from April 1, 1904, with 3½ percent interest, payable semi-annually.

Gathering of Police Chiefs

Springfield, Mass., March 4.—The chiefs of police of about 35 cities and towns in Massachusetts and western Connecticut attended here the first gathering of the kind ever held outside of Boston. A start was made toward a number of improvements, including a bureau of mutual information and a cipher for telegraphing.

Three Women Killed by Train

Wallingford, Conn., March 4.—Three women who were gathering coal along the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad were struck and killed by the engine of a passenger train at the Ward street crossing. It is supposed that thick fog was partly responsible for the accident.

Stomach Slashed With Razor

Lawrence, Mass., March 4.—Andrew John and Antonio Martinelli, Italians, became involved in an altercation last night, said to be over a woman, and as a result John is in the hospital with a razor gash in the stomach, while the police are searching for Martinelli.

A Denial From Cleveland

Washington, March 4.—In the house, a letter from Grover Cleveland to Representative Webb (N. C.), denying that C. H. J. Taylor, a negro, had dined with him in the White House while he was president, as charged by Representative Scott (Kan.) a few days ago, was read. A discussion of the race question followed, during which Mr. Williams, the minority leader, criticized President Roosevelt for having invited Booker T. Washington to a seat at his table.

CITY BREVITIES.

Quite a change in the weather today from what it was Thursday.

Founder's Day at the Woodward Institute will be observed Saturday evening, March 12.

The warm rain Thursday and the thick foggy mist in the afternoon, made deep inroads into the snow and ice on the streets.

The sleighing is almost gone and warmer weather is predicted. Today, however, completes seventy consecutive days or seven weeks of sleighing in Quincy, sleighing having commenced the day after Christmas.

The ladies class in physical culture which has been meeting at the Woodward gymnasium for private instruction during the past few months, held its last meeting Thursday afternoon, at which time tea was served. It is the hope of those interested that there may be a much larger class next winter.

"Fuzzy-Wuzzy," the little Angora poodle owned by a young lady of Quincy Point is fast becoming the pet of the neighborhood. His name seems very appropriate, for his white silky hair grows in tight curls all over his body and his eyes are almost hidden under the "fuzzy" locks.

The Swedish Lutheran church is already planning for a picnic to be held the Seventeenth of June. It will be held at Merrymount park, and a houselot is offered as a prize to the one who will guess the nearest, when a watch, started June 13, will stop. Guesses will cost 25 cents each, and are now in order.

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Consolidated Causes. In Equity.
Nos. 1801 and 1802.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to an order of said Court, duly entered in said causes all creditors of and claimants against the O. T. Rogers Granite Company are hereby directed to present their claims against said O. T. Rogers Granite Company verified by affidavit to the undersigned at Room 709, Sears Building, 199 Washington street, Boston, Massachusetts, on or before March 14th, 1904.

All persons or corporations whose claims are not presented to the undersigned as aforesaid shall be barred from participation in the distribution of the assets in the hands of the Receiver of said O. T. Rogers Granite Company under the directions of said Court, unless the Court for good cause shown shall otherwise order.

JOHN W. McANARNEY,
Receiver of O. T. Rogers Granite Company.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

PURSUANT to an order of said Court, duly entered in said causes all creditors of and claimants against Quincy Granite Quarries Company are hereby directed to present their claims against said defendant corporation, verified by affidavit, to the undersigned or either of them at Room 816 Old South Building, 294 Washington Street, Boston, Massachusetts, on or before March 14th, 1904.

All persons or corporations whose claims are not presented to said Receivers or either of them as aforesaid shall be barred from participation in the distribution of the assets in the hands of said Receivers under the direction of said Court unless the Court for good cause shown shall otherwise order.

JOHN H CASEY,
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Receivers of Quincy Granite Quarries Co.
Feb. 19, 1904. 3t 19 26 4

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to an order of said Court, duly entered in said causes all creditors of and claimants against the Blue Hill Granite Company are hereby directed to present their claims against said Blue Hill Granite Company, verified by affidavit, to the undersigned at Room 709 Sears Building, 199 Washington street, Boston, Massachusetts, on or before March 14th, 1904.

All persons or corporations whose claims are not presented to the undersigned as aforesaid shall be barred from participation in the distribution of the assets in the hands of the Receiver of said Blue Hill Granite Company under the directions of said Court, unless the Court for good cause shown shall otherwise order.

JOHN W. McANARNEY,
Receiver of Blue Hill Granite Company.
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Consolidated Causes. In Equity.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to an order of said Court, duly entered in said causes all creditors of and claimants against the Lyons Granite Company are hereby directed to present their claims against said Lyons Granite Company, verified by affidavit, to the undersigned at Room 709 Sears Building, 199 Washington Street, Boston Massachusetts, on or before March 14th, 1904.

All persons or corporations whose claims are not presented to the undersigned as aforesaid shall be barred from participation in the distribution of the assets in the hands of the Receiver of said Lyons Granite Company under the directions of said Court, unless the Court for good cause shown shall otherwise order.

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RECOMMENDATIONS.

Warrant Committee of Milton Report to the Voters.

The special committee of fifteen, whose duty it is to review and make recommendations on the articles in the warrant for Milton's annual meeting next Monday, have made a large cut in a number of the general appropriations. Twelve items in all have been cut in sums ranging from $20 to $3000.

While there have been some increases the total decrease from last year amounts to $7,270. The largest decrease recommended is on the appropriation for support of poor which is cut from $10,000 to $7,000. Other large cuts are $2,000 on removal of snow; $1,500 on interest, and $1,000 on abatements.

The several amounts recommended for general expenses are as follows:

Schools, $65,500.
Transportation of school children, $2000.
Medical inspection of school children $300.
General expenses $30,000.
Street watering, $8,000.
Removal of snow, $500.
Permanent sidewalks, $2,500.
Fire department, $21,700.
Police department, $23,735.
Miscellaneous expenses, including interest, abatements, printing, insurance, contingent fund, etc., $24,600.
Street lighting, $13,569.
Support of poor, $7,000.
Salaries, $8,250.
Hydrant rental, $9,000.
Public library, $9,000 and half dog tax.
Cemetery, $2,000.
Soldiers' relief, $1,400.
State aid, $1,400.
Health, $700.
Sewer department, $750.
Collection of ashes, $1,500.
Assessors' clerk hire, $475.
Park Commissioners, $100.
Improvement of school lots, $100.
Grand Army, $200.

The committee also recommend the following specific appropriations:

Extension of water mains, $5,000.
Supply Town farm with water service, $3,500.
Repair of smallpox hospital, $1,000.
Lights on Blue Hill avenue, $731.
Extension of sewer system, $10,000.

They also recommend that the Selectmen arrange for corporate surety for the Town Treasurer and Tax Collector.

That a committee of three be appointed to consider the matter of betterment assessments which might lawfully have been collected during the last ten fiscal years.

That Charles street and Dyer avenue be accepted as public ways.

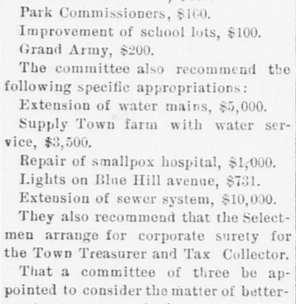
That the matter of accepting Belcher circle, Bates road and Church place be referred to a committee for investigation.

That the provisions of section 70, chapter 75 of the Revised Laws, relative to vaults upon premises abutting on streets where there is a sewer, be accepted.

That the Board of Health be authorized to enforce regulations relative to house drainage and its connection with the public sewer, if sewer abuts the estate to be drained.

indefinite postponement is recommended on the following matters:

Water supply for cemetery.
$900 for swimming pool and running expenses.
$2,000 for land damages by taking Pine Tree brook.
$1000 for clearing Pine Tree brook.
Purchasing combination engine for East Milton.
Paying members of the Board of Health a salary of $100 each.



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HE "TOOK CHANCES"

Head of Mormon Church Admits Violation of Laws

DISREGARDED MANIFESTO

Had Children by All of His Five Wives and Acknowledged Them Openly--Other Apostles Who Are Polygamists

Washington, March 4.—Attorneys for the protestants in the Smoot investigation say they expect to prove that the defendant is associated with a hierarchy which practices polygamy and connives at vioations of the law and that his very vote as a senator of the United States is subject to the wish and command of the Mormon church. President Joseph Smith confessed that he himself had continued to cohabit with his plural family since the manifesto of 1890, and that he realized fully that he was violating state laws. President Smith also testified that Reed Smoot had to get the consent of his associated apostles in the church before he could become a candidate for senator.

The confession of Smith was the sensation of the proceedings yesterday before the senate committee on privileges and elections. Smith said that the manifesto of 1890 had left him and others with plural families in the unfortunate situation of being compelled to defy the law or desert their families. For himself he had preferred to "take chances with the law" rather than to disgrace himself and degrade his family by abandoning his wives and the children they had borne him.

He admitted that he had had children by all of his five wives since the manifesto and said he had acknowledged them openly without interference or disturbance from the people of Utah, whom he characterized as liberal and broadminded.

Asked about Charles Teasdale, one of the 12 apostles, Smith said he knew nothing of his present domestic relations. He thought, however, that until two or three years ago Mr. Teasdale had had two wives. Mr. Smith also was asked about Apostle Taylor and he said he is reputed to be a polygamist. "I could not say of my own knowledge."

"Have you the slightest doubt of it?"

"I have'nt much doubt of it."

Asked where Taylor now is, Smith said he did not know; that Taylor had been sent to investigate a tract of land offered the Mormons and he had not heard from him since.

Mr. Smith said that Apostles Merrill and Grant are reputed to be polygamists. Grant is now in Europe in the interest of the church and has with him his second wife. John H. Smith is, the witness also said, the husband of two wives. "He is a kinsman of mine," he said, "and I know positively about him."

"Did you ever advise him to desist from the polygamous practice?"

"I never did; I could not consistently do so while I myself was practicing the system."

Mr. Smith was asked about other apostles. Mr. Cowleys, he said, is a reputed polygamist. Roger Clauson is not. He was especially questioned concerning F. M. Lyman, president of the apostles, and in the line of succession to himself. Smith replied that Lyman was reputed to have two wives.

Counsel Tayler, for the protestants, began an inquiry concerning instructions given to missionaries as to the teaching of polygamy. Mr. Smith said the book called "Ready Reference" is used by missionaries. This book, he said, contains a chapter on polygamy, declaring that practice to be divine. He said the book was an old one and that he had no knowledge of recent publications. The marginal note on the chapter on polygamy was given as "Polygamy right, in the sight of God." Mr. Smith added, however, that the use of this book is almost entirely abandoned by the Mormon elders doing missionary work. He said he did not know whether or not the missionaries take with them copies of the manifesto of 1890 suspending polygamy as an order of the church.

In answer to questions concerning revelations, Smith reiterated former statements that such revelations were accepted or rejected at will; that there is no restraint upon any member except his or her voluntary wish. He said he did not always obey the revelations from God. "One can obey or disobey with impunity," he added.

"Then this is the kind of a God you believe in?" said Mr. Tayler.

"Yes, that is the kind of a God I believe in," declared Smith with emphasis.

A rule of the church was quoted in regard to the release from duties of certain members not apostles or others in high positions in order to perform other duties and Tayler asked "Was it necessary for Mr. Smoot to get consent to run for senator?"

"He had to get the consent of his associate apostles and the first presidency," said Smith, "in order to go before the legisature. He obtained that that consent."

An effort was made to show that Smoot could not act of his free will, but Smith declared the consent amounted to nothing more than a release from his duties in the church in case he was elected. Mr. Smith said if Mr. Smoot had persisted in running for office without the consent of his associates he would not have lost his official position, but would have been out of harmony with "the 12."

PREPARING TO RETIRE

Russian Forces Anticipate an Early Attack Upon Yin Kow

Yin Kow, March 4.—The Russo-Chinese bank is closing, preparatory to removing to Mukden. Women and children are preparing to leave Yin Kow in anticipation of the arrival of a Japanese fleet, which is expected when the river opens, probably a fortnight hence.

The United States gunboat Helena and the British cruiser Espiegle are making preparations to leave the drydocks in a week's time.

The mainmast of the Russian gunboat Sivoutch has been cut off. This would indicate that she is being dismantled, but otherwise she would appear to be clearing for action.

On account of the impossibility of defending the coast at Yin Kow until such time as a thaw permits the construction of entrenchments and forts, the Russians have prepared to retire up the main railroad line. There are practically no defenses here and, although the shifting and reshifting of troops and artillery to the small forts at the mouth of the Liao river has the appearance of an intention to defend Yin Kow, the military authorities depend upon an inland engagement to put a stop to the Japanese advance.

That the Japanese will arrive before a thaw permits the construction of defenses is thought here to be practically certain. It would appear also that the authorities expect Port Arthur to be besieged.

Bomb-Throwing at Seoul

Tokio, March 4.—An intrigue on the part of the opposition at Seoul against the conclusion of the Japanese-Korean protocol culminated in the throwing of bombs at the residences of the foreign minister and his secretary. They escaped uninjured.

Warship Going After Refugees

Washington, March 4.—Minister Allen reports to the state department that he has determined to send an American ship to the vicinity of Ping Yang to remove to a place of safety the women among the refugees gathered there. The cruiser Cincinnati, which is at Chemulpo, will bring away these people.

To Fight For the Mikado

San Jose, Cal., March 4.—Sixty Japanese laborers from the southern section of Santa Clara county walked in a body to San Jose, bearing the Japanese and American flags, where the party took a train for San Francisco, whence they will sail for Japan to take part in the war.

Korea Under Martial Law

Tokio, March 4.—General Inouye, the Japanese commander at Seoul, with the consent of the Korean government, has issued an order corresponding with the proclamation of martial law.

Taking Away Negro Vote

Annapolis, Md., March 4.—The Democratic organization measure, being a proposed amendment to the state constitution to regulate the suffrage and admittedly for the purpose of eliminating the negro vote, was passed in the state senate. No Republican senator had anything to say in opposition to it nor was it championed by any of the Democrats. The bill received all the Democratic votes, while the eight Republican senators were against it.

Once King of Boodlers

New York, March 4.—John Keenan, known in the days of the famous "boodle" board of aldermen as the "Bismarck of the county Democracy," died at his home in Hollis, L. I., last night, where he had been living quietly for several years with his three children. Keenan was head and front of the great "boodle" conspiracy by which the board of aldermen of 1884 was bribed to give the Broadway railway franchise to Jacob Sharp.

Prince's Sanity Questioned

Berlin, March 4.—The inquiry into the sanity of Lieutenant Prince Prosper Von Arenberg, during the period of his cruelties to natives as commander of a station in German Southwest Africa, has begun. The prince has shown evidences of insanity. The object now is to learn if he was deranged in 1899, when he was guilty of the acts which resulted in his conviction.

To Pigeonhole Resolution

Washington, March 4.—By a unanimous vote, the house committee on postoffices and postroads has decided to report the Hay resolution calling for information touching the improper use of "influence" by members of the house to secure increases in salary for postmasters, additional clerk hire, etc., to the house with the recommendation that it lie on the table.

Alarm In Mohawk Valley

Fonda, N. Y., March 4.—The Mohawk valley is threatened with the most damaging flood in many years. Not in 40 years has there been as much snow to pass off and from indications the break-up has commenced. The people of the valley are greatly alarmed.

Sailors Need Change of Air

Washington, March 4.—The cruisers New York and Boston and the gunboats Bennington and Concord have left Panama and gone to Callao, Peru, to give the officers and men a change of air made necessary by their long stay in the vicinity of the isthmus.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Saturday, March 5.
Sun rises—6:14; sets—5:39.
Moon rises—10:07 p. m.
High water—1:30 a. m.; 1:45 p. m.

The western storm has advanced to the lower St. Lawrence valley and the cold wave has overspread its rear. The weather will be fair and decidedly colder in New England.

FIFTEEN ARE DEAD

Collapse of New York Skyscraper to Be Thoroughly Probed

New York, March 4.—There are 15 dead, 15 known to have been injured and three persons reported missing as the result of the collapse of the unfinished Darlington apartment hotel building on West Forty-Sixth street and of the resultant injury to the Hotel Patterson, directly in the rear of the collapsed building.

The body of Frank Allison, brother of the president of the Allison Realty company, owners and general contractors for the building, was taken from the ruins last night. Allison is supposed to have been on the ninth floor of the building at the time of the disaster. The body was horribly mangled and was in a network of iron girders. Frank Allison was engaged to be married to Miss Amy L. Marquitz of St. Louis. Allison was an expert gunner in the United States navy, serving in the Spanish-American war. He returned from the Philippines but a few months ago.

District Attorney Jerome, Coroner Scholer and officials of the building department have begun an investigation and will seek to place the responsibility for the disaster. Building Inspector French says that violations of the building laws that were reported by him were corrected by the contractors from time to time. None of these violations, he says, was responsible for the collapse of the building. In his opinion the uprights, instead of cast iron, should have been of steel, and that, if cast iron were used, it should have been in the girders. District Attorney Jerome said he is not yet ready to make public any results of his investigations thus far.

Disastrous Prairie Fires

Lawton, O. T., March 4.—Prairie fires that swept over large portions of Kiowa and Comanche counties destroyed hundreds of farm buildings and much live stock, made 1000 persons homeless, caused the death of several persons, threatened a number of towns and swept away scores of buildings in the outskirts of the towns. Four deaths have been verified. The country was very dry, no rain having fallen for months. Estimates of the loss exceed $200,000.

Debate of Wide Range

Washington, March 4.—For almost four hours the senate, while technically engaged on the naval appropriation bill, discussed a wide range of subjects, including the policy of the United States in the Philippines and the Russo-Japanese war. Mr. Hale, in charge of the naval bill, criticized the plans of the naval board as tending to an establishment beyond the needs of the country. Messrs. Lodge Depew and Perkins defended the naval officers.

May Make Concessions

Indianapolis, March 4.—The joint sub-committee of miners and operators have not yet reached an agreement on the wage scale. Though the operators are demanding a reduction that would amount to a little more than 10 cents a ton on screened coal and a proportionate reduction on run-of-mine and machine mined coal, it is reported that they will finally make concessions to the point of signing a scale based on a 5 or 6 percent reduction.

Diphtheria on Training Ship

San Juan, P. R., March 4.—The United States training ship Monongahela will not be able to sail for Hampton Roads March 10 as expected. Two new cases of diphtheria have been discovered among the crew. There are now 13 in the hospital and many under observation. The naval authorities insist that the sickness was contracted at San Juan.

Bank Call From Treasury

Washington, March 4.—Secretary Shaw has notified all special national bank depositories that they will be required to pay, on account of the Panama canal purchase, 20 percent of their holdings of government funds on or before March 25. The 20 percent aggregates about $30,000,000, leaving about $20,000,000 to be supplied from the treasury.

Kansas Politicians Disagree

Garnett, Kan., March 4.—There was a split in the Republican convention of the Second Kansas congressional district here, one faction renominating Congressman J. D. Bowersock of Lawrence, the other naming H. J. Allen of Ottawa, editor of The Herald.

Strike Breaker Assaulted

Chicago, March 4.—Edward Tenney, one of the men employed by the Western Union Telegraph company in place of striking messenger boys, was attacked by three young men, who knocked him down and stabbed him. Tenney was badly cut.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Miss Sandol Milliken, the actress, was married at New York to Carlos F. Stoddard of New Haven. Mrs. Stoddard will retire permanently from the stage.

Early this morning the sergeant of police in charge of the ruins telephoned for an ambulance, saying a man had been found there who was still alive.

General Davis, judge advocate general of the army, has been selected to represent the United States government at the meeting in Geneva next May to revise the Red Cross rules.

Denny hall, one of the finest buildings connected with Dickinson college, Carlisle, Pa., was destroyed by fire. The structure was erected five years ago at a cost of $25,000.

A business block at Whitefield, N. H., was burned, resulting in a loss of $15,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

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r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 3	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	alc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	clc	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 06	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

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TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.
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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brockville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.30, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 8.10 A. M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON 7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 3d, 1904. The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 466, for band concerts in places controlled by Metropolitan Park Commissioners; Senate bill No. 154, to limit expenditures by Metropolitan Park Commission; and House bill No. 783, as to cost of maintaining park system, at room No. 436, State House, on Tuesday, March 8th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 4-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 3, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the twelfth annual report of the Secretary of the Commonwealth (Pub. Doc. 46) as relates to the solemnization of marriages by officers of the Salvation Army; petition (Senate, No. 194) of Joseph Maggi, for an amendment of the law relative to marriages; petition (House, No. 886) of J. J. Good, for legislation relative to neglected children; petition (Senate, No. 105) of Frederick W. Dallinger, for legislation to simplify the transfer of real estate; petition (House, No. 434) of William H. Gove, for legislation to simplify the transfer of property and prescribing shorter forms of conveyance, at room No. 227, State House, on Wednesday, March 9th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. A. M. TAFT, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 4-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 3, 1904. The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate bill No. 155, for land for Nantasket Beach reservation; House bill No. 789, on park Boston may build along Charles River Basin; and House bill No. 782, to relieve Cambridge of certain assessments for improving borders of Charles River, at room No. 436, State House, on Wednesday, March 9, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 4-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 2, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in House bills Nos. 456, 457, 543, 766, 767, 888, 991 and 992, and Senate bills Nos. 145 and 146, relative to the sale and distribution of trading stamps, checks, coupons, prize packages and similar devices, at room No. 227, State House, on Tuesday, March 8th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 4-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 2, 1904. The Committee on Mercantile Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition (with accompanying House Bill No. 906) of Warren A. Reed, president, for legislation to extend the powers and to increase the number of trustees of the Brockton Union Cemetery, at room No. 431, State House, on Tuesday, March 8th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. F. M. HEATH, Chairman. FRANK SEIBERLICH, Clerk of the Committee. 4-2t

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	35	38	54	32	30
Monday,	39	48	—	—	—
Tuesday,	38	45	44	42	27
Wednesday,	43	37	38	41	54
Thursday,	48	28	33	35	52
Friday,	27	27	48	40	36
Saturday,	—	28	47	34	37

New Advertisements Today.

Boston Globe Notice.
Wanted—Ladies to sell goods.
State House Hearings.
The New Boston Herald.
For Sale—Horse.
Wanted—Board in Private Family.
For Sale—Retail Trade.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

A fashion letter by Olive Harper tomorrow.

Thomas Dean has left the employ of F. K. Brown.

Mrs. Michael Canty of Norfolk Downs is still critically ill.

The walking today is a decided improvement over that of Thursday.

New furnishings for the judge's room at the district court have arrived.

Only six weeks to the opening of the base ball season. The Americans will play their first game in Boston April 18.

A two-column illustrated letter on "Torpedo warfare and its evolution," will appear in the Saturday eight-page Ledger.

Charles E. Woodbury with long experience in household furnishings is now associated with W. G. Shaw's furniture warehouse.

George F. Rowland, a resident of Japan for fifteen years, will speak at Bethany church Sunday evening on the situation in the East.

The Atlantic play ground is one sheet of ice today after the thaw and the skating is excellent. It is being greatly enjoyed by the children.

The annual report of the School Committee which deals with inadequate school accommodations will appear in the Saturday eight-page Ledger.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Quincy Point church will hold its regular weekly prayer-meeting this evening, instead of Tuesday evening as usual.

A hearing was held at the State House this morning on the petition of Mayor Bryant to have the Metropolitan Park Commission take that part of Randolph avenue that is in the Blue Hill Reservation.

The Saturday eight-page Ledger will print a letter from the Emperor of Russia to the Minister at Washinton under date of July 10, 1861, showing the friendly interest of Russia toward the United States at time of the Civil War.

An event of considerable importance to the Finnish church on Buckley street was the dedication on Thursday evening of the new organ. The instrument cost $200, and in the hands of experts it proved its worth. There was a large attendance.

The Twenty Associates held a very enjoyable whist party at I. O. O. F. hall, Thursday evening. Souvenirs were given to Mrs. Beatrice Porterfield, picture; Mr. Charles Crane, salad dish; Mrs. John Robertson, fancy work basket; Mrs. Mary Crane, platter; Mrs. Higgs, ash tray.

"Ruggles, if I had such a cough as that I should do something for it."

"That cough, Wiggins, is indispensible. When a life insurance agent call to see me I turn it on and he never stays longer than about three minutes."—Chicago Tribune.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

NICOL SURPRISED.

At Ruling of Supreme Court over Granite Association.

The ruling of the Supreme court in favor of the plaintiff in the suit of Fred Martel against James N. White and other members of the Granite Manufacturers' Association, came as a surprise to members of the association. They had looked to the Supreme court, which was in favor of the defendants, to sustain the finding of the Superior court. The decision means a new trial and another bill of expense.

Harry S. Nicol, president of the Granite Manufacturers Association when seen by a representative of the Ledger Thursday morning had not then read the decision. He said it had been a long time coming. He thought it strange that the Association could not make rules to govern its members. The decision, however, will not prevent us from having an Association but will prevent the Association from disciplining members who have business with manufacturers who are not members of the association. There never was a rule that a member should not sell stock to a firm that was not a member of the Association, but it was understood that he should not. If he did so the association would discipline him by a fine. Under the decision a quarry owner can sell his stock to anyone he sees fit whether he is a member or not of the association.

$25 for a Handkerchief.

It cost John M. Connell just $25 to take a silk handkerchief, valued possibly at fifty cents, from War Sing, a Weymouth laundryman, without permission. Connell had been drinking, and it is alleged that he entered War Sing's laundry. Among the things in the laundry was a silk handkerchief. The sight of that handkerchief was too much for Connell. He desired to possess it for his own. War Sing would not give it to him, so he took it. His arrest followed and the court said a $25 fine was about the proper thing. It almost took Connell's breath away, and he sat down and moped his forehead with a red bandana.

Concert at Atlantic.

A concert, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. of Atlantic was given in Memorial Congregational church Thursday evening. Owing to the storm the attendance was somewhat small but those present were appreciative and enthusiastic. Boston and local talent were represented and all the artists kindly responded to encores. The singing was excellent, the reading sprightly and entertaining and the cornet solos by little Miss Silverstein were roundly applauded.

The artists were: Miss Annie Silverstein, cornetist; Miss Florence Adams, soprano; Miss Alice Gertrude Coe, contralto; Miss Elizabeth Frost, pianist; Mr. Paul Plancon, baritone; and Miss Marian Nichols, reader.

The projected new school of charities will fill a long felt want, especially if it teaches how to dispense with the services of faddists. The poor have long suffered from fads, as well as from poverty.—Herald.

Time loans are now quoted at less than five per cent in the money market.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Halls' family Pills are the best.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

DIED.

GARRITY—In East Boston, March 3, Rev. J. Garrity, formerly of Quincy, aged 43 years and 8 months.

MARTIN—In West Quincy, March 1, Margaret Gillespie, daughter of Mr. M. J. and Mrs. Gertrude Early Martin, aged 2 years, 9 months and 1 day.

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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	1	9:48 p. m.	New Moon	17	0:33 a. m
Third Quarter	8	8:00 p. m.	First Quarter	24	4:31 p. m
			Full Moon	31	7:44 a. m.

SPRING STYLES.

Fresh and Attractive Points — The New Shirt Waist Suit.

Spring styles, perennial in their interest and pleasure to everybody possessing a spark of femininity, are again upon us, and the Pictorial Review depicts some of them as follows:

Most coats have large sleeves, some open, some closed, with large cuffs, all showing the "lingerie" idea. Some have underpuffs of lace with a deep cuff extending over the hand, or a deep frill of lace falls from the slit in the back of the cuff.

The new boleros hang very loose; the sleeves are wide with wide cuffs and fall of lace over the hands. The fronts turn back with facings of embroidery. Lace applications and ruches of plaited narrow ribbon trim the deep capes that fall over the shoulders. Some beautiful trimming effects are obtained by bars of braid crossed over bands of silk. A very little gold or silver is a charming touch in a trimming. Much of it, however, would tend to cheapen the effect. Then there are the handsome embroidered buttons of various sizes. These make delightful fancy work, being mounted on wooden button molds when finished.

A very important item is the absence of the high collar on the new coats and most of the blouses. This is another of the charming 1830 revivals, the dainty turndown collar of embroidery



WASHABLE SHIRT WAIST SUIT.

or lace setting off the throat. Of course the high collar must remain because so many women cannot wear low collars, but even these may find a compromise in the wide throat band of black velvet ribbon tied in a pretty little bow at the side. A lace barbe or soft satin ribbon may take the place of the velvet if preferred.

The turndown collar is finished with one of the old fashioned large brooches, worn with or without the flat 1830 bow.

With these low collar effects the long drop earrings are making their appearance, and the long tress of hair is also en regle.

Blouses are a great vogue in complete suits in the lighter weight materials, coming really under the description of shirt waist suits. Most of these have low yokes, the fullness being shirred on and again drawn together at the waist under the very fashionable wide belt. But these high belts are rounder than they were, giving the Russian blouse effect. Instead of shirring, tucking is often used, the shirring having too full an effect for many figures.

Many blouses open over pretty vests of fancy silk, tucked muslin or embroidery. What is called the "surplice waist" is in favor, the bertha falling deep over the shoulders, crossing in front below the bust and ending on the left in the waistband. This is a becoming mode for stout figures and is here illustrated in a washable shirt waist suit trimmed with flat ruffles and lace medallions.

In the fancy styles everything is 1830, with the addition of up to date art—puffings set on with narrow plaited ruches of ribbon, ruchings of shirred and plaited silk and trimmings of braid, much of which is treated in the same manner.

Little flat conventional bows are made of the material of the dress, cut on the bias, either hemmed or bound and finished with a little button in the middle. Others are made of three or four flat loops forming a sort of clover leaf, from which depend two or three ends made in the same way.

The skirts are plaited or shirred to the waistband with single or double panel fronts. Only tall figures may wear such broken lines in skirts, but there are so many lovely styles that give grace and slimness that one can easily find just the right thing. The long flowing lines, the panel effects and long strappings are a boon to the stout figure. A little shirring can be introduced in the design without any detriment.

Hip yokes are correct, but are not as much seen as has been the case. It is just a matter of "figure." The skirts fall full about the feet, long in front, the lengthening of the train being gradual and round and not so long as it has been.

The Good Housekeeper.

Who stands in her place with a smile on her face
And is keeping her little world clean.

EFFECT OF A FIRE.

The Way Two Women Were Changed From Enemies to Friends.

"It is curious how a fire will make people forget the conventionalities," said an M street woman. "For two years I've lived where I live now, and I've never made the acquaintance of my next door neighbor. Indeed, what with the birds she keeps and my pet cat, we've gone beyond being mere strangers and have become almost open enemies.

"The night of the fire at the church near us I flew to the window at the first sound of the engines. I couldn't persuade my husband to put on his coat and go with me. So as fires have a perfectly irresistible fascination for me I dashed out alone. Almost the first person I saw was an intoxicated negro, and I simply reached out and took hold of a strange woman's arm. She was alone in the crowd, as I was, and we clung together for support for a half hour or so. We talked as if we'd known each other always, and it wasn't until I was going home that I really looked at the woman's face. It was my next door neighbor, and we both laughed when each recognized the other.

"We went off home like old cronies and had a cup of hot coffee together before we parted. I like her immensely, and I hope she likes me. We've been marketing together twice and once to the matinee. We're going to be chums, and if there hadn't been a fire in the neighborhood I suppose we'd have gone on forever detesting each other."—Washington Post.

ABILITY TO DRINK MILK.

It Is a Test of Perfect Digestion In Nearly All Cases.

Milk is known to be one of the few complete foods. It contains the bone, muscle and fat producing elements and sustains the heat of the body. The milk of different classes of animals (mammals) varies in composition to suit the different requirements, thus mare's milk is richer in sugar, but lacking in protein compared with cow's milk.

Another fact of interest connected with milk is found in the difficulty with which some persons digest plain milk. It is safe to say that should any organ, secretion or digestive juice fail to perform its free duty the milk consumed will not be properly digested. The reason for this is simple. Milk contains such a variety of compounds that all portions of the digestive system are called into activity for the digestion of these varied elements. The gastric juice attacks the cheesy matter; the pancreatic and intestinal juices digest the sugars and fats. This takes the milk through the stomach, the small intestines into the large intestine. The lower intestine digests wood fiber also. This alone of all the forms of food nutrients is not found in milk. Because of the facts above stated the ability to drink milk is a test of perfect digestion in nearly all cases.

An Eccentric Bishop.

Bishop Wilson of Calcutta had as housekeeper a venerable lady who remembered the duel between Sir Philip Francis and Warren Hastings on Aug. 17, 1780. On entering the cathedral on a Sunday morning, fully robed, lawn sleeves and all, and passing the pew where the old lady sat, he would pause and give her the "kiss of peace" before all the congregation, and this although he had met her at breakfast.

His sermons, too, were racy. Preaching against dishonesty, especially in horseflesh, as one of the great English failings in India, he went on, "Nor are we, servants of the altar, free from yielding to this temptation." Pointing to the occupant of the reading desk below him: "There is my dear and venerable brother, the archdeacon, down there. He is an instance of it. He once sold me a horse. It was unsound. 'I was a stranger, and he took me in.'"

How Eels Spawn.

Eels spawn like other fishes. For long, however, the most remarkable theories were held as to their birth. One of the old beliefs was that they sprang from mud. A rival theory held that young eels developed from fragments separated from their parents' bodies by the rubbing against rocks.

One old author not only declared that they came from May dew, but gave the following recipe for producing them: "Cut up two turfs covered with May dew and lay them one upon the other, the grassy sides inward, and then expose them to the heat of the sun. In a few hours there will spring from them an infinite quantity of eels."

Two Differently Translated Brethren

The development of names under the influence of foreign environment is shown in the experience of a lawyer who was endeavoring to locate the heirs of a German family named Kline, who had been over here scarcely more than a generation. Two brothers were supposed to be the sole descendants, and he finally found one in San Francisco under the name of Litle and the other in Boston known as Mr. Small.—Boston Record.

The Watchful One.

"Now, Thomas," said a certain bishop after taking his servant to task one morning, "who is it that sees all we do and hears all we say and knows all we think and who regards even me in my bishop's robes as but a vile worm of the dust?"

And Thomas replied, "The missus sir!"—London Globe.

One secret act of self denial, one sacrifice of inclination to duty, is worth all the mere good thoughts, warm feelings, passionate prayers, in which some people indulge themselves.—Detroit News-Tribune.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

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PERT PARAGRAPHS.

February usually makes up in quality what it lacks in quantity.

A woman's idea of heaven is a place where she won't be obliged to cater to the little foibles of any one.

It would be well to be several miles away when they smash the egg trust.

A married man does not know how his wife dresses her hair, but you cannot fool him on the girls he sees.



When there is a deep snow, the mule has the laugh on the automobile.

Most men believe in the equality of the sexes so long as it does not interfere with their physical comforts.

Columbus went at his trick of making an egg stand on end with so much confidence that he must have been personally acquainted with the hen that laid it.

A watch in the vest is worth two in the pawn shop.

Perhaps we lock the stable door after the horse is stolen to let the thief know that we resent the theft.

No excuse is better than a very poor one.

Jealousy is Cupid's fire alarm.

Sometimes a man's conscience does not trouble him because he is not on speaking terms with it.

Has Some Good Points.

In looking for a boarding place
Discriminating men
Would hardly pick the county jail,
The dingy, local pen,
Yet I've been told by those who know
There are worse places they might go.

You do not get the choicest fare,
The service is not great,
But for such fodder as you get
You do not have to wait
Or wonder how you're going to pay
The bill for three square meals a day.

The landlord never comes around
To get his monthly pay;
The gas man has no claim on you;
The iceman keeps away,
And, though outside may rage a storm,
The county has to keep you warm.

The life insurance agent
Gives you a wide, wide berth;
The man who peddles shoestrings
Don't know you are on earth,
And no one tries to make a touch
When you are in the law's stern clutch.

One of the many reasons
Why patrons it should win
Is it's so very easy
A pudding to break in;
As one of the Don't Worry club
They list you as they pass the grub.

He Had Tried It.

"Some of the doctors are claiming now that it is unhealthy to take a bath."

"Nonsense!" said Red Gulch Bill. "I took one ten years ago, and I guess if it was going to hurt me I would be beginning to feel the effects of it pretty soon."

Didn't Impress Her.

"Because his mustache was sprouting he thought he could cut a swath with the girls, but he had to retire from the field when he met Miss Rogers."

"What did she do?"

"She called it down."

Is Clear Gain.

When writing by the column,
With so much space to fill,
It helps fill up the measure
To
write
down
hill.

Would Like To.

"Johnny, do you do to others as you would have them do to you?"

"Yes'm, when I have to, but I just wish I was big enough to lick that teacher that whaled me this morning."

Ready to Eat.

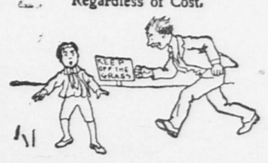
"Erastus Johnson does not have to buy any eggs, as his neighbors keep their henhouse doors unlocked."

"What you might call poached eggs, I suppose."

How Reformers Are Made.

When some one hollers for reform
All up and down the town,
Then it's a bet quite safe and warm
The bosses turned him down.

Regardless of Cost.



"You say he caused two blades of grass to grow where there was but one before. How did he do it?"

"He bought three dollars' worth of grass seed and ten dollars' worth of fertilizer."

Make Restitution.

In stealing kisses if you're caught
Red handed with the smack
You should in restitution
Pay double measure back.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

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WANTED.

WANTED—First Class Board desired with family of refinement, residing in a desirable locality. Compensation commensurate with such requirements is understood. Address R. C. D., this office.
Quincy, March 4. 1p-1t

WANTED—Ladies to sell our goods in Quincy and vicinity. Can make $25 per week. Address, THE HICKOK CO., 19 Crown street, New Haven, Conn. March 4-3t

WANTED—House of 6 or 7 rooms in Quincy, or vicinity, near cars, with convenience for keeping poultry. Address F. B., Ledger Office. March 2-3t

WANTED—All kinds of sewing. Children's clothing a specialty. Misses' shirt waists and skirts made at reasonable prices and satisfaction guaranteed. MRS. MITCHELL, 247 Whitwell street, opposite Cranch School. Quincy, Feb. 1-tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Furnished Room in private family with or without board. Modern improvements. Address C., Ledger Office. Feb. 27. 6t

TO LET—48 Revere Road. Two medium size sunny Rooms with small room adjoining, also large front room, furnished. Light housekeeping allowed. Hot water heat in two. Nice bath room.
Quincy, Feb. 20. tf

TO LET—House on Hayward street, East Braintree, 10 finished and 3 unfinished rooms, suitable for 2 families. Large stable adjoining. 15 minutes' walk from Fore River ship yards. Apply at 146 Franklin street.
Quincy, Feb. 23. tf

TO LET—Wollaston, near station, Modern House, 9 rooms, bath, set tubs, furnace, range, cemented cellar, open fireplace, hard floors, electric lights. Rent reasonable. For session April 1st. Address or apply EDWARD B. MARSH, 41 Irving place, Quincy.
Feb. 15. tf

TO LET—Stable, 3 stalls, large loft, water, 198 Washington street. Apply C. W. GAREY, M. D., 1247 Hancock street.
Quincy, Jan. 30. tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Emmes & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Work Horse, thin of flesh. Low price. Apply 18 Kendrick avenue.
Quincy, March 4. 2t

FOR SALE—Money-making Business Retail Route, well-established among A 1 trade. Clean goods to handle. *Will be sold*, with horse, wagons, runners *and other equipments*, for price of teams alone. Address "M.," care Letter Carrier Willett, Quincy Post Office.
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FOR SALE—A very nice light Speed Sleigh, and an old Comfort Sleigh, newly varnished. Apply to W. P. BARKER, Greenleaf street. Quincy, Feb. 18-tf

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FOR RENT.

HOUSE of 7 rooms and bath, all modern improvements, electric lights, with stable at Quincy Point. Within one minute of the electric cars and within ten minutes' walk of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company. Apply at the office of FRANK F. CRANE, 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 24. tf

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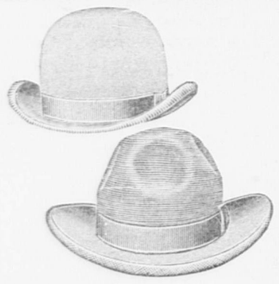
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Are marshaled by the Will,
And move onward to the drum beat of Perfection.
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Quincy people hope that Dr. Jeffrey R. Brackett, who has been called from Baltimore to Boston, by Harvard University and Simmons college, will return to his boyhood home on Goffe street, making his home in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Brackett will be greatly missed in Baltimore where they have lived for several years and are honored for their interest in all philantbropic and charitable work.

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The last literary meeting of the Unity club for this season will be held next Friday evening in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry, bringing the study of Japan to an end. It has been a profitable and interesting season for the club and especially timely on account of the present war.

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Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson, of School street, who are registered at the Pine Forest Inn, Summerville, S. C., write enthusiastically of the place. They are in the midst of a pine forest with violets, japonicas, azaleas and narcissus in bloom and shrubs just coming into bloom, with song birds every where especially the mocking bird. The climate is delightful and they have not had a stormy day since leaving Quincy. Mrs. Stetson is entering into the social life of the place with her her usual enjoyment, attending cake walks, card parties and dances.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Sheldon of East Milton have gone to Florida to remain until April 1st. They will divide the time between Palm beach and Indian river.

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The Smart Set whist club met with Miss Laura Hall of Billings street, Tuesday evening. Poster pictures of members were given as favors. Prizes were won by Miss Florence Buckston, Miss Gertrude Hall, Miss Addie Mae Ruggles and Miss Grace Batson. Refreshments were served during the evening followed by sherbet and cake at the close of the game. The next meeting will be held on March 8, with Miss Batson.

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Miss Marcia Keith of Braintree has returned from Nashua, N. H., after a six weeks' visit with relatives.

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The Monday club of Weymouth is interested in Arts and Crafts and will make that the subject of their meeting on March seventh. An interesting speaker has been secured and a delightful afternoon is anticipated by the club.

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NEVER A TIME IN 10 YEARS

"When More and Better School Rooms Than Were Available Have Not Been Actually Needed."

Says the Annual Report of the School Committee of Quincy.

"The City Can Have No More Urgent Need in Any Other Direction" Than to Enlarge High Schoolhouse.

The annual report of the School Committee of Quincy is more emphatic on lack of school accommodations than usual, and it would almost seem as if the patience of the board was exhausted over the dilatory manner in which the needs of our schools are met. Some very convincing figures are also given which prove that our schools are becoming more and more economical, instead of more and more extravagant, as many people seem to think. The cost per pupil in Quincy in 1903 was $5.85 less than the average of the State. The report is addressed "to the Citizens of Quincy," and the Ledger gives it in full:

There are three subjects to which the attention of the citizens of Quincy is urgently and most respectfully invited by their School Committee.

First: — School accommodations.

Second: — School expenses.

Third: — Efficiency of the schools as affected by the personal attention of parents to the work of their children.

(1) SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS

This is a subject mentioned in almost every school report for the last ten or fifteen years and always with sufficient reason.

When Quincy became a city in 1889, there were in its schools 2,619 children, and its property was valued at $12,319,245.00. Today, there are 5,111 school children, and the valuation is $23,074,315.00 — the proportional increase in property and children being about equal. During this time, the Willard, Lincoln, High, Massachusetts Fields, Gridley Bryant, Cranch, and Washington schools have been built at a great outlay of money. They are all brick buildings, in which the citizens of Quincy can take just pride and satisfaction. They are as good as the times demand, but not better.

In all these years, there has not been a time when more and better school rooms than were available have not been actually needed.

By a very little more yearly outlay, this condition might have been avoided and children not have been compelled to attend school in a basement, as is the case with twenty-five children in the Coddington, nor to have been over crowded as at the Lincoln; where, today eighty pupils of two different classes recite to two teachers in a room intended to accommodate forty,—a pursuit of knowledge under great difficulties. One class in this building, also, has been located in the basement. Whenever the call has been made for new schoolhouses, time has always proved the wisdom of the request.

The school children of Quincy are increasing at the rate of about two hundred twenty-five per year, thus necessitating the construction of a building as large as the Cranch every two years. To be specific as to the immediate needs: —

A schoolhouse should be built at Atlantic and, at the earliest feasible date, the High School building should be enlarged.

The Conditions at Atlantic

The present building is not constructed in accordance with the requirements of the laws of Massachusetts and there are in the seven lower grades an average of fifty-four scholars where there should be but forty. For several years, sixty to eighty pupils have been cared for in a building not owned by the city, for which a yearly rent of about $500 has been paid. A new schoolhouse at Atlantic would provide also for an increase of children at Norfolk Downs where there are already four hundred scholars.

The Needs of the High School

In 1901, the attention of the City Council was called to the situation here. Today, there are six hundred pupils in this school. Of this number, one hundred thirty-five are located in the old High School house, a mile away from the principal, in unhygienic and uncomfortable surroundings. For lack of space elsewhere, the typewriters are crowded into the corridors.

In the new High School building, which has accommodations for three hundred fifty only, there are four hundred thirty-five scholars; consequently two classes are compelled to

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FR. GARRITY.

Notable Funeral from St. John's Church.

Distinguished Clergymen Present.

Also Parishioners and the Sunday School of East Boston.

The funeral of Rev. John J. Garrity was held this morning at 10.15 from St. John's church. The services were very largely attended. Hundreds were present from the church of the Assumption at East Boston where Fr. Garrity had been located ever since his ordination in 1888. There were also many personal Quincy friends present as well as many clergymen.

The body was taken from his father's residence on Cottage street to the church last evening at 8.45, and was escorted by fully five hundred parishioners from the church of the Assumption.

The body was met at the church by Rev. J. J. Coan, Rev. John J. Casey and Rev. P. A. Hayes, who chanted the office of the dead.

The casket containing the remains was placed in front of the altar, and the cover removed, so that the friends might view the body. It was clothed in the vestments of his office, and in his hand was the chalice with which he daily said mass.

During the evening a service was held for the delegations from the Men and Women's Sodalities, the Assumption C. A. The league of Sacred Heart, the St. Vincent de Paul society, and society for the propagation of faith connected with the church of the Assumption.

Delegations from these societies kept guard over the remains during the night.

The officers of the solemn high mass of requiem which was celebrated this morning were: Rev. John J. Coan, celebrant; Rev. J. J. Griffin of East Boston, deacon; Rev. T. J. Holland of Maplewood, sub-deacon; Rev. Edward Fegan of Natick, master of ceremonies.

The acolytes were: Rev. J. McCarthy of Roxbury and Rev. Daniel S. Sheerin of East Boston; the Thurifer, Rev. P. A. Hayes of Ellsworth, Me.; the chanters, Rev. H. J. Mulligan of Hingham and Rev. Charles W. Ryan of Roxbury.

The eulogy was delivered by Rev. A. F. Roche of St. Marys at West Quincy.

During the services the Gregorian Mass was sung by the choir of St John's and the Assumption churches, under the direction of Miss Anastatia Hughes, organist. At the offertory, Mrs. Mary White Mullen sang "Pie Jesu," and after the mass Mr. Joseph Cook sang "De Profundis."

The ushers at the church were John J. Sheahan, Henry Walters, Joseph Duane and D. J. McLaughlin of East Boston and Thomas M. Elcock, Timothy J. Carey, Thomas J. Dunphy, Jeremiah Ford and Michael T. Sullivan of Quincy.

After the service at the church the remains were taken to St. Mary's cemetery at West Quincy. There the committal service was recited and the benedictus chanted by the priests.

The bearers were: W. J. Burke, J. Frank Murphy, John Dowling, John Kelly, Michael F. McLaughlin, and Thomas McColgan, all of East Boston.

Among the many priests present were:

Vicar Gen. Byrne who was attended by Rev. Michael Clark and Rev. L. P. McCarthy of East Boston.
Bishop Yayback.
Fr. Ubaldus, O. S. F.
Rev. T. H. Holland of Maplewood.
Rev. Edward J. Fegan of Natick.
Rev. P. A. Hayes of Ellsworth, Me.
Rev. J. J. O'Donnell of Abington.
Rev. Walter Brown of South Boston.
Rev. Matthew McDonnell of Braintree.
Rev. J. F. Hamilton of Whitman.
Rev. Frank W. Walsh of Salem.
Rev. David J. Herlihy of Brockton.
Rev. J. J. McCarthy of Roxbury.
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TORPEDO WARFARE AND ITS EVOLUTION

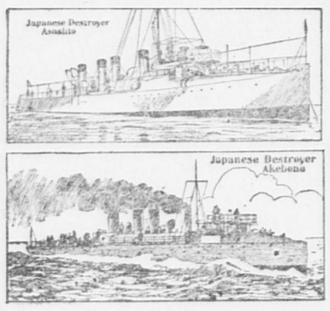
The Japanese Most Successful..... The Torpedo Boat and the Destroyer

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The success of the Japanese torpedo attack on the Russian fleet at Port Arthur has had its effect on professional opinion here. The torpedo boat and the destroyer will figure strongly in the next naval appropriation bill, while already orders have been given to equip with torpedoes cruisers like the New Orleans, which were built with torpedo tubes, but which have never used them.

Rear Admiral Sigsbee said today:

"The torpedo boat is doubtless the most dangerous of all sea fighters. Costing a mere trifle compared with



TWO OF JAPAN'S SWIFT TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYERS.

the cost of the ship it can destroy if it once gets close enough, it is easy to see the difficulty of perfecting a defense, for the torpedo boat man takes every chance to deal the one mortal blow.

"The Russian ships lying at anchor in Port Arthur roadstead had little chance to escape or defend themselves unless the attacking Japs had been discovered by pickets and engaged far enough away to let the fleet aimed at get ready."

It is a curious fact that since the invention of the automobile torpedo Japan has been the only country to use it with marked success. In the Chinese war Japanese torpedo boats sank three ironclads and two other ships, while in the Spanish-American war not one torpedo was fired with success.

The automobile torpedo, a Whitehead, was first used by Russians in December, 1877, when it was a very crude affair. It was directed against a Turkish fleet at Batum. The torpedo failed to hit. The second attack with the Whitehead was made by the Russians at the same place two months later. A Turkish guardship was sunk by two torpedo boats.

The third attack, which was unsuccessful, was made against a Chilean ship in the harbor of Valparaiso in January, 1893.

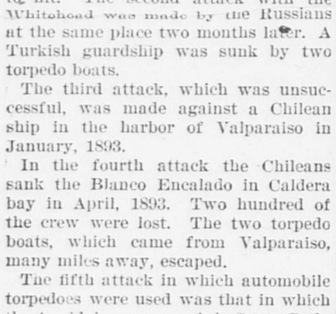
In the fourth attack the Chileans sank the Blanco Encalado in Caldera bay in April, 1893. Two hundred of the crew were lost. The two torpedo boats, which came from Valparaiso, many miles away, escaped.

The fifth attack in which automobile torpedoes were used was that in which the Aquidaban was sunk in Santa Catharina bay, Brazil, in April, 1893. Two boats, which were at first unsuccessful, made a second trial the next night. The first torpedo failing to make a hit, a second was deliberately discharged despite a rain of bullets from the ship.

The most desperate attacks with torpedo boats and automobile torpedoes were made against the Chinese by the Japanese. The first of these was at the battle of Yalu, and, the aim being poor, the attack was unsuccessful. The next attack with torpedoes was made by the Japanese against the land forces at Port Arthur merely to create a diversion.

The eighth attack was made by the Japanese at Weihaiwei, a whole fleet of Chinese vessels being anchored in the harbor at the time. The fleet had taken every precaution, but one ironclad was sunk and one torpedo boat lost.

The ninth attack was made in the same place on the following night, four



A WHITEHEAD TORPEDO AND HOW IT IS LAUNCHED.

boats composing the offensive force. In all eight torpedoes were discharged, and two cruisers and two other boats were sunk.

The tenth attack was that of Feb. 7, 1904, at Port Arthur.

The Whitehead torpedo is shaped like a cigar and is constructed principally of steel. Its dimensions are: Length about sixteen and one-half feet, greatest diameter about seventeen and one-half inches, and it weighs, when ready for use, about half a ton. It is built in five parts, which fit tightly together and give a perfectly smooth outer surface. The head is made of phosphor bronze and contains the charge of gun cotton which is exploded when the torpedo comes in contact with the side of the ship against which it is directed. Compressed air is the motive power, and the chamber containing it is placed next to the head. This part has to be of great strength, for the air is pumped into it until a pressure of considerably more than 1,000 pounds per square inch is obtained.

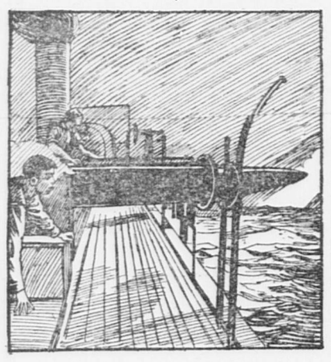
Next to the compressed air chamber comes the balance chamber, or the immersion chamber, as it is also called. This contains the machinery which keeps the torpedo at the desired depth below the surface of the water. The after compartment contains the engines and the steering apparatus. The tailpiece carries the two propellers, the fixed fins intended to steady the motion and two pairs of rudders, one vertical and horizontal, to give it the desired direction.

The plunge of the torpedo into the water opens a valve which lets the compressed air into the engine room and sets the propellers going. The torpedo may be launched either above or below water.

The torpedo is exploded when its nose comes in contact with any obstacle lying in its path, the force of the blow driving the firing pin against a detonator. To prevent accidents while handling a torpedo, or a premature discharge as it makes its plunge into the water, this firing apparatus is so constructed that it will not operate until the torpedo has traveled some distance from the ship.

So many are the devices employed in the newest Whiteheads to insure their accuracy that the boat which lets loose such a missile may be reasonably certain that it will reach its mark if it has been properly aimed at the start. Usually the torpedo tubes are fixed so that they must be aimed by maneuvering the boat, but sometimes the tubes are pivoted like swivel guns.

The original theory of torpedo warfare was that it was to be conducted solely for purposes of defense, and for this reason and others the first torpedo boats were small and adapted only to smooth water, but having very high speed. Torpedo boats of the first class displace from 75 to 100 tons, of the



TORPEDO LEAVING TORPEDO TUBE IN A NIGHT ATTACK.

second class 50 or 60 tons, of the third class 15 to 20 tons. The third class boats can be easily carried on the decks of cruisers and battleships and launched whenever an opportunity of striking a quick blow offers itself. The Russian cruiser Bogatyr of the Vladivostok squadron carries four of these little craft. With the extension of torpedo boat operations from the defensive to the offensive a class of seagoing torpedo boats displacing from 100 to 150 tons has been added to, or rather merged into, the first class.

The torpedo boat destroyer is what its name implies. It is really a larger and swifter torpedo boat, armed with a small battery of rapid fire guns with which to riddle the fragile hull of its prey. The destroyer displaces from 200 to 360 tons. It carries torpedoes and in offensive operations may be used as a torpedo boat to advantage because of its superior seaworthiness as well as its greater speed. It is believed that at least one of the torpedo attacks on Port Arthur was made by destroyers.

The average speed of destroyers is twenty-five to thirty knots. The average speed of torpedo boats is twenty to twenty-five knots. The Velox, an English destroyer with turbine engines, has a record speed of thirty-three knots. Everything is sacrificed to speed both in torpedo boats and destroyers. The hulls are very thin, and their contents are as compact as possible. Nevertheless a flotilla of five destroyers belonging to the United States navy has just made the journey across the Atlantic on its way to Manila without suffering the slightest injury.

Japan has about 100 torpedo boats and destroyers built or building. Russia has about 200 and, in addition, eighteen torpedo gunboats, larger and slower vessels than destroyers, but a great many of them are of ancient pattern, while Japan's are all new and in fine condition. Russia has only about seventy in eastern waters, and of these ten are frozen up in Vladivostok. Admiral Makaroff, who has been sent by the czar to take over the command at Port Arthur from Admiral Stark, who is blamed for the disaster to the Russian fleet there, is probably the highest authority in the Russian navy on the subject of torpedoes. He won his first promotion through his work with torpedoes in the Black sea during the war with Turkey.

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FORCED BARRED DOORS

"Dissenters" Take Posession of A O U W Headquarters

Boston, March 5.—The trouble between the two rival factions of the Ancient Order of United Workmen in Massachusetts reached a climax when representatives of that portion of the order which has declared itself independent of the national body made a forcible entrance into the state headquarters of the organization.

Ever since the split in the order on Feb. 23 the faction clinging to the national body has remained in possession of the society's headquarters. Its representatives have kept the doors barred, and have slept and had their meals served to them in the building.

Late yesterday afternoon Past Master Workman Hickey of Metropolitan lodge, this city, representing the "dissenters," accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Silsby and eight keepers, and armed with a writ of replevin, went to headquarters, and demanded the all records, books and property, including the building, valued at $25,000, be turned over to him. Receiving no answer, the outer and inner doors were broken down with a sledge hammer and Hickey, the deputy and the keepers entered the building.

Police headquarters was notified that burglars were in the building and a sergeant and four patrolmen responded, but when they found what was the trouble they refused to interfere, saying that it was a civil case and out of their province.

Last night representatives of both factions slept at the headquarters of the order. Legal proceedings are now pending to decide which faction has right, title, and interest in the property of the organization. Representatives of the dissenting faction will conduct their business from the headquarters building.

Shipwrecked Crew's Hard Row

Goldboro, N. S., March 5.—The crew of the Gloucester schooner Lizzie M. Stanwood reached here after a row of 110 miles from a point on Sable island, where their vessel was wrecked. Captain Lyons and his seven men made this port after a hard drift in the only dory carried by the schooner.

Gloucester, Mass., March 5.—The Stanwood sailed from Harbor Britain, N. F., for Gloucester on Feb. 13, with a cargo of frozen herring. She was accompanied at the time by the schooner Columbia, which arrived here two weeks ago. As nothing had since been heard from the Stanwood she had been given up as lost.

Stalled For Many Days

Lewistown, Mont., March 5.—Somewhere between here and Lombard one freight and two mixed passenger trains have been buried in snowdrifts for two weeks. Snowplows with big gangs of men have been bucking the drifts night and day, but snow falls almost daily. The missing trains have not been reached and it is probable they will not be found until a thaw sets in. It is believed the snowbound passengers have succeeded in reaching some of the ranches, where they are being taken care of.

"Lord Barrington's" Story

St. Louis, March 5.—"Lord Barrington," on trial for the murder of James P. McCann, testifying in his own behalf, said his real name is Frederick Augustus Barrington Seymour and that he was born in India. He said that he was a war correspondent in South Africa and denied that he was an English crook. He claimed that he and McCann were both attacked by highwaymen and that when he recovered his senses McCann had disappeared.

Call to Canal Commission

Washington, March 5.—Admiral Walker, chairman of the isthmian canal commission, has notified the members of the commission by telegraph to come to Washington at their earliest convenience. He expects the commission will sail for the isthmus on the 22nd instant.

Hotel Destroyed by Fire

Halifax, March 5.—Fire which broke out early this morning destroyed the British-American hotel and three wooden buildings adjoining. The loss is estimated at $60,000. Patrick Shelly, a fireman, fell dead from overexertion while working at the fire.

Drop In Prices of Oil

Pittsburg, March 5.—The Standard Oil company has cut the price of petroleum 3 cents a barrel on all high grades and 2 cents on the lower grades. This is the second reduction of 3 cents this week, making a total of 6 cents.

Albanians' Latest Outbreak

London, March 5.—In a dispatch from Salonica, a correspondent of The Daily Mail says a fresh insurrection has broken out in Albania. Two districts are in open revolt and the Turkish authorities appear to be paralyzed.

Vignaux the Billiard Champion

Paris, March 5.—M. Vignaux, the French billiardist, defeated George Sutton, the American player, in the world's championship match for 500 points. Sutton had obtained only 377 when Vignaux went out.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Charles C. Whitney, for 25 years secretary of the New York Life Insurance company, died suddenly of heart disease while on his way to his home in Brooklyn. He was 71 years old.

Count VonWaldersee is suffering from intestinal inflammation. He is very weak and the worst is feared.

A new see, to be formed by the division of the Hartford Catholic diocese, will, it is said, be placed in charge of Bishop Brady, at present auxiliary bishop of Boston. He will have his episcopal residence at Norwich.

OUR TREASURY SEAL.

The Inscription It Bears and Its Early Significance.

Probably few Americans, young or old, have had sufficient curiosity in examining a bank note to translate the Latin device on the seal of the treasury and to inquire how it happened to read as it does. A writer in the Washington Star believes the inscription throws light on the hopes of our forefathers regarding American dominion.

"Thesaur. Amer. Septent. Sigill." is the legend, an abbreviation of "Thesauri Americæ Septentrionalis Sigillum," "Seal of the Treasury of North America."

The Continental congress in 1778 authorized a committee, consisting of Messrs. Witherspoon, Robert Morris and R. H. Lee, to design seals for the navy and the treasury. The treasury seal has come down to us with very little change.

In those days it was still hoped that Canada would eventually join the Revolution or would at least be wrested from Great Britain before the struggle was over and would become one with this country. That was apparently a project dear to Robert Morris, and he looked upon his country as the whole of North America.

Later, when authorized to establish a bank and a mint "of North America," Morris maintained the legend on the seal, showing that he still hoped for a continental nation. Whenever the seal has been recut the original legend has been adhered to.

INDIA SUPERSTITIONS.

A Typical Story Illustrating the Belief In Animal Ghosts.

India is full of animal ghosts, from the Himalayas to Cape Comorin, if the natives may be believed. Here is a typical story:

"By the beard of my father, sahib, I speak straight words," said an old Mohammedan mahout. "One evening we were hunting wild elephants in the jungle for our lord, the maharaja of Gidhaur. I saw a large tusker alone by a pool. His color was grayish white, and my heart beat fast, for I thought Allah had been gracious to me and had placed in my hands that greatest of all prizes, a lord white elephant. Cautiously I urged my own tame elephant toward him, hoping that while they made friends I could bind him fast to a tree by the rope. My beast trumpeted in terror and trembled violently, but I goaded him on, and then when I put my hand on the white elephant I felt nothing but air. It was a ghost elephant, one of those elephants which come back after death to walk the earth because in this life they went forth and murdered men. I went from the spot as if Shaitan himself were at my heels, and soon afterward I made a pilgrimage to Mecca to avert the curse. But my elephant fell sick and died."

Proving the Convexity of the Earth.

An experiment was made a hundred years ago or so on the Bridgewater canal, in England, to prove the convexity of the earth. At intervals of five miles in a straight stretch of the canal three posts were driven until their tops were precisely six feet above the surface of the water. Then careful measurements and observations were made from either end, with the result that the top of the center post was found to be some distance above a line drawn from top to top of the first and last posts.

The experiments were repeated a number of times, always with the same result. This proves for ordinary persons that the earth is convex, but scientists reached the same conclusions by more scientific ways.

A Sure Thing.

A witty individual one morning wagered that he would ask the same question of fifty different persons and receive the same answer from each. The wit went to first one and then to another until he had reached the number of fifty. And this is how he won the bet: He whispered, half audibly, to each:

"I say, have you heard that Smith has failed?"

"What Smith?" queried the whole fifty, one after another, and it was decided that the bet had been fairly won.—London Tit-Bits.

An Eye to Business.

"So you are going to send his letters back, are you?" asked the blond.

"Yes," replied the brunette, with tears in her eyes. "But not until I have copied them all. They will make a splendid book, and I have a lovely title for them already, 'The Letters of a Lazy Lover.'"—Cincinnati Times-Star.

A Telltale Sign.

"Old Blinker is a confirmed bachelor, isn't he?"

"Yes, but I am sure that he was once engaged."

"Why?"

"Because he tells me there was a certain period of his life when he went to church regularly."—Detroit Free Press.

Her Dangerous Rival.

Jess—They went to the lake district on their wedding trip, and Ethel was wretched. Bess—What was the trouble? Jess—George fell in love with the scenery.

His Balance.

Jinkins—How is your son getting along in his literary labors? Jorkins—Oh, famously! You should see how gracefully he carries his pen behind his ear.—Boston Transcript.

Classified.

"She says she is very fond of music."

"Instrumental?"

"Well, it's instrumental in making the neighbors swear when she gets at the piano."—Exchange.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Emelice R. Wentworth to the Quincy Savings Bank, dated July 26, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 741, page 401, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on MONDAY, March 14, 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:

A certain lot of land containing 7,250 square feet more or less, with all the buildings thereon, situated in Quincy, Massachusetts, and bounded and described as follows:—Northwesterly on land of Adams Temple & School Fund, sixty-five (65) feet; northeasterly on land of William S. Williams, formerly of this grantor, ninety-four and five-tenths (94.5) feet; southeasterly on Granite street, seventy-five (75) feet; southwesterly on land of W. S. Williams, formerly of this grantor, one hundred and fourteen (114) feet.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments, and to a prior mortgage to Quincy Savings Bank, dated February 5, 1873.

Terms, $100 cash at the time and place of sale; balance within ten days at the office of our attorney.

QUINCY SAVINGS BANK,
Mortgagee.

W. W. JENNESS, Attorney,
87 Milk St., Boston, Mass.
Quincy, Mass., Feb. 20, 1904. 20-27-5

IS NOT MANDATORY

Polygamy "Revelation" More In the Nature of Permission

CONSENT OF FIRST WIFE

If It Was Refused to Husband Who Wished to "Espouse a Second Virgin" She Was to Be "Destroyed by the Lord"

Washington, March 5.—Interest in the investigation before the senate committee on privileges and elections of the protests against Senator Smoot of Utah continues unabated. Most of the time yesterday was devoted to introduction of documents subscribed to as the law of the Mormon church. In that connection President Smith, who again was on the stand, testified that if the principle of plural marriages should be attacked it would be defended by the church.

Intense feeling was exhibited by President Smith against individuals who, he said, had spied on the domestic and marital relations of the high officials of the Mormon church, and for that reason he had favored the passage of the Evans bill to prevent prosecutions for polygamous cohabitation, unless complaints were entered by husband or wife against the other. This bill was passed by the Utah legislature, but was vetoed by the governor.

It was brought out that all of Smith's predecessors, as presidents of the Mormon church, had been polygamists, and that the man chosen to succeed him has more than one wife. Mr. Smith was asked which he would obey, the law of the land or revelations from God, if the two were in conflict. He said with him the revelation would be uppermost, although it was not compulsory. He added: "I should not like to be put i a position where I would have to desert my children—I could not do that."

Mr. Smith said that he never had received any revelations direct from God, but that if any should come it might be by audible voice, inspiration known only or heard by himself, or, as in the case of Joseph Smith, Jr., who received the book of Mormon in writing.

Senator Bailey showed a great deal of interest in the subject of the manifesto and directed a number of questions to ascertain whether that was a revelation or a proclamation provoked by the knowledge that congress intended to interfere in the continuance of polygamous marriages. Mr. Smith said the manifes'' was a revelation to President Woodruff.

Senator Foraker asked whether the members of the church were compelled to practice the polygamous marriages, and if that was true, why it is that only three or four percent of the Mormons have practiced what has been declared to be a divine command.

Mr. Smith called for a copy of the book of doctrine and covenants and read a part of the revelation, which, he said, had been accepted in the nature of permission to take pulral wives and was not mandatory upon the members of the church. Other passages from the same revelation were read, particularly the portions which prescribe the manner of taking more than one wife. It was set forth that if one wanted to espouse a second virgin he could do so by obtaining the consent of the first, but that if the consent of the first was withheld he was at liberty to proceed without it. It is set forth also that where the first refuses to consent to share her husband with another woman she would be "destroyed."

Senator Pettus asked the meaning of the word "destroyed" in that sense, Mr. Smith answered that she would be destroyed by the Lord, but that he was not informed "just how the Lord would go about it."

"Then it does not mean that the husband could destroy her?" Senator Pettus asked.

"No, never."

"I take it then that the question of getting a wife's consent to marry again might just as well be eliminated, entirely?" said Senator Beveridge.

"Just as well," answered the witness.

Senator Dubois asked many questions to determine the effect of the revelations which were contrary to state laws, opening a new line of inquiry, which, on account of the lateness of the hour, it was not thought best to go into until today.

A Labor Movement History

Madison, Wis., March 5.—At the Wisconsin university President VanHise announced that three New York men and one Chicago man had subscribed a fund amounting to $30,000 for the purpose of investigating the history of the labor movement and allied social movements in the United States. The work will take about five years.

Insurgents Give Up Tugboat

San Domingo, March 5.—The United States training ship Hartford reports that the tugboat Burro, belonging to the Clyde line of New York, which was recently seized and armed by the insurgents at San Pedro de Macoris, is again safe in the hands of her owners. This city is quiet.

Bank President a Suicide

Sioux City, Ia., March 5.—Frank L. LaRue, president of the Corning State Savings bank, now in the hands of a receiver, killed himself by shooting. The savings bank closed its doors Feb. 15 and its affairs were found to be badly tangled.

BLACK AND WHITE.

The Gentlewoman's Attire For the Coming Season—Fashion Notes.

[Special Correspondence.]

New York, March 1.—We are glad when we see something new in place of the everlasting tucks on a waist. It would seem that no kind of waist was complete without tucks somewhere, and it is a real relief to the eye to find a pretty waist, made like the one in the illustration herewith, without even the suspicion of a tuck. This waist is worn with a tailored skirt and is made of the fine shepherd check suiting. Nothing could be prettier or better adapted to youth and its particular needs, for a young girl's dress should be very neat and unobtrusive in pattern as well as make. Abroad, especially in France, the young girls wear this kind of check very much.

The ground of the cloth is usually gray or very light brown, and the check



NEW STYLE WAIST.

is always white. In this way anything will go as trimming. The girlish gown here shown is of gray and white, and the skirt is laid in flat folds halfway down. It is otherwise plain.

The waist, and it is one to copy easily, is made in simple French shape closing invisibly down the left side. Around the shoulders is a very effective trimming made of velvet ribbon in two widths. Another row of this trimming is laid around the waist just above the belt. At the throat is a postiche plastron collar, which shows a piece of fine batiste wrought with the ubiquitous Mexican drawn work and edged with a band of velvet ribbon set with fancy turquoise buttons to represent jewels. The sleeves are simple bishop, with very deep cuffs of batiste and a band of the velvet. The real cuffs are plain, and fancy ones can be added at will.

Perhaps the greatest of all the favorites in dress goods is the cheviot mixture. This is seen in so many neutral tints as to foundation and with so many of the brighter colors showing in the tiny threads which give distinction to each separate design that every one can be satisfied. The grays with admixtures of red, blue or green and yellow, black and white, are very stylish. Some of the brighter colors are thrown up in form of tiny knots and others are so arranged as to produce indistinct stripes. All are handsome.

To trim these there are some very rich and handsome castle braids in different colored silks which look like beading. They are put around the skirt at the foot about four inches from the edge, sometimes to simulate a yoke at the hips. A few will have the trimming up and down, but the best plan just now is the roundabout. Flounces are rarely added to these outdoor gowns. The waists may be almost any kind, but there is a decided move in favor of tight waists for tailor gowns. Nothing is prettier when the figure is good, and even when the figure does lack something a clever dressmaker can arrange the affair.

There are castle braids in cashmere colors, all done in heavy thread, which gives a rich effect upon a smooth surface. There are many handsome mohairs in all colors and black and white. The white mohair is a beautiful material, as lustrous as silk and much more durable, while the black is one of the best values we have in dress goods, particularly since it is mercerized and waterproofed.

Black and white will be the gentlewoman's attire the coming season, and the best dressers will ring the changes only on black or white or black and white in combination. How could we help liking black best of all when such a variety of weaves and materials and designs as these is offered—all wool French voile, canvas etamine; broadcloth which has not only been shrunk for sewing, but cravenetted so it will be rain proof; eolienne; granite cloth; all wool, sponged, shrunk and waterproofed cheviots; crapes in half a dozen varieties, besides the standard eudoras, henriettas with their silk warps and the many really beautiful mohairs, plain and brocaded? Sunbursts and stars, to say nothing of many other figures, are produced in these mohairs, and some of them are so woven that they are as rich in appearance as the most sumptuous silks. All these are in black. It rests with the owner of the garment how it shall be made and trimmed. OLIVE HARPER.

FACE IN THE CROWD

By Keith Gordon

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After awhile she came to look for him when the train stopped at the Fifty-third street station in the morning—the tall, broad shouldered man with the aggressive chin and determined mouth. She felt vaguely disappointed when she did not see him.

Insensibly he became the touch of romance in the dreary monotony of her days, five and a half out of seven of which were spent in Wall street, a place where the advantages of being a woman are not glaringly apparent.

Often during the flagging afternoons of summer, when business was dull and the hands of the clock approached 5 but slowly, she would sit resting her face on her hands and wondering about him. Who was he? What was he? Was he married or single?

The noise of the street blow, dulled by distance until it was as dreamy as the humming of bees at noonday, droned softly in her ears a sort of living melody, and her thoughts defied office hours and went far afield in a fantastic search for the reality about him among the crowd of possibilities.

Over and over she gave him a local habitation and a name, but these changed always with her mood. No name that she could hit upon seemed to express his personality, and she finally discarded them all and thought of him only as The Man.

The weeks melted into months, but her interest in him did not flag. Rather it became deeper as time went on. Curiously enough, it was what might be termed the nonessentials that baffled her. About the man himself—his character and what he would do in any given emergency—she felt the same assurance that she did about herself.

She had decided that he was a lawyer, though precisely why she thought so she could not have told. Then one day she saw him with a child, a girl of ten, who bore a certain fleeting resemblance to him.

He was married, then! An almost imperceptible sigh escaped her. Then, as the absurdity of the matter dawned upon her, she laughed softly to herself. What difference? Josephine and Marie Louise had never dampened her affection for Napoleon. She even began to feel a mild interest in the lady.

Sometimes, for two or three weeks at a stretch, they would not encounter each other. It was after one of these breaks that, watching him as he entered the car, her interest and satisfaction at seeing him again shone all unconsciously in her face, and his glance was arrested by it.

As the faint color touched her cheeks under his gaze he looked casually away. For a moment he had thought her some half forgotten acquaintance from the welcome that he had surprised in her eyes, but her quick annoyance as she returned to her reading forbade that idea.

She did not look toward him again but more than once his keen, blue eyes rested upon her as she sat there, slim and straight, with masses of pale brown hair piled upon her small head. After this he, too, began to watch of a morning. A habit is very easily formed!

Then for weeks he disappeared. The girl wondered anxiously what had become of him. Had he gone abroad? Mayhap he was ill—or dead! At the thought she shrank like one hurt, for he had become, in a whimsical way, a part of her life. He had become as near and dear as only ideals can be.

When he did appear one morning towering above a crowd of lesser men like a god, there was a new gravity in his face which held her attention even before she noticed that he was in mourning.

That, then, was what these weeks of absence from business meant. Sickness and suffering and death. His wife undoubtedly, from the sorrow and oppression that he showed. The quick sympathy that she felt hovered in her soft, wide eyes as they rested briefly upon his face. And he, reading that look, felt a curious thrill.

Long since he had begun to regard her with a sort of tacit, silent friendship. "The little girl with her soul in her face," as he once described her to a friend, shaking his head deprecatingly at the thought of a woman like her having to wrestle with the world. She seemed to him too exquisite for the ups and downs of such a life.

He watched her surreptitiously now, wondering idly who she was and whether he should ever meet her. There was a way—he might follow her and bestow a quarter on the elevator boy, and the thing would be done. But the coarseness of such methods repelled him. She seemed the sort of a woman who would resent that kind of thing.

Moreover, in his heart of hearts and in spite of his bigness and worldliness he was a fatalist. If it were written from the beginning it would occur. No man could dabble in the affairs of fate!

It was nearing the end of the third year. He took the same train now with a regularity which made her suspicious. The results of chance were never so unerring. Intention was apparent.

But through it all save at unexpected moments when the curtain would lift for a second and an unintentional glance betray a deeper knowledge they regarded each other with the baffling impassive eyes we keep for the unknown. No twentieth century romance ever moved so slowly.

Then Billy Stoughton, who in this particular case was the instrument of fate, awakened one morning with an unaccountable but imperative yearning for Broadway. Five years earlier an equally compelling desire had landed him on the ranch, where he had bided contentedly enough up to that particular morning. The evening of the next day found him in Denver, from which place he proceeded with as much haste as the railroad facilities would permit to New York.

On the day of his arrival he planned to dine with Renwick, the closest of his college friends. He had just time to catch him by telephone before he left his office, which he did, arranging to meet him at the elevated station and go up town with him.

The first effervescence of their meeting over, Stoughton's beaming eyes roved over the other passengers. A slight figure at the far end of the car held his glance. He looked again to be sure.

"Pardon me a minute, Jack," he said, rising and making his way toward the girl, with whom a moment later he was shaking hands cordially and talking with the ease of long friendship. Presently he returned to Renwick, and as he did so a revealing look passed between the two. A bridge at last!

"It's Natica Alston, a cousin of mine, you know," he explained to Renwick. "Tough luck they had, I tell you. But she's a plucky girl. She has earned her own living now for four years."

"Will you present me?" demanded Renwick eagerly.

"Certainly. I'll take you up there with me. Natica will be glad to receive any friend of mine."

"Thank you, old fellow; thank you." Renwick paused awkwardly. He seemed to have something else to say, but scarcely knew how to say it.

"When I said—asked you to introduce me—I didn't mean the usual thing. I'm going to ask you to do something queer and to do it without asking too many questions."

"What kind of a mystery is this?" inquired Stoughton. "If I didn't know that there isn't a grain of romance in you I should certainly think"—

"Now, don't think—there's a good fellow," soothed Renwick. "Just follow instructions. Tell Miss Alston all about me, and mind that you tell her everything good that you can or I'll wring your neck, and make an appointment for me to call. Don't make any mistake. I want to see her and see her alone. I don't want you there."

When poor, mystified Bill Stoughton broached the subject to Natica her behavior was doubly mysterious. No, she didn't want to know anything about him. Then a moment later:

"Did you say he is a bachelor?" (Innocently.) "I thought he was a widower."

Stoughton, indignantly, "I thought you knew nothing about him?"

"I don't, but he wore mourning."

"That was for his mother."

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In the dim little parlor of the small apartment where she and her mother lived they met for the first time alone save for the dead and gone Alstons that looked down upon them from the walls. Surely never was such a first meeting before.

When the maid ushered him in, Natica, looking rather more like a lily than usual in her long, soft black gown, rose with every intention of greeting him in the most formal manner. Then a most unlooked for thing occurred.

For a moment they looked into each other's eyes. Then he stretched out his hands toward her, and she placed hers in them. A moment later she was swept up into his arms as if she had been a child as he murmured softly, "My dear, dear love!"

"What shall we tell mamma?" wailed Natica in despair a half hour later. "How can we ever explain ourselves?"

"We can't," replied Renwick comfortably. "We might just as well resign ourselves to being thought mad. It all comes from the ridiculous superstition that in order to know people you must talk to them."

And then—well, then they forgot the world and its opinions to talk of far lovelier things.

Our Ancestors.

For the benefit of those who may feel "exclusive" or "stuck up," or who prate about blue blood, etc., it will be well to remember that if we go back but twenty generations, or 700 years, each one of us has 1,084,576 ancestors and is related more or less closely to at least 270,000,000 of our fellows. Going back but a couple of hundred years further and tracing down our genealogy, we would find that we have more cousins than there are people in the world and that on the basis of but two children per family. The discrepancy is accounted for by the fact that there have been so many intermarriages we have only as many cousins as there are people in the world today, but are related to a great many many times over.

Word Blindness.

Some curious instances of the physical defect of "word blindness" are given in the Lancet. The disease is fortunately uncommon. In one case the sufferer, an Englishman, thirty-four years of age, who knew Greek, Latin and French well, suddenly lost all knowledge of English, though he could read and understand Greek perfectly and Latin and French in a rather smaller degree. Another and almost more curious case was that of a man who lost the power of reading at sight. This patient was able to write accurately from dictation, but was completely unable to read what he had written. Word blindness is apparently akin to color blindness, but is certainly attended by much more inconvenient consequences.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

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TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 23	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	a t c	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
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r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 23	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 23	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	a t c	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 15	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
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r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
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r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

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9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 49	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams.

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Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M, 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

The report of the meeting of the New England Shoe and Leather Association is not very accurate in classing Hon. Willian B. Rice as a Republican, and adding that he was once elected a member of Governor's Council by a solid Republican vote. The voters never elected Mr. Rice a member of the Governor's Council. In 1892 he was the Democratic candidate against Hon. David Hall Rice of Brookline and was defeated. Near the end of the year of his term, David Hall Rice died, and in November, Gov. Russell, a Democrat, nominated William B. Rice to serve for the remaining two months, and his nomination was confirmed.

Chairman Emmons of the Boston police board reports that 48 Quincy people were arrested in Boston during January and February for drunkenness. That there were even more from Cambridge, Somerville and Chelsea and nearly as many from Waltham, Malden, Newton, Everett, Lynn and Brockton. The total number of alleged non-residents was 1,621. It is probable that one-half of those who gave Quincy as their residents were not Quincy people at all. If Mr. Emmons will furnish the Ledger with a list of those claiming Quincy as their residence we will soon enlighten him as to the real number. It may be noted that license in Lynn does not keep the Lynn drunks at home as some always claim.

The need of High school enlargment will be more apparent to many after they read the annual report of the School Committee in this issue. People of Quincy, and even many parents of pupils, do not realize the abominable condition which jeopardizes the health and eyesight of the children, and is a handicap to them in the struggle for an education. Rooms lighted only by artificial means are used and also corridors. Over one hundred are compelled to attend the old building on High School avenue, which twelve years ago was vacated because it was ill-adapted and unhygienic. The fact that in the Quincy High there are twice as many pupils to a teacher as there should be was not touched upon, but it is too true. Many other arguments might be raised, yet we hear that the City Council will continue to disagree over plans. Why?

In Collision.

As the 10.30 electric car was leaving City Square this mornifg it ran into the rear wheel of one of the A & W & G express wagons which was heavily loaded with castings. The team had come out of Granite street and had nearly crossed the track in front of the Savings Bank building. William Gallagher the driver was thrown almost under the car, but escaped unhurt. Both the wagon and the car were somewhat damaged but both were able to proceed. The ice which is still a foot or more thick on each side of the track caused the wagon to slew, which was unlooked for.

—A curious feature connected with the Servian army is the manner in which most of the regiments carry the big drum. It is not, as in most countries, slung in front of the man who plays it, but is placed upon a small two-wheeled cart drawn by a single dog, which has been so trained that it keeps its place even through the longest and most tedious marches. The drummer takes a position behind the cart and performs on the instrument as the animal pulls it along.—Whitman Times.

—Because the average American is inclined to sympathize with Japan is no good reason why America should have any official misunderstanding with Russia. American sympathy in the South African war was with the Boers, but America wisely kept out of war on that occasion. Foreign wars are only necessary to America on rare occasions. When the occasion arises America is found ready.—Norwood Advertiser.

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Editor Quincy Daily Ledger:

Enclosed you will find a copy of a letter written by the Emperor of Russia to Prince Gort Chakoff, when he was minister at Washington in 1861. The sympathetic expressions which the Emperor made in his epistle to President Lincoln, and to the people of the United States, for the maintenance of the union, should never be forgotten by the American people.

If you deem the letter worthy of publication you may do so. No doubt but what the public will consider it quite a treat to have the pleasure of perusing such an important letter especially one which was written by the father of the present Czar of Russia some 42 years ago, when he and his subjects, stood guard closely over England and France, and blocked their infamous design, namely: To recognize the southern confederacy, and wipe off of the map of North America, the union of the United States. Of this portion of the history of our Civil war there is no shadow of doubt existing.

Martin Hetherston,
Color bearer, 7th Mass. Vols.

St. Petersburg, July the 10th, 1861.

Sir: From the beginning of the conflict which divides the United States of America, you have desired to make known to the Federal government the deep interest with which our august master was observing the development of a crisis which puts in question the prosperity and even existence of the union.

The Emperor profoundly regrets to see that the peaceful solution is not realized, and that American citizens are already in arms against each other, and ready to loose upon their country the most terrible of scourges of political society, civil war.

For more than 80 years that it has existed, the American union owes its independence, its towering rise, and its progress, to the concord of its members, consecrated, under the auspices of its illustrious founder. By institutions which have been able to reconcile union and liberty. This union has been fruitful. It has exhibited to the world the spectacle of prosperity without example in the annals of history.

It would be deplorable that, after so conclusive an experience, the United States should be hurried into a breach of the solemn compact which, up to this date has made their power.

Our august master cannot resign himself to admit such deplorable anticipations. His Imperial Majesty stil places confidence in that good sense of the citizens of the union, who appreciate so judiciously their true interests. His majesty is happy to believe the members of the federal government, and the influential men of the two parties, will seize all occasions, and will unite all their efforts, to calm the effervescence of the passion. There are no interests so divergent that it may not be possible to reconcile them by laboring to that end with zeal and perseverance, in a spirit of justice and moderation.

If, within the limits of your friendly relations, your language and counsels may contribute to this result, you will respond, sir, to the intentions of His Majesty, the Emperor, in devoting to this the personal influence which you may have been able to acquire during your long residence at Washington, and the consideration which belongs to your character as the representative of a sovereign, animated by the most friendly sentiments towards the American union.

This union is not simply in our eyes, an element essential to the universal political equilibrium. It constitutes, besides, a nation to which our august master and all Russia have pledged the most friendly interest; for the two countries, placed at the two worlds, both in the ascending period of their development, appears called to a natural community of interests and sympathies, of which they have already given mutual proofs to each other.

I do not wish to approach any of the questions which divide the United States. We are not called upon to express ourselves in this contest. The preceding considerations have no other object than to attest the lively solicitude of the Emperor in the presence of dangers which menace the American union and the sincere wishes which His Majesty entertains for the maintenance of the great work so laborously raised, which appears so rich in its future.

It is in this sense sir, that I desire you to express yourself, to the members of the general government as well as to the influential persons whom you may meet, giving them assurance that in every event the American nation may count upon the most cordial sympathy on the part of our august master during the important crisis which it is passing through at present.

Perceive, sir, the expression of my very distinguished consideration,

Prince Gortchakoff.

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The old saying, "A boy should be seen and not heard" has no place in the principles of work among boys as done by the modern Young Men's Christian Association. Instead of repressing the boy it gives him every opportunity to express himself.

The recent conference of the Boys' Departments of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, held in Somerville, was a remarkable demonstration of what boys can do. Four hundred and ten delegates representing 46 different Associations, having a membership of 5574 boys, between the ages of 12 and 18 years, discussed the topics and questions before the conference in an intelligent manner that would have done credit to a gathering of men.

Boys presided, served on committees, made up the orchestra and Glee club, pledged funds for the State Committee's work for boys to the extent of nearly $900, and assumed the entire responsibility of entertaining the Conference.

A State Secretary is employed under the direction of the State Executive Committee with headquarters at 167 Tremont street, Boston, who is a specialist in work among boys and gives his entire time to the development of this important field of work.

Seventeen Associations employ boys, secretaries, 562 boys are serving on committees, 4362 boys attend the gymnasium classes each week, 1138 different boys are enrolled in Bible classes.

The total attendance at the boys' gospel meeting for the year closing February 1, 1904, is 27,975. Two hundred and ninety-four boys were led into the Christian life. Eighty-one of these boys have joined the church of their choice. Within these fifty departments there are 104 different "Groups" or "clubs" organized, with a membership of 1652.

To give the boy an all-round development in body, mind and spirit and train him in service for others is the underlying principle of all this work among the boys of the two states.

Took the Teacher's Place.

An interesting bit of school history, and one which is worthy of mention occurred this week at the West Primary Hingham. Miss Abigail Waldron, of Quincy the teacher, was unavoidably detained by the cars, which did not permit of her arrival at school until an hour after the regular time. Little Miss Reagan, a seven-year old, by the common consent of the pupils, called the school to order, led in the devotional exercises, and had the school in running order when the teacher arrived.—Hingham Journal.

The Local Rivals.

The first game of basket ball in the series between the Quincy's and St. Mary's for the championship of Quincy will be played at the Coliseum next Tuesday evening. The St. Mary's have lost but two games this season and the reorganized Quincy's have a record equally good. The result, therefore, is that the games will be hotly contested, and there will be something doing from start to finish. A large crowd of rooters from West Quincy will be present, and an equally large number of Quincy supporters may also be expected to cheer their team on to victory.

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Thrown from Sleigh and Killed.

Rev. Eugene De Normandie of Danvers, father of ex-Councilman Eugene F. De Normandie of Wollaston, was killed yesterday by being thrown from a sleigh. He was alone at the time, and there were no witnesses to the accident. The deceased was a retired Unitarian clergyman, and a brother of Rev. James De Normandie of Roxbury and Rev. Courtland De Normandie of Kingston. He was 72 years of age, and leaves four sons and two daughters. He was chaplain of Amity lodge of Masons.

CITY BREVITIES.

The trial at Dedham this week has brought out a lot of experts on smell.

Winifred Hayden continues seriously ill at his home on Washington street.

Communion will be observed at the Quincy Point church Sunday, at the close of the morning service.

Rev. Grove F. Ekins of New Haven, Conn., will preach at the Memorial church on Sunday.

The chorus choir and Sunday school of the M. E. church are preparing music for Easter.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church is preparing for a sale of fancy and useful articles in connection with a Mother Goose party.

The Wollaston W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday at 2.30, with Mrs. George Thomas, 28 Newton street. Please note change of hour.

Seven and seventy got mixed in the item on sleighing yesterday. It is ten consecutive weeks sleighing Quincy has enjoyed this winter, and about a week previous to Christmas in addition to this.

Mrs. Brown of Spear street, who is ill, threatened with pneumonia, went to the Quincy Hospital, Wednesday for treatment. Her daughter Miss Eva Brown, who has been very ill at the hospital for nearly four months is much better and able to spend considerable time with her mother.

The Woman's Guild of St. Chrysostom's will hold its regular meeting in the rectory on Wednesday, March 9, at 2.30 P. M. At 3 P. M. Miss Whittemore will address the Guild upon her work. Miss Whittemore is the committee of the Dakota League for work among the Indians.

The Quincy Branch Alliance announces a course of three lectures to be given in the Unitarian chapel Tuesday evenings at 7.30 o'clock. March 8th Rabbi Fleischer of Boston, Democracy—Our National Religion. March 15th Rev. John Snyder of Wellesley Hills, The Evolution of the American Humorist. March 22 Mrs. William I. Lawrence of Winchester, Japan.

The funeral of Carlton Loud, son of Mr. and Mrs. William N. Loud of Wollaston, was conducted by Rev. Edward Chase. The boys' choir under the leadership of Mr. Snyder sang. The floral tributes were many including a set piece from the Athletic Association and a star and crescent set pieces from the eighth grade of the Wollaston school with "classmates" on it.

A delightful party was given Saturday evening in the parlors of hotel Greenleaf by the ladies of the house, in honor of Mr. James A. Nelson. Several charming surprises had been prepared for the entertainment of the guests. Progressive euchre, dainty refreshments, music by the graphophone and dancing was enjoyed until midnight, when all joined hands and sang "Should auld acquaintance be forgot." All regretted that henceforth the pleasant face of "Sunny Jim" would be missed from the merry circle at The Greenleaf and best wishes follow him to his new home in Pittsburg, Penn.

Mr. Joseph Ross died at his home at South Weymouth, Sunday, after a long illness, aged 35 years. He was a well known and popular young man and at the breaking out of the Spanish-American war was one of the first to enlist in Company K, 5th Massachusetts regiment. He was taken ill while in the service and had never recovered. He was a member of Boyd Camp Spanish War veterans and a delegation attended the funeral, which was held from his late residence Wednesday afternoon. There were many handsome floral tributes. He is survived by a wife and son who have the sympathy of many friends.

Russia and Japan.

Bethany church has been fortunate in securing a first-class speaker to discuss the Japanese—Russian situation. Mr. George M. Rowland has lived for many years in Japan, is thoroughly conversant with the language, customs and aspirations of the Japanese, has traveled extensively in the East and is thoroughly qualified to speak on the great Eastern problem. So great has been the interest in this question and the speaker that in some places the public schools have been invited and have attended the service. Every one is seeking reliable information respecting the conditions and the political and religious prospects of the Asiatic nations. The privilege of hearing a sane discussion of this question is one which many will wish to avail themselves. The service is at 7.30 o'clock and the public is cordially invited.

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MILTON.

Six Candidates for Selectmen—A Birthday on Feb. 29.

The candidates for Selectmen of Milton will not be limited to the nominees of the Citizens' caucus, Messrs. Brown, Duffy and Baxter, for three others have entered the field on nomination papers: William W. Robertson, Jacob A. Turner and Thomas Pond. Mr. Robertson is a well known young man of East Milton and holds a responsible position with the Granite Railway Co. Mr. Turner has also served as Selectman. Mr. Pond resides at Mattapan.

Miss Vester E. Rich of Squantum street was one of those born on February 29. Her year of birth was 1896 so that her first anniversary came last Monday. She celebrated the event by entertaining a number of her young friends at her home from 2 to 4 o'clock Monday afternoon. A jolly good time was enjoyed with games, etc., after which the hostess served refreshments. She was the recipient of a number of presents. Among those present were: Miss Ethel Hedge, Miss Dorothy D. Somes, Albert G. Somes, Mrs. C. S. Johnson and Master Elliot Johnson, Mrs. F. P. Leland, Miss Leland, Miss Mildred Highland, Master Robert E. Sweeney, Miss Margaret Reid, Master Percy Ham and others.

The Woman's Relief Corps held their regular meeting last Wednesday afternoon and Mrs. J. E. Quimby was admitted to membership. It was decided to hold a concert in the Town hall March 25 at which the Pierian Sodality of Harvard University is to be the leading attraction. The members are devoting much time to the sale of tickets and it is hoped that quite a sum will be realized. The proceeds are to be devoted to the uses of the Relief Corps.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 3, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in the following petitions:—(Senate, No. 102) of Charles W. Howard and others for legislation relative to procedure in the adoption of children; (Senate, No. 103) of Norcross Bros. Co. and others for legislation to provide for the protection of persons furnishing labor and materials for the construction of public works; (House, No. 655) of Alonzo R. Weed, mayor of the city of Newton, for legislation to reduce and establish the rate of interest on damages and assessments arising from the taking of land and property under the right of eminent domain; (House, No. 654) of William F. Dana, for legislation to change the legal rate of interest; (Senate, No. 144) of James W. French and others for legislation relative to the term of service of jurors; (Senate, No. 189) of William Berwin for a reduction in the interest to be paid on property sold for taxes; (House, No. 761) of John J. Mitchell, for legislation to reduce the rate of interest upon judgments, awards and verdicts; (House, No. 406) of Harry H. Bauxbaum, for legislation to regulate the management of the beaches, parks and reservations under the control of the Metropolitan Park Commission; (House, No. 365) of George B. Wheeler, for legislation to amend the laws relative to the Lord's day so as to provide for a civil Sabbath; at room No. 247, State House, on Thursday, March 10, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 5-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 3d, 1904. The Committee on Public Lighting will give a hearing to parties interested in petition of John Gordon, for legislation to authorize aldermen and selectmen to empower gas and electric light companies to take land for certain purposes, with the approval of the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners, at room No. 440, State House, on Thursday, March 10th, at 10.30 o'clock. A. M. E. L. OSGOOD, Chairman. FRED. A. BEARSE, Clerk of the Committee. 5-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 3d, 1904. The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 466, for band concerts in places controlled by Metropolitan Park Commissioners; Senate bill No. 154, to limit expenditures by Metropolitan Park Commission; and House bill No. 783, as to cost of maintaining park system, at room No. 433, State House, on Tuesday, March 8th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 4-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 3, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the twelfth annual report of the Secretary of the Commonwealth (Pub. Doc. 46) as relates to the solemnization of marriages by officers of the Salvation Army; petition (Senate, No. 194) of Joseph Maggi, for an amendment of the law relative to marriages; petition (House, No. 886) of J. J. Good, for legislation relative to neglected children; petition (Senate, No. 105) of Frederick W. Dallinger, for legislation to simplify the transfer of real estate; petition (House, No. 434) of William H. Gove, for legislation to simplify the transfer of property and prescribing shorter forms of conveyance, at room No. 247, State House, on Wednesday, March 9th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. A. M. TAFT, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 4-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 3, 1904. The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate bill No. 155, for land for Nantasket Beach reservation; House bill No. 780, on park Boston may build along Charles River Basin; and House bill No. 782, to relieve Cambridge of certain assessments for improving borders of Charles River, at room No. 433, State House, on Wednesday, March 9, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 4-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 2, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in House bills Nos. 456, 457, 543, 766, 767, 888, 891 and 992, and Senate bills Nos. 145 and 146, relative to the sale and distribution of trading stamps, checks, coupons, prize packages and similar devices, at room No. 227, State House, on Tuesday, March 8th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 4-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 2, 1904. The Committee on Mercantile Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition (with accompanying House Bill No. 906) of Warren A. Reed, president, for legislation to extend the powers and to increase the number of trustees of the Brockton Union Cemetery, at room No. 431, State House, on Tuesday, March 8th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. F. M. HEATH, Chairman. FRANK SEIBERLICH, Clerk of the Committee. 4-2t

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SOCIAL REALM.

(Continued from page 1.)

Rabbi Fleisher who is to open the Alliance course of lectures at the First church chapel next Tuesday evening, has many personal friends in this city. Among them the Kitsons of Merrymount road, whom he will visit during the afternoon, going from there to see Col. Edward Anderson, where he will be entertained at dinner by Mr. Anderson's daughter, Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth.

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With the minstrel show next Friday evening in the chapel will end the series of entertainments given since the New Year by the First Church Social club. They have been much enjoyed by the club members who are anticipating next year's series.

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Next Saturday, March twelfth, the students of the Woodward school will observe Founder's day and have issued tickets to their friends for an entertainment, which will be given by them in the school hall at eight o'clock. A fine program has been prepared.

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The regular fortnightly Alliance meeting was held on Monday afternoon in the ladies' parlor of the First church. Mrs. Annie Faxon conducted the meeting, reading a highly interesting paper on "Esther and Vashti." Mrs. George H. Wilson had charge of the tea. She was assisted by Mrs. Henry L. Kincaide and Mrs. Frederick Smith. The rooms were prettily decorated with flowers.

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Miss Sara Thomas of Granite street entertains the Christ church Study club at her home next Tuesday evening when "The Comedy of Errors" will be taken up for study under the direction of Miss Alice Porter. There will be papers on the life of Shakespeare.

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Invitations are out from C. A. Howland, Jr., Eaton Pierce and Dr. Ramon Burke, for a subscription dancing party at Colonial hall, for Saturday evening March nineteenth, from half after seven until eleven o'clock, to be matronized by Mrs. F. H. Lister and Mrs. Henry M. Faxon.

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Prof. and Mrs. Otis B. Oakman of Braintree entertained the evening whist club Tuesday evening. The prizes were taken by Mrs. G. V. Pennock and Mr. S. S. Bridgham.

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Mrs. Wilson Hammond of Billings street returned this week from several days' visit in Brookline, where she has been entertained by relatives.

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"Animal Stories" should prove an interesting topic for study by the Pickwick club, and at their meeting next Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Badger it will be the subject of papers with Mr. Arthur W. Hall and Mr. Wilson Marsh committee for the evening.

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Rehearsals have been going on all the week for the minstrel show which is to be given next Friday evening under the auspices of the First Church Social club. The end men are old favorites and it is said every joke is fresh and that all the coons in the chorus are to be whitewashed especially for the occasion.

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Mr. and Mrs. George A. Tisdale of Providence, R. I., formerly of East Milton leave tonight for a short trip to New York and Baltimore.

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The Independent whist club met Monday evening with Miss Florence Hill of Walker street. Prizes were awarded to Miss Florence Hill and Mr. Howard Terrill. A business meeting followed the serving of refreshments. Mr. Terrill, president of the club, took the chair and called the meeting to order. Two new members were enrolled Miss Cora Harding and Mr. Harry Arthur. Several questions of importance were discussed. The next meeting will be held with Miss Georgiana Priest of Atlantic street, on March 14.

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Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, meet next Monday afternoon with Miss Annie L. Prescott of 41 Spear street, for their annual meeting. The chapter is nearly ten years old and has during that time done much patriotic work in the city and in caring for the John Adams birthplace, which they make their headquarters.

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The Philergians met Mar. 1st. at Braintree. The president Mrs. Allen in the chair. The hall was well filled with club members and guests. The afternoon was pleasantly passed in listening to Miss Scott who is teacher of elocution at Dean Academy, Franklin. She was accompanied in her monologues by Miss Hemenway, also of Dean academy. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Wm. F. Rogers, Mrs. Geo. W. Stevens and Miss Alice A. Holbrook.

The Friday club is to be entertained next week at the home of Mrs. Harry L. Rice, Adams street, who will also be the chairman of the afternoon's literary program, when the fiction of the early years of Victorian reign will be discussed, among the writers being: Bulwer, Disraeli, Marryat, Mrs. Opie and Mrs. Trollope.

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Speaker Frothingham, from his associations with Quincy, and his prominence in the Legislature, should receive a hearty welcome to Atlantic on Monday evening, when he will address the Atlantic club on "Legislative Affairs.

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Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick of Chestnut street, who was called to New Hampshire a few weeks ago by the illness of her father, has the sympathy of many friends. Her father, Prof. Edwin Thomas Baldwin, passing away on Wednesday at his home in Manchester. He was one of New Hampshire's well known musicians.

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The Ruby Seal club of Wollaston gave a Leap year party Monday night in Wollaston hall.

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Frequent letters from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryant Fairchild, Jr., (Marion Bailey) keep their Quincy friends in touch with them. Since going abroad they have spent most of their time in London but are now in Scotland for a brief stop. They do not expect to return to America until early summer and before then will spend several weeks on the continent.

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Charles C. Foster and wife of Quincy Point leave today for Halifax, Nova Scotia.

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Mrs. Charles K. Darling (Bessie Holmes) of Beacon street, Boston has the sympathy of Quincy friends in her sudden affliction. Her mother Mrs. Christopher C. Holmes, of Milton, who was spending the winter in town disappeared from hotel Hemenway early Wednesday morning and is thought to have drowned herself at Marblehead.

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There were a number of young people from Wollaston and Quincy at the Cochato club leap year dance Monday night. All dances were ladies' choice, and it is said several of the young gentlemen found out the pleasures of being wall-flowers. They were able to comfort themselves however with pool and billiards.

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Having a woman on the board of Overseers of the Poor is a very good idea and Mrs. Albert A. Brackett of East Milton, is well qualified to serve her town in that capacity. Her name appears on the ballot to be voted at the Milton town meeting next Monday. Mrs. Brackett is well posted on charitable matters and other good works.

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Owing to other important social engagements the Junior Friday club is to meet next Tuesday afternoon instead of the regular day. Mrs. Charles F. Harper of Putman street is to be the hostess and Mrs. Thompson of Wollaston will have charge of the literary program, which will consist of talks on the fifth and sixth years of the Revolutionary War, 1779-1780.

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Harry L. Rice and Fred B. Rice attended the meeting of the Commercial club at the Algonquin rooms on Thursday when the municipal problem was considered.

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Braintree seems to keep abreast of the times and has had many good lectures and entertainments this winter. At the South Braintree Congregational church they are having a series of Lenten services Sunday evenings. Tomorrow night Miss Ellen M. Stone, the famous missionary is to tell her experiences in Macedonia and Sunday afternoon, the 13th, Judge Emmons is to speak on "Good Citizenship." Both speakers are worth going miles to hear.

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The Washington whist club of Braintree met with Mr. and Mrs. McGill, Wednesday evening.

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Saturday evening, relatives and friends to the number of thirty-eight assembled at the home of Asa K. Binney of Broad street Weymouth, to celebrate the eighty-fifth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Elizabeth Loring. Mrs. Loring is a life long resident of East Braintree and has resided with her daughter Mrs. George E. Ludden of Shaw street since the death of her husband several years ago, but at present is visiting her sister Mrs. Binney. The affair was a complete surprise and a very social time was enjoyed. During the evening selections were given on the graphophone, vocal and instrumental music and a dainty lunch was served. Mrs. Loring was the recipient of a substantial sum of money and a beautiful bunch of violets. Friends were present from Wollaston, Boston, the Braintrees and the Weymouths.

Quincy people may have an opportunity soon to hear the talented harpist and reciter Miss Gordon Walker, who has captivated Boston society this winter. She has been asked to come to Quincy and give an entertainment for the benefit of First church organ fund and if her engagements permit of her coming a delightful afternoon may be anticipated for she is charming personally, plays the harp beautifully and is equally fascinating in recitations and dancing.

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Mr. Martin Thorson of Jamaica, B. W. I., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bailey of South street for the past few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Luther A. Douglas of Hingham announce the engagement of their daughter, Alice, to Mr. Paul Philip Bennett, of Rockford, Ill.

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The M. G. R. Club met Thursday evening with Miss Alice Lizotte of Edison street. A very delightful evening was passed in games, music, etc. Refreshments were served during the evening.

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Dr. and Mrs. Charles Adams of Brook street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

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Mrs, James Mears who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. George N. Nash of Upland road, is celebrating her 82d birthday today.

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Miss Elizabeth G. Foster of Beacon street has returned after a very pleasant visit with her aunt in North Walpole.

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Mr. and Mrs. William H. Fay, of Greenleaf street, have as guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ray Spear and children, of Randolph.

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The Lenten lecture course prepared by the Women's Alliance of First church is sure to prove interesting to the members and friends. The first will be on Tuesday, March 8th, when Rabbi Fleisher of Boston, will speak on "Democracy—Our National Religion." He will be followed on March 15th by Rev. John Snyder of Wellesley and the third and last lecture will be on the 22d by Mrs. W. I. Lawrence of Winchester, who will speak on "Japan."

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Hyde Park Savings Bank to Horace C. Briggs.
Edwin S. Browne to Henry B. Brown.
Francis A. Spear to Clara A. McAnarney.
George W. Abele to Albert W. Moore.
Rachel S. Hewitson et al to Edward J. Ball.
Rachel S. Hewitson, guardian to Edward J. Ball, $700.
Edward J. Ball to John Furze.
John W. Chisholm to Thomas M. Chisholm.
J. Winth op Pratt to Herbert J. Lund.
John Furze to Charles E. Farley.
Harlow H. Rogers to Bridget A. Murphy.
George W. Cummings to Charles E. Lay, $2500.
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THE LAST DAY

For Testimony in the Prescott-Faxon Case.

Argument Will Be Made Monday.

Necessary to Close Session of the Court.

It is unusual for the Superior court to sit on Saturdays, but an all-day session is being held at Dedham today for the continuation of the Prescott-Faxon case, and it is expected the arguments will be made on Monday.

The testimony of yesterday is reported as follows by the Herald:

Seth T. Waterhouse testified of long delay in getting his vault cleaned, as did John Powers, who told how he had sickness in his house before vault was cleaned.

Gustave B. Bates, a master plumber, testified that in the spring of 1902 he gave an order to clean his cesspool. Later saw Prescott, who said he was very busy, but would attend to the same soon, though the cesspool has not yet been cleaned.

Cross-examined, Bates said Defendant Faxon was with him when he visited the dump. Bates did not make a complaint to the board of health. Not on good terms with board. Was on good terms with Plaintiff Prescott, however, and was "not extremely friendly" with Faxon.

William Walter Ewell, ex-commissioner of public works in Quincy, testified that in the summer of 1902 he saw no covering at the dump and the matter was in a semi-liquid condition. Faxon did not take him there.

John H. Bent testified that in 1901 he wrote Prescott to come and clean vaults. No one came. Later a collector called and wanted pay for cleaning two double vaults. Prescott later came and one vault was cleared. A collector sought and received under protest pay for cleaning two double vaults.

Dr. William P. Henderson, inspector of animals for the city of Quincy, said he noticed the condition of horses used by Prescott in 1901 and 1902. They were emaciated. One had a bad shoulder. In his opinion, in the summer of 1902, the emaciated horses were not in a fit condition to properly perform their work.

E. G. Bergfors, Edward Pierce, Charles Wilson, a granite dealer, and William Teasdale, an agent, told of trouble with Prescott and his men.

William F. Steadman, carpenter and contractor, testified to the offensive odors from the dump, and to a complaint he had lodged with the board of health because of Prescott's action, as next neighbor, in bringing matter from the dump and putting it upon his (Prescott's) land.

Walter H. Peters told of a visit to Prescott to tell him he cleaned out the wrong cesspool. Prescott said: "What of that; you'll have to yay for it any way." On cross-examination he said Prescott had never sent him a bill.

Chafing Dish Lunch.

The chafing dish lunch given by the young married ladies of the Baptist church at Wollaston Thursday was a success in every way. The menu was as follows:

Creamed Oysters — Shrimp Wiggle
Hot Chocolate — Pink Rarebit
Celeried Oysters — Welsh Rarebit
English Monkey — Slip Over
Cheese Sandwiches.

The tables were presided over by the following, Mr. and Mrs. Blaisdell, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Gannett, Mr. and Mrs. Corey, and Miss Harriett Sheldon. The handkerchief bazar was in charge of the Benevolent committee. Out of the 200 handkerchiefs contributed from all parts of the United States, 122 were sold. Miss Mary Hastings, Mr. Bullock and Mrs. Chandler Smith contributed the musical program.

There will be a meeting of the Fragment Society with Miss Newcomb, Hancock street next Wednesday at 2 o'clock. A full attendance is desired, as there is important business no transact.

The regular monthly meeting of Unity circle of King's Daughters will be held Tuesday evening in Bethany chapel. Mrs. Frank J. Moore is the new leader. Members will be assigned to new tens.

MARRIED.

WRIGHTINGTON—LEAVITT—In Weymouth, Feb. 27, by Rev. William H. Butler, Mr. Judah Wrightington of Weymouth to Miss Harriet Leavitt of Braintree.

BRAINTREE.

Mrs. F. W. Brett, Miss Mabel Mellen, Miss Clara Call and George Call, attended a meeting of the Eastern Star lodge at Quincy Wednesday evening. Three candidates were initiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cottrell have moved from Washington street, Braintree to a house on Plain street owned by Mr. O. H. Gibb.

Despite the rain storm Thursday evening about seventy-five couples attended the invitation party at the Town hall. Cuff's orchestra of five pieces played from eight to twelve for dancing. Ice cream was served at intermission. It was a very social and select party.

All who are interested in the musical services at the M. E. church should notice that this week the hour is four o'clock instead of seven.

The sudden death of Rev. John J. Garrity brings sorrow to many friends in Braintree by whom he was well and favorably known. The sympathy of all goes out to his aged father and brothers nd sisters in their great affliction.

Judge Emmons will draw a full audience to the Town hall, Sunday afternoon, March 13. He will lecture on "Good Citizenship."

There was a large attendance at the supper in the chapel of the First church Wednesday evening and everyone had a good time.

The Braintree Choral union will meet in Cochato hall Monday evening. Mr. Baker of Weymouth will sing solos; Mrs. Crafts of Milton, will sing a solo with violin obligato, and Miss Blanche L. Crafts will render violin solos. Friends of the society are invited to be present and assist in the chorus.

The scholars of Thayer academy are practising for an indoor meet to be held in three weeks. A new feature will be club swinging by ten of the girls.

Mr. Burrows will speak on "Getting the Good out of our English Verse" at the afternoon service tomorrow. Subject of the morning "Simplicity in Religion."

Joseph Marsh is confined at the Quincy hospital the result of a fall on the ice. He is reported as very much better.

The Miller Construction Co. have the contract for a large building for the Fore River Ship and Engine Co.

At a largely attended meeting at their quarters on Shaw street, March, 1 1904 the Oriental Drum Corps, elected F. Lints, R. Wright and J. G. Hearn as members. The Corps has several engagements to fill among which is one with Quincy post 88, G. A. R. at the encampment to be held in Boston, Aug. 16, 1904.

George H. Rowe of Front street is still confined to his room as the result of his accident Feb. 22. Mrs. Rowe is improving slowly from her accident.

The Sunday school of the Union church voted to raise $100.00 for missionary work for the year 1904.

Blue Hill lodge, No. 208, A. O. U. W., held its regular meeting at G. A. R. hall last Wednesday evening. The representation to the Grand lodge made a report of the business transacted at the recent meeting held in Boston, and the lodge voted unanimously to re-affirm its loyalty to the grand and supreme lodges. The attendance was the largest for the season, and the meeting a most enthusiastic one.

Don't forget that lettuce is a preventive of smallpox So far as it is possible for a human being to be protected from catching smallpox, lettuce is a protection.

Quarryman Killed.

Peter Lachance, a machine runner, was instantly killed Thursday in a quarry at West Rutland, Vt., a falling stone striking him on the head. He leaves a widow and eight children.

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MAY MOBILIZE WHOLE ARMY

Army and Navy Reserves In European Russia Called Out

JAPS FAST ADVANCING

Force of Twenty-Five Hundred Strong Has Pushed to the Yalu River, While Seizure of Possiet Bay, In Russian Territory, Is a Serious Menace to Vladivostok and Railroad Behind It--Probable Plans of Japs Will Not Be Carried Out Without Meeting In Fierce Combat

London, March 5.—Little change in the far eastern situation is reported. It is apparent that the Japanese are busily engaged in transporting their forces into Korea and this work is being facilitated by the enforced inactivity of the navy.

The Japanese official who has charge of Japan's financial and commercial interests in England declares that his government foresaw the possibility of coal being declared contraband of war, and that it has been collecting large stores of Welsh steam coal for years, so that today it has a supply sufficient for the needs of the navy for years to come.

An order has been issued calling out more reserves in European Russia, both army and navy, and it is suggested that the whole Russian army will be mobilized if necessary.

As near as can be gathered from the dispatches from the far east, the situation in the theatre of war is somewhat as follows: Japan has several large forces in Korea. The main army, with Seoul as a base, is moving north toward the Yalu. The advance guard of this army is in Ping Yang, which is being fortified. The Russians say there are 6000 Japanese there. On the east, the Japanese are in force at Wonsan, from which there is a road to Ping Yang. Farther to the north, on the east coast of Korea, the Japanese have landed a force 2500 strong, part cavalry, which has been pushed into Maofurchan, at the northern apex of the curve of the Yalu river, and astride the Mukden-Vladivostok and Harbin-Kirin-Wiju roads, which meet here. Still farther to the north the Japanese have seized Possiet Bay, in Russian territory, 70 miles southwest of Vladivostok, threatening that city and the railroad behind it.

On the west of the theatre of war the Japanese have the Russian fleet sealed up in Port Arthur, and their fleets and transports are hovering about both sides of the Liao Tung peninsula, probably looking for an opening to land and cut the railroad line, thus isolating Russia's stronghold in the extreme east.

Against these Japanese operations Russia opposes her fleet and strong garrison at Port Arthur, a strong line of troops along the road from that fort, with large forces at New Chwang, Liao Yang and Mukden. At Harbin a great army is being concentrated. To meet the Japanese on the Yalu, Russia has perhaps 25,000 to 40,000 troops strung along the defensive positions on the river. South of the river Russia has 5000 troops at Anju, which has been fortified with outposts still farther south, possibly to the gates of Ping Yang. At Vladivostok there is a strong garrison and the city and harbor are well protected by forts. It is the probable policy of the Russians to act, for such time as they are effecting their concentration at Harbin, wholly on the defensive.

It probably will be the policy of the Japanese to isolate Port Arthur by cutting and holding the railroad to the north of that city; then to seize, fortify and hold as much of the line of the Yalu as possible; then, if Japan concludes on a campaign on Harbin, to blockade the port of Vladivostok to prevent the Russian fleet from escaping, seize the railroad in the rear of the city and then to move an army along the line of the railroad toward Harbin. This move would compel the Russians to withdraw their troops up the line of the Port Arthur-Harbin road for the protection of the latter city. It is assumed that the Japanese, leaving enough men to hold the Port Arthur garrison in check, would slowly follow the Russians northward. The main army in Korea also would advance over the Yalu.

All this will not be accomplished without fighting. It is not expected that the czar's stubborn fighters will give up even these advance posts without striking a blow. The Russian soldier if well handled is a splendid fighter, but he lacks dash and individual initiative. The Japanese are alert and masters of tactics and strategy. The meeting of these two types will make an interesting study for students of the art of war.

Fleet Guarding Transports

Vladivostok, March 5.—According to information received here 40 Japanese transports, escorted by the entire naval fleet, have been energetically landing troops in Korea at Fusan and Chemulpo. It is estimated that fully 100,000 men have disembarked and it is supposed that an immediate advance into northern Korea is contemplated.

From the fact that the Japanese fleet is thus employed it is felt that no immediate attack upon Vladivostok or Port Arthur will be made.

The reported landing of 2500 Japanese at Song Chin, Plaksin Bay, on the east coast of Korea, has been confirmed.

Supplies Reaching Vladivostok

Tokio, March 5.—It is evident that several vessels laden with coal, provisions and other contraband articles have recently effected the passage of Tsugaru strait and succeeded in reaching Vladivostok. Their exact number and names are unknown. The Vladivostok squadron continues inactive, though it has an ample supply of coal and the ships are in good condition. It is declared to be only a question of time before this squadron will receive the attention of the Japanese navy.

Japanese Cruiser Reported Sunk

St. Petersburg, March 5.—The following dispatch has been received from Major General Pflug, commanding the Russian forces at Port Arthur:

"All is quiet at Port Arthur and Yin Kow. According to information given by eye-witnesses, a Japanese cruiser, having three funnels, lies near Chemulpo, between islands, having recently sunk there."

American Marines on Duty

Seoul, March 5.—Sixty American marines have been sent to guard the premises of the American Mining company at Un San, 120 miles north of Ping Yang, which were reported to have been seized by Russian soldiers on Feb. 27.

American Nurses For Japs

Philadelphia, March 5.—Ten nurses have left this city for Seattle, en route to Japan, where they will render volunteer service on the battlefield. The party is under the guidance of Dr. Anita N. McGee.

URGED BY PARTY

Fairbanks Likely to Become Roosevelt's Running Mate

Washington, March 5.—The Star says: Senator Fairbanks will not resist a movement to make him the vice presidential nominee of the Republican party. If the convention nominates him he will accept. More than that, he will not attempt to discourage efforts looking to his nomination.

It is only fair to say that no explicit declaration by Senator Fairbanks to that effect has been made. The Indiana delegation in congress is convinced that Senator Fairbanks has yielded to the solicitation of men high in the councils outside of Indiana to take second place on the national ticket.

Almost without exception his closest political friends in Indiana have advised him, in his own interest, against accepting the vice presidency. Influential Republicans in the senate, such men as Spooner, Allison and Platt, have urged him to take it, on the ground that he would strengthen the Republican ticket, especially in financial circles, and that his first duty is to his party rather than to his own political future.

Stoddard Loses Fat Job

Washington, March 5.—Isaac T. Stoddard, secretary of the territory of Arizona, has resigned and his resignation has been accepted, to take effect April 1. Charges had been filed against Stoddard. When the governor and legislature of the territory sought to curtail the secretary's fees Stoddard not only refused to exhibit his books to a legislative committee, but, it is claimed, burned them to prevent their inspection. It is alleged that the fees of the office, under Stoddard's system, paid him about $50,000 a year.

Poisoned Candy by Mail

Pierre, S. D., March 5.—Miss Rena Nelson is believed to have been fatally poisoned from eating candy sent through the mails. According to reliable chemists, the poison used was corrosive sublimate. Miss Nelson accuses a woman residing at Boone, Ia., of being the sender of the candy, and gives jealousy as a reason for the act.

Turner Furnishes $5000 Bail

New York, March 5.—John Turner, the English labor leader, who was arrested here in October and has since been detained on Ellis island awaiting deportation on the ground that he is an anarchist, has been released on $5000 bail, pending the decision of the United States supreme court on his application for a writ of habeas corpus.

Runaway Kills Clergyman

Danvers, Mass., March 5.—Rev. Dr. George De Normandie, a Unitarian divine, was almost instantly killed by being thrown from a sleigh. While he was getting into the vehicle the horse became frightened, and, dashing down the street, collided with a curbstone, which threw Dr. De Normandie to the ground head foremost.

A $5,000,000 Loan

Chicago, March 5.—The Illinois Trust and Savings bank has made a loan of $5,000,000 to the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railway company. The rate of interest is understood to be 5 percent and the time nine months.

Reduced Wages Accepted

St. Louis, March 5.—The strike of the laborers at the World's fair grounds has been declared off and the 1000 men who walked out Monday have resumed work at the reduction announced.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Saturday, March 6.
Sun rises—6:12; sets—5:40.
Moon rises—11:12 p. m.
High water—2:15 a. m.; 2:45 p. m.

The cold wave has reached Atlantic coast districts and has diminished considerably in energy. There has been no precipitation of consequence. It will be fair in New England, with slowly rising temperature.

IN A COMPROMISING SITUATION

By T. W. McKAIL

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"I am sure," said Mrs. Railton, fixing me with her eagle glance, before which even bishops have been known to quail—"I am sure you will like to be the first to congratulate Sylvia on her engagement to Mr. Oswald Fitzgerald."

"But Mr. Fitzgerald"— I began.

"Is suitable in every way," continued Mrs. Railton, heedless of my attempted remark. "He is just the man to make Sylvia a capital husband."

"He has, I am aware, $50,000 a year," I said bitterly "but he is old enough to be her father."

"My dear Gerald," remonstrated Mrs. Railton in her most bland tone, "how can you say such things! Mr. Fitzgerald is quite a young man still, and by many people he is considered extremely handsome. Pray don't put such notions into Sylvia's head."

I held my peace, and after studying my countenance carefully for a few moments Mrs. Railton continued: "I have told you this because I have thought—although, of course, I may be mistaken—that your affection for Sylvia has been becoming a little more than cousinly. I should be sorry if"—

"My dear aunt," I broke in impetuously, "what is the use of your trying to blink facts? You know quite well that I have been making desperate love to Sylvia ever since she was ten years old."

"A mere boy and girl flirtation," said Mrs. Railton.

"Perhaps," I said, trying to speak nonchalantly; "but, at any rate, I do not mean to congratulate Sylvia on her engagement to an old man with dyed hair and false teeth. If it had been a young man, it would have been different. I don't believe she cares for him any more than she cares for—the man in the moon."

My tirade fizzled out rather ineffectively, but I was feeling genuinely savage, and the necessity of keeping up a calm exterior before my aunt oppressed me. I wanted to go out and hit somebody. So I made a somewhat hasty departure without waiting to see Sylvia. On the way back to my rooms in the Metropolitan club I brooded over my wrongs. There could be no doubt that Sylvia had treated me very badly. I recalled numerous sentimental little passages between us. Besides, I had proposed to her regularly every week for the last two years without any definite result, it is true, but still with no decided negative.

I sat down in my room dejectedly and pondered over the ways of women in general and of Sylvia in particular. Then I went to a drawer and took out a box wherein lay a miniature portrait of Sylvia, some letters from her, a trinket off a bangle, a handkerchief and some few other unconsidered trifles. The sight of these strengthened my sense of righteous indignation, and while it was still upon me I seized a pen and dashed off a furious letter to Sylvia. But a moment later I tore it to pieces. After all, I thought, sarcasm will be much more effective and at the same time more dignified. Acting upon the second impulse, I constructed a brief letter full of irony congratulating Sylvia upon her engagement and informing her of the pleasure I felt in receiving the announcement. This I dispatched at once by express messenger and then settled down for a quiet afternoon.

It was Saturday, and there was an air of peace within and without that soothed my wounded feelings. I lit a cigarette and lounged in an easy chair before the open window. The sound of a cab approaching rapidly aroused me. Looking out of my window, I saw that it contained Sylvia. As she stepped out of the cab at my door, looking more bewitching even than usual, I noticed that she carried a letter in her hand.

Thus forewarned I answered her hurried knock at the door with a matter of fact "Come in" and evinced none of the surprise she evidently expected me to feel at her appearance.

"You are perfectly horrid"— she began.

"Why?" I asked innocently.

"To write me a letter like this," holding out the offending document. "I was just going out shopping with mother when it arrived, but I felt as if I must come and talk to you first. Poor mother! She will wonder where on earth I have gone."

"So you did care what I thought?"

"Oh, Jerry," she said quite earnestly, and I fancied I detected a tear in her left eye, "how could you write me so cruelly? I thought you would be heartbroken."

"Is it not a little indiscreet of you," I went on, realizing my advantage, "to come here alone to a bachelor's rooms without a chaperon?"

She sprang to her feet, her eyes flashing and her cheeks flushing in a manner that I could not help confessing was eminently becoming to her.

"Do you think I care about stupid conventionalities," she said, "when it is a question of justice between you and me? Do you imagine I am going to remain at a decorous distance from you when my happiness is at stake? Do you"—

But I interrupted her.

"It is not so much a question of what I think or imagine as it is of what Mr. Fitzgerald"—

"How dare you mention him to me?" she flamed out. "It is the worst taste on your part. If I had refused you and accepted him"—

"That is exactly what you have done," I interposed.

"Indeed!" she bowed haughtily. "You know more of my affairs than I do myself."

"Sylvia," I said, taking her hands in mine, "your mother told me you were engaged to him."

"And you believed it and wrote me this—this unpardonable letter. I came to tell you that I am not engaged to any one and that I never shall be."

"Not even to me?" I pleaded.

"You deserve the worst punishment you could possibly have," she said, with a hint of relenting in her voice. At this moment we heard a carriage drive up to my door, and a moment later we recognized my aunt's inquiry.

"Gerald," gasped Sylvia, "it's mother! Hide me, for goodness' sake!"

There was only one hiding place in the room, a cupboard disguised by the name of pantry. As I closed the door on her Mrs. Railton knocked and entered. I saw her glance wander round the room as she said blandly: "So glad you are in, my dear Gerald. Have you seen Sylvia this afternoon?"

"Sylvia!" I exclaimed in amazed tones.

"I managed to lose sight of her just now in Fifth avenue, and it occurred to me that perhaps she had met some one she knew, possibly yourself. But if you have been in all the afternoon of course my surmise is incorrect. She has probably gone home. Will you see me down to the carriage? What charming chambers!" She raised her eyeglasses. "What is this? A letter addressed to Sylvia? Shall I take it to her?" She was about to pick it up when there was a terrific crash and a faint scream, unmistakably in Sylvia's voice. "Sylvia!" she exclaimed in majestic accents as Sylvia emerged, disclosing a vista of broken crockery.

"I am sorry, aunt," I said gravely, "that Sylvia should be found in such a compromising situation; but, after all, there is a very good way out of it."

Mrs. Railton's horrified gaze removed itself from Sylvia's face to me and demanded my meaning.

"She can always as a last resource become engaged to me," I continued hardily. "Of course I am a very bad match for her, but we are very much attached to each other—as you see—and"—

"And it's the least I can do after breaking his tea service," said Sylvia, taking my arm.

One of Vallandigham's Replies.

Tom Carter used to tell a story that illustrated the methods of Vallandigham as a political orator. The Ohio Democrat was making a speech in an Illinois town during one of the campaigns. Carter was a boy and went to hear him. In the midst of the oration some one got up and asked:

"Where was Vallandigham during the war?"

"My friend," said the orator, "you have a perfect right to ask that question, and I shall answer it at the proper time. Next winter I will come to Illinois, and you and I will choose a day when the thermometer is at zero and the wind is blowing the snow across the fields. We will go far out upon the prairie, and there I will tell you where Vallandigham was during the war. It will be more pertinent and timely on such an occasion than now and will have as much significance to the winds of winter as to this campaign."

Carter said Vallandigham was not again interrupted.—Washington Post.

Volunteers.

A story which is told of a small boy who declared that he would be neither soldier nor sailor lest he should be killed or drowned, but would be a volunteer like his father, is rather severe on the citizen soldier. 'Twas ever thus. Pitt, provoked by the conditions imposed by volunteers when Napoleon was expected to bob up in England with an army at his back, made a marginal note upon the memorial in which they addressed him, "These volunteers are not to be sent out of the country except in the case of actual invasion." But the boy in the case cited placed his father in no more embarrassing position than that in which the Duke of Wellington found himself at the instance of a child by whom he was gravely saluted. "There's a fine little fellow!" said the duke, patting the child on the head. "I'll give you a commission in the guards as soon as you're old enough." His little admirer looked up reproachfully and in tears exclaimed, "But, please, Mr. Dook, I'se a little dirl!"—St. James Gazette.

Two Views of Sport.

Sport comes in as a sort of safety valve, as plenty of riding and walking minimizes the effect of too luxurious living, always supposing that the latter has not already had the effect of begetting a disinclination for anything approaching strong exercise, a fate not at all unlikely to overtake those who are too capon lined.—London Field.

We are growing accustomed to being called a nation of shopkeepers, and we seem to be going the right way toward earning the still less enviable title of a nation of game players. Let us remember while there is yet time that an empire almost as great tottered to its fall when the citizens of the mother city grew too serious over their amusements.—Blackwood's Magazine.

A Magpie's Conscience.

Why does the magpie construct a dome of twigs over its nest? Most readers will say as a shelter, but it does not in the least answer to such a description. The twigs are only a network through which rain may pour and cold winds penetrate. May it not be the case that the magpie is conscious of its own sins, and a guilty mind, apprehensive of reprisals, causes the bird to build this over its nest? The magpie is an egg stealer and makes use of knowledge, gained while carrying out its depredations on the contents of other nests, to protect those of its own.—Country Gentleman



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A WAR IN EUROPE

London Spectator Sees How It Could Be Launched

WARNING TO THE PRESS

Impression of Partisanship Gives Russia Occasion to Pick a Quarrel With England--"Explosives Are Lying Round"

London, March 5.—"We do not want to appear as alarmists, but we would be doing harm and not good if we tried to conceal the fact that the present situation in regard to foreign affairs is one of considerable anxiety," says today's Spectator in a long article on the effect of the Russian-Japanese war on international relations, especially the relations between Russia and Great Britain. The Spectator points out how "the Russian feeling of resentment against Great Britain is steadily rising, the Russians being convinced that the British have been the chief cause of their difficulties by encouraging the Japanese to go to war.

"Without considering whether there is any truth in this view," continues The Spectator, "the important fact is that it is held by the Russian people and that public opinion is in such a state of excitement that war with Great Britain would be extremely popular."

Proceeding to explain why the military party should try to "escape the humiliation of a possible defeat by a small Asiatic power," The Spectator remarks:

"A great European war would obliterate all traces of the Japanese war. A popular war would cover up an unpopular one and give the Russians an excuse to make peace with Japan, or withdraw from Japan's reach and so staunch the bleeding in men and money now going on in Manchuria. Further, military men in Russia believe that war against Great Britain would be conducted in company with Germany and France and present no risks to Russia, as the brunt of the fighting would fall on France and Germany, whose colonies could be taken in the event of the British being victorious, while, as the Russian fleet has already gone, Great Britain could not inflict injury on Russia."

The Spectator proceeds to warn the press against giving Russia occasion for picking a quarrel, especially referring to the "aggressively anti-Russian tone of The Times and the impression of partisanship," which, it declares, it is difficult to condone or even understand. Continuing, The Spectator says:

"That The Times should give occasion to those who desire to embroil Russia and Great Britain is rendered more remarkable by the fact that The Times has done much excellent service in pointing out the trend of German policy. It is to be feared that the harm done by the want of restraint originally shown by the British press cannot now be undone, but at least our newspapers should realize the need of not playing into the hands of the military party in Russia or providing material for those who desire to prove to France that her ally has been treated in an unfair and hostile spirit by the British people. While explosives are lying about there always in need of extra care and circumspection."

The Spectator concludes with urging the government to be vigilant and have its plans prepared for all emergencies, saying: "We must look the facts in the face and prepare to take the consequences of the Japanese alliance. One of those consequences was the active and bitter hostility of Russia and the opportunity afforded to the German emperor to knock the heads of the European powers together and get something of advantage to his own nation."

Gunboat Out of Commission

Shanghai, March 5.—An adjustment has been effected of the question arising from the continued presence at Shanghai of the Russian gunboat Mandjur in disregard of the laws of neutrality. The Russian consul general of Shanghai has notified the Chinese authorities that Russia will consent to the dismantlement of the Mandjur and to her being detained at Shanghai until the end of the war.

Wants of Russian Soldiers

St. Petersburg, March 5.—Major General Pflug, chief-of-staff of Viceroy Alexieff, telegraphs from Port Arthur recommending that gifts to the troops take the shape of cigarets, tobacco, boots, belts, needles and thread, buttons, paper and envelopes and soap. He says warm clothing is not required.

Dover Again at His Desk

Cleveland, March 5.—Elmer Dover, secretary of the Republican national committee, who has been confined to his room by illness for several days past, is much improved, and is able to be at his desk in the office of the late Senator Hanna for a brief time. He was threatened with pneumonia and is still suffering from a severe cold.

Denver Exceeds Requirements

Philadelphia, March 5.—In a preliminary trial trip, the cruiser Denver, according to one of the officials of the company which built her, attained a speed of 18.8 knots, but 17 knots being called for in the contract with the government. The cruiser is now complete with the exception of painting.

ALMOST WITHIN GRASP

Police of Boston Think Suspect Brigham Is In That City

Boston, March 5.—Carl E. Brigham, who is wanted on suspicion of having caused the death of Mrs. Celia M. Smith at Londonderry, N. H., on March 1, has been in Boston since the night of the day on which the crime was committed. Deputy Superintendent of Police Hanscom received information late last night that Brigham had been visiting relatives in East Boston. An investigation was begun and police officers and detectives surrounded the house of a man named Sleeper, at 106 Summer street. Brigham was not seen, and a search of the house failed to reveal his presence.

The Sleepers are relatives of the suspect. After much questioning they admitted that Brigham came to their house on Tuesday night and remained until Thursday night. On Thursday night he went out for the first time since his arrival. He told the family that he was going to cross over to Boston to see if he could find employment. Since that time the Sleepers say they have neither seen nor heard anything of him.

Since leaving Londonderry Brigham has obtained a new suit of clothing and a new overcoat. The police say that they expect to capture Brigham today.

May Have Been In Athol

Worcester, Mass., March 5.—A special to The Telegram from Athol says that a man answering the description of Carl E. Brigham stopped at a restaurant there last night. The police were notified and Sheriff Collis of Rockingham county, N. H., was communicated wi The local police were asked to detain the man, but later were unable to locate him.

Expert Opens Ham's Vault

Boston, March 5.—The private vault at the offic of the American Surety company used by Wallace H. Ham, the former manager of the company, accused of larceny, was opened by an expert. Nothing of importance, it is said, was found. Officials of the company say that they have discovered the loss of $21,330, said to have been deposited with Ham by the American Legion of Honor, in connection with the issue of security bonds which they were compelled to give in certain cases of litigation.

Two Fishermen Lost

Portsmouth, N. H., March 5.—Fishing schooner Actor, of Gloucester, Mass., at this port, reported that three of her crew, Acting Skipper Hodgdon, Charles Martin and Matthew Osler, had become separated from the vessel while hauling trawls during a dense fog and heavy sea Thursday night. Later the schooner Bertha Miller came into port with Hodgdon. He was badly chilled and almost exhausted. Nothing has been heard of the other two men.

Hundred-Year-Old Bank Closes

Marblehead, Mass., March 5.—After 100 years' existence as a financial institution, the Marblehead National bank has closed its doors to public business and its affairs will be liquidated as rapidly as possible. The bank has a capital of $120,000. Business has been steadily dwindling for years and the stockholders decided that liquidation was advisable. The institution is solvent, and is paying all obligations in full.

State Police Aid Sought

Clinton, Mass., March 5.—In an effort to locate the highwaymen who held up an electric car in South Lancaster Wednesday night, and made their escape after one of them had been beaten off by a passenger, State Police Officers Murray and Holt have been called into the case by the selectmen of Lancaster. The officers state that they have as yet discovered no evidence of importance.

Shortage In Town Funds

Wolfboro, N. H., March 5.—The town auditors announce that they have found a deficit of $6300 in the accounts for the past year of Charles F. Piper, town treasurer. Piper had been treasurer for 17 years. The loss is secured by a bond. Piper was treasurer of the Wolfboro Loan and Savings company, which closed its doors three weeks ago on account of a $25,000 shortage.

Barges and Cargoes Lost

New Haven, March 5.—Tug Pottsville, while bringing in a tow of eight barges, encountered rough weather off Charles island, as a result of which two barges, both loaded with coal, sprung aleak and sunk. The crews of the barges were rescued with difficulty.

Depositors Will Lose Nothing

Greenfield, Mass., March 5.—The depositors of the Packard National bank of this town, which failed last year, are to be paid in full. Receiver Fish expects to pay a second dividend of 5c percent in two weeks. The receiver will then be discharged by the court.

Hastings Held Without Bail

Salem, Mass., March 5.—Joseph A. Hastings pleaded not guilty to a charge of causing the death of Mrs. Dora A. Trask in Beverly, and by agreement of counsel the case was continued for one week. Hastings was remanded to jail without bail.

Girls Delivering Telegrams

Chicago, March 5.—Fifty girl "strike-breakers" have been put to work by the Western Union Telegraph company to deliver messages. There are 700 boys on strike.

Takes His Father's Place

New York, March 5.—At the annual meeting of the Turf and Field club Harry P. Whitney was elected to the board of governors to succeed William C. Whitney.

CANAL COMMISSION.

WHY REAR ADMIRAL WALKER WAS CHOSEN AS ITS HEAD.

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He was appointed chairman of the isthmian canal commission in 1897 by President McKinley and made a report favoring the Nicaragua route. When congress, in 1899, authorized another commission President McKinley again appointed Rear Admiral Walker chairman, and a second time he reported in favor of the Nicaragua route. Then came the offer of the French company to sell all its work, holdings and rights for $40,000,000, which resulted in the passage of the Spooner act providing for a further report from the same commission under changed conditions. Rear Admiral Walker then submitted a report in favor of the Panama route. He believed that Uncle Sam would get about $200,000,000 worth of work for one-fifth of that sum.

In his naval career Admiral Walker got an early baptism of fire under the fighting admirals of the old school, and up to the time of his retirement in 1897 he was regarded as the best tactician and drill master with modern steel ships. He is of Scotch-Irish descent and was born in New Hampshire in 1836. On the death of his mother young Walker went to live with his uncle, Governor Grimes of Iowa. He was appointed a midshipman in the United States navy in 1850, and when the civil war broke out Lieutenant Walker showed that he was one of the young officers who could be trusted in positions of danger and importance. While on the gunboat Winona he took part in the memorable passage of Forts Jackson and St. Philip and in the capture of New Orleans. In the reports of the operations around Vicksburg his name was frequently mentioned with honor, and in July, 1862, he was commissioned a lieutenant commander.



REAR ADMIRAL JOHN G. WALKER.

His first active command was the old river ironclad Baron De Kalb, and he soon became one of the successful young men whom Admiral Porter gathered around him on the Mississippi river. The De Kalb, with three small gunboats, was sent to dislodge the enemy from Yazoo City, an important depot of supplies for the southern army. A land force of 5,000 men under General Herron co-operated. The Confederates were defeated after a sharp conflict, but during the action the De Kalb tripped across a sunken torpedo and was blown up.

In 1871 he was appointed lighthouse inspector and was the practical head of the lighthouse board for seven years. After a tour of sea duty he was appointed chief of the bureau of navigation in 1881, a position requiring great administrative ability. The personnel of the navy improved greatly under his management. The first ships of the new navy were then projected, and his knowledge and judgment were bent on making them the best in the world. He brought forward the men of the line who planned, invented and built ordnance, improved and tested armor plate and applied electricity to the operation and fighting of warships.

He was promoted commodore in 1889 and in November of that year took command of the new squadron of evolution, composed of the Chicago, Boston, Atlanta and Yorktown. The ships were then the best in the navy and on their visit to European ports were received with great honor.

The new canal commission is composed of seven members. The engineers who will have charge of the work with Rear Admiral Walker are General George W. Davis, U. S. A., retired; William Barclay Parsons, engineer of the New York subway; Colonel Frank Hecker of Detroit, director of transportation in the Spanish-American war; William H. Burr, professor of engineering, Columbia university; C. Ewald Grunsky of San Francisco, a distinguished hydraulic engineer, and Benjamin M. Harrod of New Orleans, an engineer of the Mississippi river commission.

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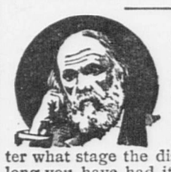
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C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
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QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
A. Pierson, 92 Granite street.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
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F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite street.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	35	38	54	32	30
Monday,	39	48	—	—	—
Tuesday,	38	45	44	42	27
Wednesday,	43	37	38	41	54
Thursday,	48	28	33	35	52
Friday,	27	27	48	40	36
Saturday,	30	28	47	34	37

New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearings.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Cold this morning.

Probably rain Sunday.

Ten degrees above at sunrise.

A sun shower this morning. It was snow of course.

Warren Anderson of Goffe street is confined to the house by a cold.

Harry S. Bates has entered the employ of Henry L. Kincaide & Co., at their furniture warehouse.

The monthly sociable of the Epsworth League of Wollaston was postponed in view of the Ladies sale.

Grand Canton Shawmut, Patriarch Militant, will attend the funeral of Capt. Osman B. Plumer at Wollaston.

The Wollaston Unitarian church will join the other churches of the country in making the Bible the subject of the morning service on Sunday.

The annual meeting of the Wollaston M. E. church was a very enthuseastic affair and the pastor Rev. Mr. Heath was unanimously invited to return next year.

The King's Daughters have secured a return engagement of the "Old Maids," who are scheduled to be at Bethany chapel Mar. 16 in aid of the Pond Home.

A sacred concert by Evangelist Kernohan the "Swedish Nightingale" and juvenile quartette will be given Monday evening. The proceeds are for home missionary work.

Outside of City Square the sidewalks are but little used by pedestrians, on account of their slippery condition. The street car tracks have been the popular sidewalks this winter.

Evangelist Kenyon who did such splendid work at the United Presbyterian church this winter will preach in that church for the pastor morning and evening tomorrow.

At 8.30 P. M., after the welcome meeting on Wednesday, March 9, a special parish meeting will be held in St. Chrysostoms church to appoint a committee to prepare and report a revised constitution and by-laws.

The Young People's Religious Union meets in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry Sunday evening at seven o'clock. The subject is "A modern pioneer in Philanthropic work—Joseph Tuckerman." Mr. Wallace Bennett is the leader of the evening. All are invited.

Evangelist Kernohare and the "Swedish Nightingale," assisted by the Juvenile quartet will give the most unique and interesting entertainment in Faxon hall, Monday evening, ever held here, for home missionary work. There will be singing in Swedish and English and music on the mandolin, guitar and piano.

—If you want your boy to be popular with the ladies, name him "Jack."

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recite in the corridors; one in the principal's private office, and the typewriters are in a room lighted only by artificial means. The building is crowded in every way. This condition might have been avoided by the payment of some $2,000 or less of interest money, yearly. All who have any influence in giving to our High School scholars ample, healthful, and suitable rooms should see that this is done. The city can have no more urgent need in any other direction. No greater problem confronts Quincy, or its servants, the City Council and the School Committee, than this one of *school accommodations*. Whatever other public interest may suffer, the reasonable demand of the times is that our boys and girls be better instructed than ever before. It is hardly necessary to say that to best accomplish this, school houses, ample and healthful are needed.

(2) SCHOOL EXPENSES

During these times of great material prosperity and of lavish expenditures in country, state and town, it becomes every public servant to consider carefully the responsibility laid upon him in the spending of public money.

As to the cost of conducting our schools, the following table is interesting and instructive: —

Year.	Cost per Pupil in Quincy.	Cost per Pupil in the State.	Per cent. of Appropriation for Support of Schools in Quincy.	Dollars per $1,000, based on Valuation in State.
1893	$24.17	* ——	.28	$2.69
1894	22.56	23.88	.25	2.73
1895	22.23	24.73	.27	2.81
1896	22.50	25.10	.26	2.89
1897	23.44	25.22	.27	2.95
1898	22.27	25.63	.26	3.53
1899	22.47	26.06	.25	3.62
1900	22.21	26.73	.23	3.62
1901	22.67	26.49	.25	3.63
1902	21.97	27.04	.24	3.70
1903	21.45	27.30	.23	3.71

* Data not available.

This table shows that whereas the cost per pupil in the schools of Quincy has *decreased* from year to year,—being $24.17 in 1893 and $21.45 in 1903,— in the state, the tendency has been for the cost per pupil to increase, and it has actually risen from $23.88 in 1894 to $27.30 in 1903. It shows further that in Quincy a smaller percentage of the city's appropriation is being used for the support of schools, while the reverse is true in the state. Consequently, the other departments must be expending a larger proportion of the city's money than formerly. Whether this is cause for congratulation may be questioned, but the fact remains and should receive the careful consideration of those in charge of the city's finances.

(3.) THE EFFICIENCY OF THE SCHOOLS

as affected by the personal attention of parents to the work of their children. There is very little reason or intention to enlarge on this thought.

Parents, when you think that your children are not doing in school as well as they ought, or when you hear something in regard to the school which you fear is not as it should be, you can do no greater good to your children and to the school, than by personally investigating. You may thus, not only influence your children to do better and their teachers to take more interest in them but you may find, as has often been the case, that the reported grievances were unfounded.

Having called attention to the three topics of this report, it is fitting to add in conclusion that good work is being done in the schools of Quincy; that there is great effort on the part of the teachers, inspired by the untiring and well-directed zeal of the Superintendent, Mr. Parlin, to foster what Horace Mann says should be heard in every school,—"the hum of business;" and to graduate boys and girls of good character, and with right aims in life.

May Superintendent and Teachers receive the co-operation of us all!

The above report was presented by a special committee consisting of Dr. Record, Dr. Hallowell and Chairman Porter, and was adopted as the annual report of the School Committee, Tuesday, December twenty-ninth, 1903.

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Rev. Fr. Flaherty of Brighton.
Rev. John L. Callahan of West Quincy.
Rev. Julian E. Johnston of Quincy.
Rev. H. J. Mulligan of Hingham.

Among the others present were a class of 64 girls of about 12 years of age from the parochial school at East Boston. They came on the 8.28 train from Boston and marched to the church.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

Coming to Keith's the week of March 7 are the following noted entertainers; Katherine Nelson, a clever singing comedienne, who imitates Lillian Russell, Marie Cahill, Adele Ritchie, and other stage favorites, and also does something in the line of pleasing entertainment on her own account; Franz Humberty, one of the most skilful jugglers and equilibrists who has ever been seen in America; James J. Morton, a bright comedian of decidedly original talent; Martinetti and Grossi, novelty entertainers, never before in this country: the Brittons, "real coon" singers and dancers, and Pete Baker, favorite German dialect comedian. An entire new set of motion pictures will be shown. Underlined for the week of March 14 is Annie Abbott, the noted "Georgia Magnet," who a score of men cannot lift.

PARK THEATRE.

What promises to be one of the quaintest and oddest of all this season's theatrical offerings, the laughing hit of the season, is soon to be seen by New England play-goers on the stage of the Park theatre, Boston, where dear, delightful "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" is to make her bow before the footlights on Monday evening, March 7. Madge Carr Cooke, the expert comedienne, who has so distinguished herself in a wide range of character roles, is said to give the half-humorous, half-touching and wholly ovable old lady an ideal incarnation, will be seen in her own famous tin-rooted, two-doored cottage, making the most of her semi-grotesque poverty, with a serene optimism and cheerfulness, looking after her three little "Jography"-named girls, Asia, Australia and Europena, sheltering and "sticking up" for runaway Lovey Mary, with Little Tommy, and running the affairs of the Cabbage Patch in her own motherly way. Humor, comedy, over-bubbling mirthfulness of eccentric character types and Cabbage Patch realism, these most assuredly come in for the greater share of the entertainment, and in the ludicrous courtship and wedding of little Miss Hazy and Mr. Stubbins there has been found an over-brimming subject for fun and laughter. Everybody who has read the original stories of Mrs. Rice will readily recall this mirth-provoking romance of the Cabbage Patch—how that meek and shiftless little spinster, Miss Hazy, sent the requisite 25 cents to the mysterious "Astrologer" to find her "spiritual pardner;" how Mr. Stubbins, "the prominent citizen of Bagdad Junction," subsequently appeared on the scene; how he proved "anything but God-like," and how he, unfortunately, followed up pumpkin-pie with strong drink and fell sadly from grace, making his unique exit in an empty freight car into which he was hoisted in maudlin unconciousness.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

At the request of many patrons the management of the Castle Square Theatre has planned a revival of the famous play "Peg Woffington" as next week's attraction. It is three years since Miss Lillian Lawrence was seen in the impersonation of this charming character and the remarkable success she gained makes this revival of the play a matter of general interest to Castle Square patrons. The present company should give an excellent performance and the management promise some elegant settings and appointments for the production. The cast will be as follows:—Sir Charles Pomandere John Sainpolis; Mr. Earnest Vane, Thomas MacLarnie; Colley Cibber, Edward Wade; Quin, John F. Webber; Triplet, John T. Craven; Mr. Snarl, Lindsay Morison; Colander, Louis Thiel; Hundson, William J. Hasson; Peg Woffington, Lillian Lawrence; Mrs. Vane, Mary Sanders; Kitty Clive, Isabelle Fletcher; Mrs. Triplet, Mabel Colcord; Roxalana, Little Winkie; Maid Sadie H. Galloupe. "The performances of "Peg Woffington" are for only a single week and there will be the usual distribution of boxes of chocolate bonbons at the Monday matinee.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

3D SUNDAY IN LENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Address by George F. Rowland, a resident in Japan for fifteen years, on "Japanese-Russian Situation." Free seats and every one invited to the services.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. Service of divine worship at 3.30 P. M. Sermon by Rev. Mr. Conklin.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 10.30 A. M., holy communion and sermon. 12.05 M., Sunday School. 7.00 P. M., prayer and address.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45 with celebration of the Lord's Supper. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30. Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening at 7.30. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All are cordially invited.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by Evangelist Kenyon morning and evening. Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Open to all. Cottage prayer meeting at Roderick McPherson's Tuesday evening at 16 Nightingale avenue. Bible training class on Thursday at 6.30 P. M. Subject: Psalm 91.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. 10.45 A. M., the holy communion and sermon. 12.20 P. M., the Sunday School. 4.30 P. M, prayer and address.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Our attitude toward Christianity." The ordinance of the Lord's Supper at close of service. Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor meeting at 3.30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7.30 P. M. All heartily invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by Mr. Grove F. Ekins of New Haven, Conn. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock. You are cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue. — Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Substance." Golden Text: "If thou wilt be perfect, go and sell that thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasures in heaven." Matthew 19:21. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings. All are welcome.

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Firing by Five Japanese Battleships and Two Cruisers

REPORTS DO NOT AGREE

Dispatch From Bombarded City Says No Damage Resulted, but St Petersburg Hears That Four Sailors and a Woman Were Killed--Belief That Russian Squadron Has Departed From Vladivostok--Everything Reported Quiet at Port Arthur

Vladivostok, March 7.—A fleet of five Japanese battleships and two cruisers appeared off this port at 1:25 Sunday afternoon and bombarded the town and shore batteries for 55 minutes.

The fleet approached from the direction of Askold island, at the east entrance to Ussuri bay, and about 32 miles southeast of Vladivostok. Entering Ussuri bay, the enemy formed in line of battle, but did not approach to a closer range than 5 1-3 miles. They directed their fire against the shore batteries and the town, but no damage resulted, as most of their 200 lyddite shells failed to burst.

The Japanese fire ceased at 2:20 p. m., and the enemy retired in the direction of Askold island. Simultaneously, two torpedo boat destroyers appeared near Askold island and two more near Cape Maidel. The Japanese ships were covered with ice.

The attack resulted in no loss to the Russians, but cost the enemy 200,000 roubles ($100,000) in ammunition Most of the projectiles were six and 12 inch shells.

The population of Vladivostok were warned of the presence on the horizon of a hostile fleet and of the prospect of an attack during the day, but it remained tranquil.

The News at St Petersburg

St. Petersburg, March 7.—Official dispatches received here concerning the bombardment of Vladivostok by a Japanese fleet do not mention any Russian losses, but private advices say that five were killed, four sailors and the wife of an engineer. It is apparent the Japanese were afraid to risk exposing their ships to the plunging fire of the land batteries and it is considered probable here that the attack was really for the purpose of drawing the fire of the Russian forts, compelling the Russians to disclose the positions and calibre of their guns and also for the purpose of ascertaining whether the Russian squadron is in port. If this was the object of the Japanese, it is believed to have failed signally, as the batteries did not fire a shot and if the squadron is in port it could not be seen from the Japanese position in the Bay of Ussuri on account of the high land which rises from the coast on that side, obstructing the view of the harbor.

What Is Heard at London

London, March 7.—Only Russian reports on the bombardment of Vladivostok have yet been received and these give no indication as to whether the Russian squadron is still there. According to a report from Tokio the squadron was seen off Gensan, Korea, last Thursday, but on this point there is no reliable information. Speculation, however, mostly inclines to the belief that the Russian squadron is not in port at Vladivostok, as neither the official nor the other reports of the bombardment mention Russian battleships.

Port Arthur dispatches of Saturday and Sunday say that everything is quiet there and on the Liao Tung peninsula. The Japanese cruiser squadron was seen reconnoitering off Port Arthur Friday night during a heavy snowstorm.

The Daily Telegraph's Che Foo correspondent says the Russians are still employing thousands of coolies at Port Arthur and Dalny on entrenchments and new forts and that they are also mounting over 100 guns to protect the neck of the isthmus.

The correspondent of The Standard at Tien Tsin gives a rumor that 30 Russian sailors were caught in an attempt to escape from Port Arthur and that they were shot the same day.

The Standard's St. Petersburg correspondent telegraphs, under reserve, a story to the effect that a party of Japanese, disguised at Tartars, were arrested by a guard of the Siberian railway bridge at Syzran, on the River Volga, having packages of dynamite in their possession.

The Russian cruiser Aurora has arrived at Suda Bay, Turkey.

The Russian naval mobilization has been partially decided upon. Three eastern provinces of European Russia, Vyatka, Perm and Ufa, are included in the plan, the purposes stated being the strengthening of the crews of the Pacific squadron.

Direct through telegraphic communication is now established between Viceroy Alexieff's headquarters at Mukden and St. Petersburg. This is believed to be the longest circuit in the world, being over 6000 miles, whereas the direct communication between London and Teheran, a distance of only 5000 miles has hitherto been the longest.

JAPAN'S WAR MINISTER.

General Terauchi, who has been Japan's minister of war since 1893, was educated in Germany and Japan and



GENERAL MASATAKE TERAUCHI.

was vice head of the Japanese board of strategy during the Chino-Japanese war.

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—The negro of Hayti after 100 years of trying to govern himself has proved a thorough failure. He has reduced one of the fairest of islands to one of the most wretched communities. The history of the Republic of Hayti and Santo Domingo is a story of bloody crimes, of rebellions in which property has been ruthlessly destroyed and the rights of all classes defied. Fate seems to be pointing to an American protectorate. Had the anti-imperialists had their way the Philippines would now be in chaos.—Boston Journal.

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ODD FELLOWS

Attend the Funeral of a Brother at Wollaston.

The funeral of Osmon B. Plumemr of Wollaston was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence on Wollaston avenue. The services were attended by many friends including John Hancock lodge of Odd Fellows and large delegations from Manet Encampment and Canton Shawmut, Patriarchs Militant.

Previous to the regular service the Odd Fellows' burial service was rendered by Noble Grand Charles H. Adams and Chaplain David Brown of John Hancock lodge. The regular service then followed and was conducted by Rev. Henry G. Megathlin of the Park and Downs church.

During this service Prof. J. Herbert Marceau sang "Lead Kindly Light" and another selection.

After the services the remains were taken to Mt. Wollaston and placed in the receiving tomb, being escorted for a part of the distance by the societies present.

The bearers were Messrs. John G. Thomas, John McTirrell, George C. Ela and Henry Wait, representing John Hancock lodge; and George A. Wardwell, Joseph E. Bean, A. S. Johnston, and C. F. West representing Manet Encampment.

There were many beautiful flowers, including a large wreath of roses from the lodge, a hugh bank on the face of which were a camp tent and crooks, from the encampment, and a high bank of galax leaves, on the face of which were the crown, links and crossed crooks from the Patriarchs Militant.

Direct from President.

Speaker Frothingham of the Massachusetts House of Representatives who will address the Monday Evening club at Atlantic tonight was a guest at dinner of President Roosevelt at the White House on Saturday. The other guests were Secretary Moody, Senator Lodge, Speaker Cannon, Mr. Justice Holmes, Mr. Justice Day, Senator Allison, Senator Spooner, Representative Hitt, Atty-Gen. Knox, Prof. Albert Bushnell Hart, W. W. Rockhill, James R. Garfield, A. W. Cooley, Gifford Pinchot, W. Cameron Forbes and William Dudley Foulke. Senator Hoar was invited also, but was unable to be present.

City Council Business.

A regular meeting of the City Council will be held tonight.

The Committee on Water Supply will report on the order for $20,000 for water extensions.

The Committee on Streets will report on the petitions of the Electric Light Company for location of poles, and on the petition of John Thompson & Sons, for permission to run a compressed air pipe over Quarry street.

The ordinance regulating the speed street cars will come up for a second reading.

Reports may also be expected from the Finance Committee.

Shipyard Pay Rolls Padded.

A dispatch from Philadelphia to Boston papers reports Terence Flood, a timekeeper at Cramps' shipyard, was arrested Saturday and held in $5000 bail for a further hearing charged with embezzling $7000. Several other employes are under suspicion. Padded pay rolls is said to be the method employed in the alleged embezzlement.

TODAY'S COURT.

Harry Long and Herald Hanson were fined $3 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

David G. Smith and John B. Hutchinson were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Cases continued until Tuesday.

John Mattie was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until March 14.

George B. McCarthy was fined $3 for drunkenness at Weymouth

The continued case of William St. Pierre, for keeping a liquor nuisance, was called and continued until Tuesday, at which time he will be fined $50.

☞"In pronouncing the Russian names," says a helpful contemporary, "the reader should remember that the letter j is always pronounced y." That explains why the Russians thought they had such an easy victory ahead of them. They thought the Japs were Yaps.—Indianapolis Journal.

MR. FAXON ILL

But Was Determined to Attend Court.

The Excitement Too Much for Him.

Was a Witness Saturday at Adjournment of Court.

Mr. Henry H. Faxon is in the habit of taking a daily nap, and the week's strain of attending court at Dedham, together with the fact that he was the defendant in a $50,000 libel suit, told heavily on him last week.

It was not the intention of his lawyers to put Mr. Faxon on the witness stand, but he persisted and gave testimony on Saturday, and was on the stand at the adjournment of the court, requiring his attendance today.

This morning it was reported that Mr. Faxon had had a slight shock, but it was more a case of exhaustion or weakness, as he was in bad shape when he reached his home Saturday evening. Dr. Gordon attended him on Sunday.

Other men in his condition would not have attempted to go to court this morning, but realizing the importance of his attendance he persisted in going. He was conveyed in a hack and escorted by his son and Dr. Gordon.

The evidence of Saturday was reported as follows: Napoleon B. Furnald, aged 76 years, testified that in 1901 he gave Prescott an order to clean out a vault. Prescott charged him for two vaults. On another occasion the bill was too large. A third bill he paid to Prescott, himself. Prescott was in a hurry. After the bill was paid, witness discovered he had paid too much.

William M. Smith, granite manufacturer, testified he gave an order to clean out his cesspool in 1901, and it was not cleaned until 1902.

Timothy J. Carey testified he sent an order to clean a vault in April 1901 and it was not cleaned until Aug. 10, 1901.

Alexander W. Russell, stonecutter, testified that in 1902 a cesspool was cleaned out by his men, and inside of a week it was overflowing again.

George O. Langley, carpenter and builder, testified to bad conditions at the city dump.

Mrs. Rose Metcalf testified to bad odors from the dump, as did Arthur W. Newcomb of Quincy Neck, an ex-councilman. Harry Ratti had a cesspool cleaned in 1902. He was charged for two tanksful, but only paid for one.

Amid a silence that was almost oppressive Henry H. Faxon stood up and was sworn by assistant clerk of courts Louis A. Cook, Jr.

Mr. Faxon testified that he was nearly 81 years, and had lived all his life in Quincy. Knew Prescott ever since he was born. Up to March 1902, had himself a scavenger's license. After that time Prescott did his scavenger work. Had occasion to look over Prescott's work. He gave an article to reporters July 8, 1902. The work done by Prescott was not satisfactory. He found his vaults were not properly cleaned out. Prescott rendered bills for the work. Never knew Prescott to clean up the work. Some of the cesspools alleged to have been cleaned out, would fill up and overflow in three or four days. The board of health told him it had received complaints about Prescott.

Witness had been informed of cases of over-charges prior to July 8, 1902. When he caused the articles to be published, he had no malice against Prescott. What he did was done as a reformer and to protect the public. He made complaints to the board of health many times. Did not remember telling Prescott he was fuller than any cesspool ever was." Did not remember telling Prescott he was "robbing the public."

Did not believe Prescott was properly attending to his business. Prescott hired the dump of him, but "he did not hire a 40-acre lot." He dumped in 10 distinct places. Often visited the dump. Did not see any attempt made



to cover up anything deposited on the three main dumps.

He never saw men use any deodorizers at the dumps on the occasions of his half dozen visits. Complaints were made to him as to condition of the dump. Prescott paid for the use of the dump one year in advance. "I shouldn't wonder if I made the statement he (Prescott) was driving horses that were unfit for work and ought to be killed." He was driving horses that "didn't look as if they had been fed on much nourishment. You could see their ribs." Witness described the condition of certain of these horses, as he observed them.

When he made statements concerning Prescott he believed he was stating the truth, and in making the same he was in no way actuated by revenge or malice.

Court adjourned until Monday at 10 A. M. It is expected that the arguments will be made this afternoon and that the case will be given to the jury.

Did Not Testify.

Dedham, Mar. 7—The Prescott-Faxon libel case was continued in the Superior court this morning. Henry H. Faxon, the defendant, was on hand, but the court thought the bed was the best place for him.

Mr. Faxon was on the stand at the adjournment on Saturday, and was to resume his testimony, but by agreement he was excused, and he left almost immediately by carriage for his home in Quincy.

Charles L. Prescott the plaintiff, called six or more witnesses in rebuttal this morning, including Councilman Alexander Thompson, a former member of the Board of Health.

Faxon at Home.

Mr. Faxon returned at noon from the court house at Dedham. The trip tired him considerable, but at 2 o'clock, it was said at his home that he was resting comfortably.

Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, who answered the door bell, said that she thought Mr. Faxon was some better than Sunday. The great trouble was that he was thoroughly tired out. He was then resting quietly.

The attending physician says that he considers Mr. Faxon a little better today. When asked if his illness was serious the physician said that there were no serious symptons at present.

Rates to St. Louis Exposition.

Preliminary announcement is made of $28.25, fifteen days; $35, sixty days, and $42 for season tickets from Boston via. the New York Central Lines. For full particulars send for circular and descriptive folder, A. S. Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt., Boston.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 3, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in the following petitions:—(Senate, No. 102) of Charles W. Howard and others for legislation relative to procedure in the adoption of children; (Senate, No. 103) of Norcross Bros. Co. and others for legislation to provide for the protection of persons furnishing labor and materials for the construction of public works; (House, No. 655) of Alonzo R. Weed, mayor of the city of Newton, for legislation to reduce and establish the rate of interest on damages and assessments arising from the taking of land and property under the right of eminent domain; (House, No. 654) of William F. Dana, for legislation to change the legal rate of interest; (Senate, No. 144) of James W. French and others for legislation relative to the term of service of jurors; (Senate, No. 189) of William Berwin for a reduction in the interest to be paid on property sold for taxes; (House, No. 761) of John J. Mitchell, for legislation to reduce the rate of interest upon judgments, awards and verdicts; (House, No. 406) of Harry H. Bauxbaum, for legislation to regulate the management of the beaches, parks and reservations under the control of the Metropolitan Park Commission; (House, No. 365) of George B. Wheeler, for legislation to amend the laws relative to the Lord's day so as to provide for a civil Sabbath; at room No. 227, State House, on Thursday, March 10, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 5-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 3d, 1904. The Committee on Public Lighting will give a hearing to parties interested in petition of John Gordon, for legislation to authorize aldermen and selectmen to empower gas and electric light companies to take land for certain purposes, with the approval of the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners, at room No. 440, State House, on Thursday, March 10th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. E. L. OSGOOD, Chairman. FRED. A. BEARSE, Clerk of the Committee. 5 2t

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

The Czar has abolished his censor of news and the Mikado has established one. The former says he has nothing to conceal. The latter has nothing that he wants to tell—just at present.

The President is in a hurry to begin work on the Panama canal, but the Republic of Colombia has sued the French Panama Canal company and enjoined it against transferring the property.

Did you read carefully the annual report of the School Committee in Saturday's Ledger, relative to the pressing need of High school enlargment? If you did not, you certainly should. If you did, comment is unnecessary.

The punishment of postal frauds ought to help the republican party. Our postal department is the greatest organization in the world, having grown from 75 postoffices in Franklin's time, to 76,000 now, and from 300 employees to 250,000. The percentage of fraud is amazingly small.

The President's protest against race suicide seems to be effective. A Washington man named Winneberger who weighs only 115 pounds is the father of four sets of twins and one set of quadruplets—twelve babies in all. The President will no doubt shove him into the census office on a good salary.

People under forty-five years of age have very little personal recollection of the great Civil war of 1861-65 in this country, and all are not students of history. The letter published in Saturday's Ledger relative to the friendship of Russia to the United States forty years ago, reminds us that we should not be too severe on Russia in the present war with Japan.

A worthy tribute was paid on Saturday to the late Rev. John J. Garrity. It was one of the largest gatherings ever in attendance at a funeral in Quincy, rivaling that at the funeral of Fr. Francis. As a Coddington school boy, and as a High school boy, John Garrity is pleasantly remembered. His ambition later to get a religious education, and the successes he met were laudable. The eulogy of Rev. Ambrose F. Roche was all deserved. His death will be a loss to his church and his aged father, brothers and sisters.

No provisions were made in the Mayor's budget for 1904 to meet the payment of the $80,000 in municipal loans made in the fall of 1903 which mature this year. Probably it is not necessary to raise the sum by taxation, but nevertheless some provisions must be made. If the sum is appropriated, to be paid from the receipts from taxes of certain years previous to 1903, all may be well. But what will be the situation next fall? Must the city maintain a leeway of $100,000 inside its debt limit for such emergencies each fall?

Drift of Opinion.

☞They do some mighty funny things down South. Here is a big Georgia concern running overtime making tin cans for what the Atlanta Constitution says will be the biggest Georgia peach crop ever! Now, how can the Georgia farmer expect to hold up prices, and the public, after that?—Commercial Tribune.

☞The advocates of a ladylike Fourth of July present their strongest argument when they plead that a burly-burly celebration is torture to invalids. There isn't much that can be said in reply to that contention, because nobody can claim that noise is absolutely necessary to the observance of the day. But it is a little difficult for robust people to sympathize with the sensitive creatures in good health whose nervous systems, are disturbed by explosion, and, when it comes to the death and accident list, the chief sufferers have a remedy at hand. Nobody is compelled to risk life or limb.—Fall River Herald.

Sleighing continues but most of the teaming is done on wheels.

A BAD MONEY GANG

Three Men and a Woman Taken Into Custody at Boston

ONE THE ALLEGED HEAD

Believed to Be Implicated In Scheme to Flood the Country With Most Perfect Counterfeit Bank Notes Ever Seen

Boston, March 7.—By the arrests of three men and one woman, two charged with counterfeiting and two charged with passing counterfeit money, and the conviction of "Dr." Fred B. Wilson and Edward B. Wiggin, on the counterfeiting charge, the United States secret service officers say they have rounded up the cleverest gang in this line that has ever been known in New England. The detection, apprehension and final arrests of those said to be implicated have taken up a period of more than six months. The woman is a stenographer at police headquarters.

Those arrested are: Robert Thompson, alias Dr. J. H. Roberts, practicing at 224 Tremont street, and living at 480 Columbus avenue, charged with counterfeiting; Mrs. Lena Thompson, his wife, charged with counterfeiting; Patrick Gallagher, a collector, with offices on Eliot street, and living at 7 Chester place, and Hyman Cohen, a cab driver, whose address is given as 73 Meridian street, East Boston, both charged with passing counterfeit money.

They were arraigned before Commissioner Bradlee, all pleading not guilty. Thompson, Gallagher and Cohen were held in bonds of $10,000, which they were unable to furnish, and passed the night in the Charles street jail. Mrs. Thompson was released in the sum of $500. Their cases were continued until next Saturday morning.

Dr. George S. Hatch, who has offices at 133 Tremont street, it is claimed by the secret service men, is implicated in the case with the others who have been arrested. Hatch would have been taken into custody but that he was arrested by the Boston police on the charge of performing a criminal operation. He was held in the municipal court in $10,000 after Secret Service Agent Murphy had testified to the circumstances of the federal charge him. Hatch and Thompson were close friends, and Hatch has been watched as well as the others since Wilson and Wiggin have been under arrest.

Since the arrest of Wiggin and Wilson, on Dec. 18, the secret service men have been waiting to complete their work, and the chance did not present itself until Saturday.

It is claimed that Thompson was the brains and financial support of the gang, and that he was the original promoter of the scheme to flood the country with the most perfect counterfeit bank notes that have ever been seen. It was his money, it is claimed, that furnished the apparatus, and he did everything except actually make the imitations.

Thompson makes a fine appearance on the street and he would be noticeable in almost any place. He is 6 feet 3 inches tall, and his extreme height is strikingly shown when he wears his silk hat. He dresses in the latest style and he has a decidedly aristocratic manner. Wearing a stylish Prince Albert coat, silk hat and heavy fur lined overcoat and swinging a cane, he looks more the man of leisure than one wanted for the charge on which he is held. He always has plenty of ready money and when he was searched he had more than $700 on his person and all of it was bona fide money.

His wife, Mrs. Lena Thompson, has been married to him about three or four years, and part of that time she has been employed as a stenographer. She has filled positions at several places, the latest being in the claim office of the police department. She has been there for a year and a half. It is not thought that she is directly concerned in the counterfeiting, but she was arrested through her relation to Thompson. When first arraigned she was held in $10,000, but later her bonds were reducted to $500, and she was released.

Another Strike at Chicago

Chicago, March 7.—The Cement Finishers and Helpers' union went on strike today to enforce its demand for higher wages. The walk-out will tie up extensive sidewalk improvements that have been planned in every section of the city. The demand of the union calls for a wage increase of 10 cents an hour. The finishers are now paid 50 cents an hour and the helpers 35 cents an hour. Nearly 1000 workmen are affected.

Will Resist Reduced Wages

Altoona, Pa., March 7.—Sub-district No. 1 of district No. 2, United Mine Workers, of the central Pennsylvania bituminous field, has unanimously adopted a resolution insisting on the continuance of the advanced wages. The annual district convention will be held here next week. The delegates have been instructed to resist any reduction, even to the point of striking.

Named His Supposed Slayer

New York, March 7.—Leon Melless, a theatrical agent, died at his home here from the supposed effect of "knockout drops." Just before he died he gave the name of a young woman with whom he had been on friendly terms, who, he said, was responsible for his condition. The police are looking for the woman.

REPEATS HIS CHARGES

Pastor Cooke Doubts Safety of Methodist Church Leaders

Medford, Mass., March 7.—Rev. George P. Cooke, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at West Medford, who has brought charges of heresy against Professor Bowne of Boston university, has issued a pamphlet under the title "Are Professor Borden P. Bowne and Dr. Charles Parkhurst safe leaders in the Methodist Episcopal church?"

Mr. Cooke refers to a pamphlet previously issued by him and in which he vigorously attacked Bowne, claiming that the latter taught "rationalism in its most subtle and most dangerous form and has organized a propaganda within the church for the promotion of his views."

In his latest pamphlet he repeats his charges against Bowne and in addition reprints the correspondence with Parkhurst, editor of Zion's Herald, the denominational organ, and Bowne, for the reasons he says, "first, to show that earnest and repeated efforts were made to secure honest discussion of the theological issue, before bringing about a heresy trial; second, to show that no personal pique or prejudice has actuated me."

The balance of the pamphlet contains abstracts from editorials in the Zion's Herald defending Bowne, from which Cooke draws the inference that Parkhurst is under obligations to Bowne.

A $250,000 Gift to Harvard

Boston, March 7.—The Globe says: David Sears of 51 Beacon street, wealthy, a bachelor, graduated from Harvard in the class of 1847, and now abroad, is said to be the latest of his family to endow liberally the college where he received his education. The gift is said to be $250,000. Mrs. Sears, his sister-in-law, when interviewed on the subject, had this to say: "My brother-in-law is very appreciative of all that President Eliot has done for Harvard, and this, when President Eliot is nearing his 70th birthday and the close of his 35th year as president, is a fitting season to give expression to feelings of that kind."

Brigham Still at Liberty

Boston, March 7.—Sheriff Collis of Portsmouth arrived in this city in connection with the search for Charles C. Brigham, the alleged East Windham, N. H., murderer. Sheriff Collis, accompanied by Inspector Burke, visited the house of Mrs. M. A. Sleeper, Brigham's aunt, where Brigham spent Wednesday night. He said he had learned nothing new in the case. The Boston officers had not succeeded in finding any trace of Brigham up to this morning.

Went Through Store Window

Medford, Mass., March 7.—The grocery store of Henry Williams was practically wrecked early Sunday during a rough and tumble fight between Policeman Lenox and Alfred H. Gaskins, a negro, who lives next door to the store. The two men crashed through a plate glass window during the struggle. The officer says that he found Gaskins pilfering the store and the fight was the result of his resisting arrest. Gaskins denies the charge.

To Take Rogues' Thumb-Marks

Boston, March 7.—The Boston police authorities announce that the department will probably inaugurate soon the thumb-mark as a means of identifying criminals. Should this plan be carried out Boston will be the first city in America to adopt such a system. The authorities consider such a mark a valuable aid in the identification of rogues, inasmuch as no two persons are believed to have similar thumbs.

$75,000 Fire In Woolen Mill

Conway, Mass., March 7.—The Burkeville Woolen mill was burned, the fire evidently catching in the engine room. The mill was five stories, and had been idle for 12 years until leased last November by James Hennessey, who had placed it in good repair and was manufacturing suitings there, increasing his output each week. The loss is estimated at $75,000.

Fatal Row In Lumber Camp

Berlin, N. H., March 7.—As a result of a fight which took place in a logging camp at Dummer Babideau Wentworth is dead and Peter Rosseau is under arrest, pending the result of an autopsy on the body of the dead man. It is understood that the men used their fists.

Reached Haven of Safety

Portsmouth, N. H., March 7.—Charles Martin and Matthew Osier of the fishing schooner Actor, who went astray, have been accounted for. Martin was picked up off Provincetown after drifting 24 hours, and Osier, in his dory, reached one of the Isles of Shoals.

A Brakeman's Misfortune

Worcester, Mass., March 7.—Stephen A. Murrey, a freight brakeman, attempted to board a moving freight train at Fitchburg and fell, sustaining a fracture of his skull and having his left arm horribly mangled. He may die.

Alleged Padding of Payrolls

Philadelphia, March 7.—Terence Flood, a timekeeper at Cramps shipyard, was arrested and held in $5000 bail, charged with embezzling $7000. Several other employes are under suspicion. Padded payrolls is said to be the method employed in the alleged embezzlement.

Young Sailors Have Diphtheria

San Juan, P. R., March 7.—There are four new cases of diphtheria among the apprentices on the United States training ship Monongahela. There are 17 cases now in the hospital and the departure of the vessel has been indefinitely postponed.

CITY BREVITIES.

Town meeting today.

It was a pleasant Sunday.

City Council this evening.

Charles and Allen Goss of Charles street passed Sunday in Arlington.

There was some mistake about the weather Sunday. It did not storm.

Norfolk county probate court will be held in this city Wednesday morning.

The many friends of Councilman Holmes of Madison avenue will regret to hear that he is still very ill.

Councilman and Mrs. Eugene Stone of North street have somewhat recovered from their severe attack of the grip.

The hearing on the suit of Prescott vs. Faxon will probably be completed today. It is expected the arguments will be made this afternoon.

Mr. William Howard, violinist, and Mr. S. Newton Cutler, pianist, will give a concert at the Quincy Mansion school on Wednesday evening.

Considerable interest is manifested in the game of basket ball tomorrow night between the St. Marys and Quincys for the championship of Quincy.

A few of the Quincy Point people attended the Whistler memorial exhibition at Copley hall, Boston, Sunday afternoon. This is one of the greatest art events of the season.

The cruiser Des Moines was delivered to the government in Charlestown, Saturday. The Fore River crew on its way home celebrated the event by getting full and the greater part of them were arrested.

There was a rear end collision of electric cars on Hancock street just south of Music hall Saturday afternoon. There was three cars approaching the turnout. The forward car stopped suddenly and the middle car banged into it the only damage done was to break the glass in the vestibule.

Inspector Lennon of the Board of Health did quite a business in selling railroad tickets from Boston to Dedham last week. He would buy a book of tickets and then sell them at cost to the other witnesses. There was no money in it for Mr. Lennon but it was a great money saver for the others.

—It is reported that Mr. William R. Hearst, who is about to give us a new daily paper here in Boston, is planning to put up a 34-story office building in New York for the occupancy of his newspaper there. No one has ever built an office structure more than twenty-six stories high, but the reason for limiting the height has been a financial one, not the fear that it was necessary for safety. Construction experts have no definite limit of height beyond which they think a building cannot safely go. But it is evident that if it is made too tall the top stories will not be rentable. The public will fight shy of them. Accordingly, it would be highly difficult to get any lending company to finance the erection of a thirty or forty story building. Mr. Hearst, however, finances his own enterprises, and there is nothing to prevent him from making the experiment of putting a record-breaking skyscraper upon a lot 50 by 100 feet, which are the dimensions of that which is said to be selected.—Boston Courier.

—The state of Massachusetts has paid for war expenses since 1861, $47,000,000. For state and military aid and burial of indigent soldiers and sailors, including appropriations made for the Soldiers' Home, from 1861 to 1902, is $8,367,875.15. The state and military aid and burial money paid in 1903 amounted to the sum of $784,090.82. Then in bounties the state has paid since 1861 to the present time the surprising total of $17,871,118.16.—Athol Chronicle.

—Andrew Carnegie, speaking of the National Temperance Society, said, the other day: "That's a splendid movement. I am not a total abstainer myself, but on my estate in Scotland at the end of every year I call my men up, and every one who can swear he has not taken a drink of liquor during the year gets ten per cent. added to his wages. I find that five-sixths of the men get additional money.

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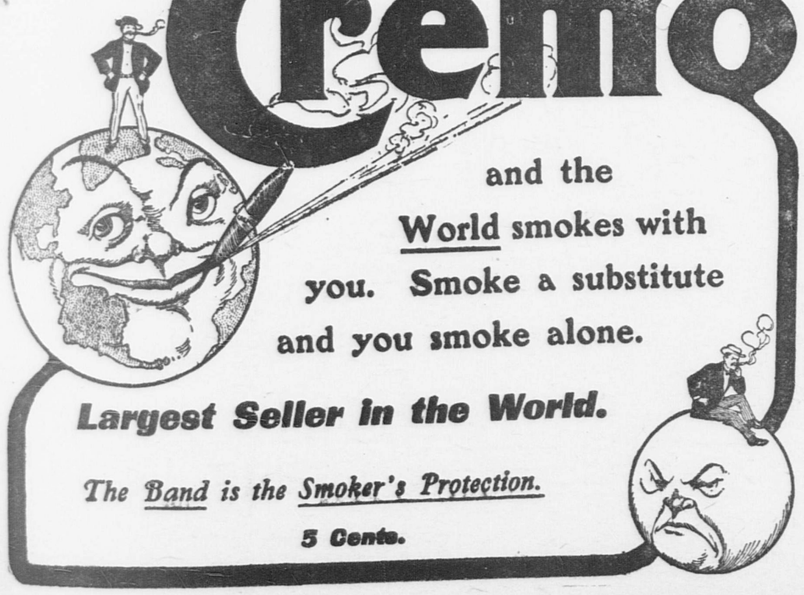
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NO INTERVENTION

Other Powers Will Hold Aloof In Far Eastern Contest

ONE DIPLOMATIC DANGER

Possible Continental Protest Against the Korean-Japanese Treaty, Which Russia Claims Abrogates Rights of Powers

London, March 7.—The foreign office regards the past week as one in which much has been done to guarantee the continued peace of Europe. It can be authoritatively stated, however, that the rumors that France, Great Britain or any other power is contemplating intervention or the taking of any steps with the idea of ending the war, are quite baseless. The frequent visits of M. Cambon, the French ambassador, to Foreign Minister Lansdowne have had no connection with the present war. The treaty now on the verge of conclusion to settle long-standing differences between Great Britain and France on colonial questions gives Cambon and Lansdowne plenty to do without their bothering about the far east.

In Downing street it is thought that Japan would almost regard any attempt at intervention as an unfriendly act. Concerning the attitude of Russia toward Great Britain, it is said at the foreign office that the government here has received direct and indirect information which has proved conclusively that the Russian government is sincere in its desire to maintain friendly relations with Great Britain. It is frankly recognized at the foreign office, however, that certain classes of Russian opinion are much embittered against Great Britain, more so even than the Russian press indicates, and that it will be some little time before the relations of the Russian and British publics resume their normal condition.

The only diplomatic danger believed by the foreign office to be in sight is a possible continental protest against the Japanese-Korean treaty. Great Britain has been unofficially approached by one of the great powers with the view of sustaining Russia's protest in this connection on a point of international law.

Lord Lansdowne, however, will take no action, and it is not thought likely that other nations will deem it wise to complicate the situation by seriously urging the Russian contention that Japan's new treaty with Korea abrogates the rights of other powers.

Baron Hayashi, Japanese minister to Great Britain, declared [illegible] European complication is at [illegible]ely to occur, or is the course of the war in the least likely to be affected by any project of diplomacy now or in the near future.

What Russia Would Like

St. Petersburg, March 7.—The Novosti prints a significant editorial which is very conciliatory toward Great Britain. The paper argues that the understanding between the two countries with regard to an Asiatic policy will assure peace in Asia, without which the normal development of Russian and British interests there would be impossible. If Great Britain, the paper says, would agree to an outlet for Russia to the Indian ocean, Great Britain's possessions in India would be unconditionally guaranteed by Russia.

The Novoe Vremya also discusses the offers of British friendship, but with bad grace, saying: "John Bull believes he has a better chance of reaching the winning post with Great Britain and Japan in double harness than with a troika including the American mustang."

Lost In the Arctic

St. Petersburg, March 7.—Answering an inquiry concerning the fate of Baron Toll, the explorer who was recently reported to have perished in the Arctic ocean, Secretary Doubrovin of the academy of sciences says that he has not received a word of news since May 23, 1902. Another expedition is searching for him. The accepted belief is that the baron has been lost.

Dynamite to Prevent Flood

Washington, March 7.—Dynamite was successfully employed in breaking up the heavy compact ice in the Potomac river above the Three Sisters, several miles from the city. The work will be continued with a view to having the narrow channel reasonably clear so as to avoid a threatened flood at Washington when the thaw sets in.

Line Justly Drawn

Detroit, March 7.—Mayor Maybury has warned the management of a local burlesque house that they must not allow Mrs. Kate Soffel to appear on the stage. Mrs. Soffel, who gained notoriety by aiding the escape of the Biddle brothers from prison at Pittsburg two years ago, was to have given a monologue.

Dreyfus Trial to Be Revised

Paris, March 7.—The criminal branch of the court of cassation granted the appeal of Alfred Dreyfus for a revision of his trial at Rennes. The decision was given at the close of the third day's hearing. Comparatively little public interest has been taken in the sessions.

Twenty Victims of Collapse

New York, March 7.—Three more bodies have been recovered from the wreck of the Hotel Darlington, making the total number of fatalities 20.

FOR THE SCHOOLGIRL.

Some Dainty Modes For Street and Party Wear.

The young girl who is still at school has many pretty costumes designed for her.

The blouse costumes, either short or long, are eminently becoming to her, and when these are made of stout material of fancy weave the effect is very jaunty, especially when there is a wide belt fastening with a prettily jeweled buckle.

Collars and wide cuffs of embroidery add much to the simplest costumes,



A PARTY DRESS.

and navy blue and dull red are tones which lend themselves best to trimming with embroideries.

Loose sack coats and plaited skirts are among the smartest tailor mades for the young person, and to be very smart the hat should match. This may either be of the tricorne or the sailor shape trimmed with a twist of velvet and a couple of good quills.

The wide hat of velvet or taffeta is very becoming to a youthful face, and particularly so when it is trimmed with a wreath of velvet shaded flowers.

Beaver hats adorned with coque feathers to match are worn with workmanlike cloth costumes. Some charming models in rough beaver, trimmed with ostrich feathers and faced with white cloth, have been designed to wear with elaborate toilets of cloth or velvet.

The prettiest material for a party dress is crepe de chine, next to white filmy fabrics, and the latter are not always suitable. The illustration shows a very dainty little frock of crepe de chine trimmed with maltese insertions and lace.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

PROBABLY INCENDIARY

One Theatre Destroyed and Another on Fire at Elmira

Elmira, N. Y., March 7.—Fire broke out in a cigar factory under the Lyceum theatre late last night and soon the entire block was a mass of flames. The Lyceum theatre was totally destroyed, with a loss of $68,000. The rest of the block was badly gutted and the loss will be over $50,000.

Henry Boulle, a stage manager, was nearly suffocated by the smoke when rescued. The Mamie Fleming Repertoire company lost its trunks and scenery. The theatre burned like a tinderbox and had the fire occurred during a theatrical performance loss of life would have resulted.

At 1 o'clock this morning a burning rag was found on the Auditorium stage. This theatre is in the Realty building next to the Lyceum block. It is thought from this that both theatres were set on fire by an incendiary. The Auditorium theatre is burning and it looks as though the Realty office building might be destroyed.

The Lyceum theatre is insured for $45,000. Six firms in this block have been burned out. The local department has called on the state reformatory, Elmira Heights, and Horseheads for assistance.

Duel Lasted Nearly Three Hours

Paris, March 7.—The much-talked-of duel between the Italian fencing master, Pini, and Baron Di San Malato was fought at Neuilly. It lasted two hours and 50 minutes and was finally stopped because Di San Malato's hilt had raised a large blister in the palm of his hand. The engagement developed a wonderful display of skill between the two rival schools. Pini is the exponent of the school especially devoted to the foil and the baron the half sword. The adversaries were reconciled after the fight.

Odell Will Have His Own Way

New York, March 7.—Governor Odell not only proclaimed himself as the master of the Republican organization of New York state before leaving the city for Albany, but also served notice upon the national leaders of the Republican party that he did not intend to allow them to meddle with his plans at this time. President Roosevelt is not going to interfere in the choice of the New York state committee or its chairman.

Thinks Smith's Testimony an Ad

Salt Lake City, March 7.—Brigham H. Roberts, who was expelled from congress a few years ago, declared in an address here that he rejoiced in the testimony given by President Smith before the senate committee, because in his way a larger audience was reached than could be reached by any other means. "I see the finger of God taking this means of putting truth of Mormonism before the world," said Roberts.

Sailors' Charges Against Captain

San Juan, P. R., March 7.—The United States lighthouse tender Nina, the sailors of which were recently charged with mutiny, has sailed for Pensacola for repairs, manned by a crew of the gunboat Gloucester. The members of the crew of the Nina who were arrested for mutiny have been discharged and several of them will swear a complaint against Captain Cutler for false imprisonment.

A Poisoned Candy Case

Boone, Ia., March 7.—Mrs. Sherman Dye is under arrest here, charged with having sent poisoned candy to Miss Rena Nelson, at Pierre, S. D. Miss Nelson, who is reported to be in a dying condition, was formerly an operator in the Boone telephone exchange. Mrs Dye denies any knowledge of the poisoning of Miss Nelson, but says that she has cause for grievance against the young woman.

Brothers Burned to Death

Buctouche, N. B., March 7.—Joseph, aged 26; Thaddeus, aged 14, and John, aged 12, sons of Mrs. Louis Savoie, a widow, were burned to death in their lonely farmhouse at Black River. A fourth son, Alphie, escaped by jumping from the window, but had been so badly burned that he is not expected to live. The fire started from a kitchen stove.

Barrington Convicted of Murder

St. Louis, March 7.—The jury in the case of "Lord" Frederick S. Barrington, on trial for the murder of James P. McCann, a St. Louis horseman, returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. The penalty is death. Barrington's attorney filed a motion for a new trial.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The Cote block at Berlin, N. H., one of the largest business structures in the city and occupied by a number of firms, was destroyed by fire, with a total loss of $30,000.

At the Ladd prize exhibition in heavy gymnastics at Amherst college the gold medal for the best work was won by A. F. Westphal, '05, of Michigan City, Ind.

Fishing schooner Appomattox lost one of her crew, Walter Presont, who was drowned by the capsizing of a dory off Provincetown, Mass.

Rev. John McEldowney, D. D., a Methodist clergyman and at one time presiding elder of the district of Detroit, died at Detroit of pneumonia, aged 80 years.

Rev. Willard M. Rice, D. D., a Presbyterian divine, died at Haverford, Pa. He was 87 years old and was the author of many Presbyterian works.

At a largely attended meeting of commercial travelers at Binghamton, N. Y., a good start was made towards reviving the project of erecting a commercial travelers' home in that city, upon which a start was made 10 years ago.

READY TO EVACUATE

Russians Expect New Chwang to Fall Into Hands of Japanese

Yin Kow, March 7.—The removal of the furniture of the police and military quarters at New Chwang, the withdrawal of unnecessary rolling stock and equipment from the New Chwang railway terminus and the removal of silver from the bank indicates an intended evacuation of New Chwang. The bank authorities have arranged to leave French and German agents in charge of their interests.

Russian private letters disclose the fact that in the recent engagements between the Yalu river and Ping Yang the Russians with superior numbers defeated the Japanese, but lost heavily.

Refugees arriving here say that Port Arthur has not been attacked since Feb. 26, but that stores and ammunition are still arriving. Work on the mud dock, in which it is expected to repair the battleship Czarevitch, has been abandoned for the past three days, the foreign engineer being unable to raise the Retvizan, quitting Port Arthur together with the only other Anglo-Saxon there.

That considerable damage within the fortifications has been caused by the Japanese fire from Pigeon Bay is corroborated and the defenses on that side are being strengthened by barbed wire entanglements and additional artillery.

The Situation In Korea

London, March 7.—The Daily Mail's Che Foo correspondent describes a visit which he made to Chenampo. He says the country thence to Ping Yang is impassable, owing to the thaw. The villages are deserted and horses and provisions cannot be obtained, everything having been bought up by the Japanese.

"I am informed," says the correspondent, "that there will be no advance until 100,000 men have been concentrated at Ping Yang. It is thawing inland and the waterways have greatly helped the transportation arrangements. The Japanese are busy at every suitable landing place and are buying all suitable craft along the coast.

"Cossacks are keeping a sharp watch on the Japanese movements."

Looking Toward United States

Paris, March 7.—The correspondent of The Matin at Tokio says that at a banquet given to the American war correspondents the vice minister of foreign affairs, in thanking the American nation for the support hitherto given Japan, declared that the government reckoned upon receiving even more effective assistance from the United States in the future. The correspondent says he has reason to believe that the vice minister alluded to the proposed loan in connection with which Baron Kanoko has gone to the United States.

Outpost to Meet Japs

St. Petersburg, March 7.—Advices from Vladivostok say that the 2500 Japanese troops who landed at Plaksin bay are advancing toward Musan with the intention of ultimately reaching Hunchun (on the left bank of the Tumen river, about 100 miles west of Vledivostok) and threatening the Russian flank. In order to checkmate this move the Russian outpost, 1500 strong, which crossed the Tumen, is advancing to occupy Koyryong, on the Tumen, a walled city commanding the trails along which the Japanese must pass.

Hard Task For Japs

St. Petersburg, March 7.—Cossack scouts report that a Japanese column from Plaksin Bay, on arriving in the snow blocked defile of the mountains separating Korea from Manchuria, was forced to halt, owing to avalanches and other obstacles. The scouts say that one-third of the strength of this column is invalided. It is now supposed that the column is returning for the purpose of seeking an easier route.

No Use For "Pagan Horde"

St. Louis, March 7.—The Irish Nationalists of St. Louis, at their celebration of the birth of Robert Emmet last night, adopted resolutions upholding Russia in her war with Japan and expressing sympathy with Christian Russia against this "pagan horde."

Praise For Von Waldersee

Berlin, March 7.—Newspapers of all political shades publish eulogies of Count Von Waldersee, who died on Saturday, as a military leader and a patriot. The count's health had been impaired since his return from China three years ago and various minor maladies indicated that his strength was leaving him. Countess Von Waldersee was Miss Mary E. Lee of New York, whose first husband was Prince Frederick of Schleswig-Holstein.

Riots Suppressed by Military

Prague, March 7.—Student rioting has been renewed here on a larger scale than that of the last week. Rival German and Czech factions demonstrating for and against Russia came to blows and many persons were injured. The military was called out and quelled the rioting.

Fire Raging In Reservation

Lawton, O. T., March 7.—Fire which broke out in the military reservation north of Fort Sill Saturday night is still burning. Soldiers and Indians have been busy fighting the fire. The cities in the territory are sending aid to the sufferers in the stricken district.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Tuesday, March 8.
Sun rises—6:09; sets—5:42.
Moon rises—12:13 a. m.
High water—4 a. m.; 4:30 p. m.

Rain has fallen in the greater portion of the middle Atlantic states. The Mississippi valley disturbance will move slowly east-northeast, causing rain in New England.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f Harrison Square, g Savin Hill, h Crescent Avenue, i South Boston, r Quincy Adams.

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FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6 50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs)—6.55 7.25, 810 A. M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston)—6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

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EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	31	35	46	38	50
Monday,	48	39	47	46	26
Tuesday,	—	38	52	43	40
Wednesday,	—	43	45	40	44
Thursday,	—	48	45	48	51
Friday,	—	27	54	45	51
Saturday,	—	30	55	64	49

New Advertisements Today.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Go-Carts.
Agents Wanted.
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Mortgagee's Sale.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

The people of the Park and Downs want half hour car service.

The Friday club are guests this afternoon of Mrs. Frederick A. Tupper at Brighton.

Miss Grace Marden is quite ill at her home on Coddington street with tonsolitis.

Mr. E. Frank Mitchell of Pleasant street is a sufferer from blood poison in his left hand.

The Junior Friday club meets tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. C. F. Harper of Putnam street.

Mrs. B. Porterfield will give a matinee whist at her home on Granite street, on Thursday afternoon.

William M. Marden has returned from a week's vacation pleasantly spent with relatives at New Jersey.

Miss Viola Bicknell of Hingham spent the week with Miss Ruth Bassett of Walker street.

Mrs. William N. Loud is confined to her bed, seriously ill, at her home on Belmont street, Wollaston.

The Brownie whist club will meet with Mrs. Thomas Hewson of Newcomb place on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Marr have moved back to their house on Beach street, recently damaged by fire.

Mrs. Sarah Bent has been moved from the City Hospital to the Dr. Marstin sanitarian at Braintree.

Many intend to avail themselves of the opportunity to hear Rabbi Fleischer tomorrow night at First church chapel.

Miss Etta Brown has accepted a position with Houghton & Dutton in Boston and will reside with her aunt at Roslindale.

Bethany church will return to a chorus choir, which was popular with many a few years ago. A director has been secured.

Mrs. Emma Baker has returned to her home on Palmer street, Germantown, after several weeks' visit with her son at Atlantic.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buchanan of 43 Winthrop avenue, Wollaston, are entertaining Miss Ethel Forrest of London, Eng., for a few weeks.

Frederic A. Tupper was on Saturday elected one of the executive committee of the Harvard Teachers' Association, and also a delegate to the conference.

The Robert Emmet Association passed resolutions Saturday night condemning the acts of Secretary Hay and the United States in the Japanese-Russian situation, and expressing sympathy toward Russia.

Class 1902 of the Bridgewater Normal school held a reunion Saturday at the Westminster hotel, Boston. There were nineteen present at the lunch which was served at one o'clock and a jolly time was had. Among those present were Miss Nancy Woy of Atlantic and Miss Grace Patterson of Wollaston.

Several Atlantic boys and girls attended the masquerade dance given in Ashmont hall, Saturday afternoon, by Miss Lena Crane. The costumes were charmingly original. Among the prettiest were: General Santa Anna, impersonated by Master Karl Kolseth, General Washington, Master Stanley Churchill, a Japanese maid, Miss Florence Barker, and a Brownie, taken by Master "Bertie" Barker.

Patrick Clifford of Hancock street, Atlantic, is very ill.

Edmund Dufault has closed his barber shop at Norfolk Downs.

The morning was showery, and rain was the morning prediction for today.

Mrs. James Burke of Quincy Point passed away this morning in her 66th year.

The Saturday night hops held at the Wollaston Yacht club are being well attended.

The Street Railway Employes' Association will hold its annual ball next month.

Many little boys and girls from the Orphan's Home in Boston are being taken into the homes of people at Atlantic.

Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows will celebrate their 20th anniversary on Thursday evening, by exemplifying the first degree before the Grand officers and visiting delegations.

Tickets are out for a subscription dance to be given in Music hall, Atlantic, the 25th of March. The party is under the auspices of four energetic young men and ought to be a brilliant success.

Arrested for Larceny.

Jeremiah Dunn, one of the workmen employed at the Fore River works, was arrested Saturday afternoon by Officer Milford, and later turned over to Inspector Fletcher of West Newton, by whom he was wanted for the larceny of a watch from John McClellan.

It is alleged that Dunn took the watch from McClellan's room three week ago. Dunn was located in Quincy by Officer Bradley. Dunn was not at work Saturday but as he had money due him it was thought he would come after it. Later in the day he came for his money. The police were notified and Dunn held until they arrived.

Japanese-Russian Address.

Mr. George F. Rowland, who talked on the Japanese-Russian situation at Bethany church Sunday evening, made it very clear that Japan has a just cause. For fifteen years he was a resident of Japan, and he spoke of Japan, Russia and China and of the missions established. He spoke of the humane treatment by the Japanese of the Chinese who were taken prisoners in the Chinese-Japanese war. It was christian treatment, he said, and Japan was fast becoming a christian nation.

St. Marys vs. Quincys.

The opening game of the St. Marys—Quincy series in basket ball will be played at West Quincy tomorrow night. Both teams are confident of winning. The clubs will meet again Thursday evening at the Coliseum.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Monday, March 7.

Chars. Berg, A. Boudraid, Robert Broyden, J. F. Capelle, Libero Caluevale, Eugrûnoo Fabbri, Harry Johnson, Carl Lamburg, Jr, Joseph Mansfield, John Mc Kury, Edward Medcalf, Jpaziani Rozario, Quinzio Sabatino, Geo. Westwater, Patrick White.

Mrs. M. A. Andrews, Mrs. Bailey, Miss B. Butler, Mrs. W. S. Kay, Mrs. Thomas Lynch, Mrs. Mooring, Miss Bella Ross.

—The advertising signboard, which so frequently detracts from the natural beauty of the landscape along many of our prominent railroad lines, is receiving public attention in New Jersey, where it is proposed to levy a tax of $5 a square foot on all such signs not located on the advertiser's premises. New Jersey seems to be a pioneer in this matter, and if the proposed taxation has the effect of reducing the number or size of these blots on the landscape, her example may well be followed elsewhere. It is to be hoped that the New Jersey movement is prompted by a sincere desire to prevent the defacement of the scenery, rather than the mercenary one of financial gain.—Milford Gazette.

DIED.

HAYDEN—In Quincy, March 7, George W., son of Mr. A. Bradford and Mrs. C. Annie Hayden of 629 Washington street, aged 16 years, 2 months and 11 days.

DUFFY—In Quincy, March 5, Mrs. Bridget F., wife of Mr. Thomas Duffy of 11 Garfield street.

BURKE—In Quincy Point, March 7, Mrs. Margaret, widow of Capt. James Burke, of 410 Washington street, aged 65 years and 5 months.

HARDEN—In Hingham, March 5, Mr. William Faunce Harden, aged 69 years, 11 months and 6 days.

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BRAINTREE.

A Very Large Vote at the Election Today.

Voting is quiet in the South Braintree precinct today, but the other two precincts have rival candidates and they are polling a very large vote. B. Herbert Woodsum, Warren B. Keith and William H. Cronin received the caucus nominations, but Selectman J. Parker Hayward does not propose to be easily sidetracked and is out against Mr. Cronin, and R. Allen Gage is contesting the election of Mr. Keith at North Braintree. The Socialists have one candidate, Edward W. Gerry.

The names appear on the ballots in this order: William H. Cronin, R. Allen Gage, Edgar W. Gerry, J. Parker Hayward, Warren B. Keith, B. Herbert Woodsum.

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HIS CITY DIPLOMACY

WHAT IT HAS ACCOMPLISHED IN THE FAR EAST.

Preservation of Chinese Territorial Integrity and Opening of Manchurian and Korean Ports Personal Triumphs of Our Secretary of State.

[Special Correspondence.]

Washington, March 1.—Secretary Hay's success in securing the adherence of the powers to his policy of neutralizing China during the war between Russia and Japan is the most notable achievement in the American campaign for the "open door" in the far east, which has through the past four years done more than anything else to prevent the dismemberment of China.

The importance of this latest step is obvious. It localizes the war. It limits the fighting area. While it cannot exclude Manchuria, which must be the great theater of war, it secures the rest of China from invasion, and, above all, it will protect the territorial integrity of China when the victorious army, whichever it may be, shall be tempted to assert its power within her domain. Beyond that, it pledges the powers which assent not to encourage or share in any scheme of dismemberment.

The present attitude of the United States toward the eastern question is the logical outcome of its position in the Chinese imbroglio of 1900. But for the vigorous stand taken by Secretary Hay in the negotiations which preceded the evacuation of Peking after the Boxer rebellion had been suppressed a division of spoils would probably have taken place then. The United States could have had a generous slice of China had she agreed to countenance dismemberment, but our government, through Mr. Hay, made the territorial integrity and commercial equality of China fundamental conditions of the settlement.

This service the Chinese government has not forgotten, and when Mr. Hay sought a treaty with China opening Manchuria to our trade the representatives of the empress dowager were ready to meet him halfway in spite of Russia's remonstrances. In this second victory of the Hay diplomacy in the east the official fiction that Russia's occupation of Manchuria was temporary proved very useful. Mr. Hay negotiated with China, as sovereign of Manchuria, a commercial treaty opening the three most important ports of Manchuria—Mukden, Antung and Dalny. Russia's intention to hold Manchuria permanently is as notorious as is her desire to close the trade of that province to every one but herself, but she cannot refuse to recognize United States consuls at Mukden and Antung without formally announcing that she has annexed Manchuria. This she has been loath to do though the state of war now existing may change her plans in that respect.

Another feature of the "open door" policy as expounded by Mr. Hay was



JOHN HAY IN STREET ATTIRE.

the opening of more Korean ports Wiju, on the Yalu river, and Yongampho, at the mouth of that stream, were the ports concerning which most effort was made. All Russia's influence at Seoul was exerted to prevent the granting of America's requests. Mr Allen, the American minister to Korea, recently cabled to the state department that the Korean government has declared Wiju open to the commerce of the world.

Mr. Hay's diplomacy is of the so called new or "shirt sleeve" sort only to the extent that it is straightforward. Mr. Hay says what he means and means what he says, but he does not go about with a bludgeon, nor does he make the eagle scream early and often. The tact which made him so popular at the court of St. James has helped to smooth his way in his larger relations with foreign countries as secretary of state. Even in the tumultuous proceedings attending the Venezuelan controversy, when the state department waved the Monroe doctrine in the faces of England and Germany and forced the reference of warring interests to The Hague tribunal, Mr. Hay managed to carry out his programme without incurring the displeasure of either Edward or William. In the more recent and trying negotiations with Colombia and the new republic of Panama concerning the isthmian canal, even those who disapprove Mr. Hay's policy must admit that he showed remarkable adroitness.

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A NOTED MUSICIAN.

Dr. Richard Strauss, Who Is Now Touring This Country.

Dr. Richard Strauss, the noted German composer, who, with his wife, is visiting America for the first time, is the conductor of the orchestra at the Berlin Opera House and one of the commanding figures in the musical world of today.

Herr Strauss is not related in any way to the famous Strauss family of waltz composers. His music is of a very different order. Its striking originality has attracted a great deal of attention and has stirred up much criticism among musicians.

The composer is now forty years of age. He received his first musical lessons at the age of four from his mother and at six composed his first selection, a polka.



DR. RICHARD STRAUSS.

The year 1880, when Strauss was only sixteen, witnessed the first performance in public of any of his compositions, three songs. The following year his symphony in D major was produced. Since then Strauss has steadily pursued his way till his compositions number about 400, nearly all of which are published.

Herr Strauss makes sketches of his compositions while walking in the woods and fields in the little village of Markworstein in the Bavarian Alps, where he has a villa and spends his vacations. Mme. Pauline Strauss, wife of the composer, was formerly on the operatic stage, and in 1894 she sang with great success at Baireuth. Since her marriage, however, she has given up opera and devotes herself to the singing of her husband's songs, as an authentic interpreter of which she has won success.

A MINNESOTA FUNMAKER.

J. Adam Bede, Who Has Won Fame as the Humorist of Congress.

J. Adam Bede, who recently sprang into fame as the new humorist of congress, is a quaint product of American life and has had a most picturesque career. He was born on a farm in Lorain county, O., in 1856, learned the printer's trade and then started out to make his fortune. He traveled over the west and south, finally landing in Washington, where he worked as a reporter.

This life did not suit him, however, so he migrated to the northwest and established a newspaper in Duluth. Later he removed to Tower and started Bede's Budget, filling it with his own humorous philosophizings.

When Mr. Cleveland was elected the second time Bede put in a petition for the United States marshalship of Minnesota. It was written on a sheet of birch bark, and he concluded by saying that if the president did not choose him for the office he was still able to paddle his own canoe.

Bede evidently had little idea of getting the job and was probably as much surprised as the older politicians



J. ADAM BEDE.

of the state when he was ordered to qualify preparatory to the issue of his commission.

In 1896 Mr. Bede went into the Republican party on the financial issue and in 1902 was elected to the Fifty-eighth congress from the Duluth district of Minnesota. The new funmaker is a solemn visaged, sharp featured, clean shaven man of small stature, and his appearance and manner accentuate the humor of his speech. Here is a story he told at a recent dinner in New York:

"A couple of Irishmen were sitting up at a wake, and one asked, 'What did Mike die of?' 'Gangrene,' said the

SUNDAY SPORTS.

They Used to Be Fostered In England by Royalty.

Both Richard II. and Henry IV. had acts passed ordering Sunday sports, particularly the useful practice of archery. Queen Elizabeth issued licenses to conductors of such festivities, which contained directions to public officers to overlook such games and to do their best to make them a success.

One such document authorized "John Seconton, a poor man fallen into decay and having four small children, to have and use some plays or games at or upon several Sundays within the county of Middlesex and to remain in one place not above three several Sundays—that is to say, the shooting with the broad arrow, the leaping for men, the wrestling, the throwing of the sledge, the pitching of the bar."

James I. in his "Book of Sports" encouraged Sunday games "after evening service," but "the meaner sort" were forbidden to engage in bowling. Stopped later by parliament, this was republished by order of Charles I. and finally suppressed by the long parliament.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

PURSUANT to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George Chrystall of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Quincy Co-operative Bank, dated February 1st, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 838, Fol. 155, will be sold on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on TUESDAY, the twenty-ninth day of March, 1904, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and herein described substantially as follows, namely:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Quincy, called West Quincy, and being lot No. 110, on a "Plan of house lots situated in West Quincy, Mass., owned by Swithin Bros. and Jones, dated November, 1891." Said lot is bounded as follows, viz: Southwesterly by lot No. 111 on said plan, one hundred and eleven (111) feet; northwesterly on a proposed street as laid out on said plan, fifty (50) feet; northeasterly by lots numbered 108 and 109 on said plan, one hundred and ten (110) feet; northeasterly by land now or formerly of Townsend and Clements, fifty (50) feet.

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These premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or assessments.

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March 7. 3t--7-14-21

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the next-of-kin and all other persons interested in
ROYALL TYLER,
of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, minor.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Josiah Quincy of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, praying for the appointment of himself, or some other suitable person as guardian of said minor.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the ninth day of March, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed as aforesaid.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give notice thereof, to the next of kin of said minor, and others interested, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
Feb. 27. 3t--27-1-7

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Quincy, March 1st, 1904. 3-1-tf--p-1w

TRY AN ADVERTISEMENT IN THE LEDGER

$50,000 ORDER

Introduced into the City Council Last Night.

For School on Newbury Avenue.

School Committee Desire New Heating Plant at Willard.

It looks as though Atlantic proposes to push its claim for a new schoolhouse in ahead of the High school enlargement, as an order appropriating $50,000 for a new schoolhouse on Newbury avenue was introduced into the Council this week.

Councilmen Adams, Hadlock, Holmes and Thompson were the absentees.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Harbor & Land Commissioners giving notice of a hearing March 9 on the petition of the Wollaston Yacht club to build a pier and float. To Committee on Legislative Matters.

APPOINTMENTS.

The Mayor forwarded the following appointments which were confirmed: Edward P. Henderson as inspector of animals; Albert Keating as weigher of vessels; Frederick J. Peirce as inspector of milk.

The Mayor upon request of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. appointed the following railroad police who were confirmed: Bertram W. Clapp, Artbur W. Mitchell, Nelson M. Spencer, Abel T. Sampson, Vlenchard L. Campbell, Horace M. Humphrey, William B. Snow, Harvey T. Phinney, D. Humphrey McNeil, William T. Richards, Jr., Joseph Landers, Lester B. Drew, Thomas J. Mahoney, Harry L. Roundy and James N. Smith.

A communication was received from the School Committee calling attention to the impossibility of heating the entire Willard School building.

Laid on the table until later when it was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings, together with an order for plans.

PETITIONS.

A number of petitions for minor licenses were received and referred.

The New England Telephone Co. petitioned for permission to attach its wires to other poles on Grand View avenue and Whalley road. Referred.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Water Supply reported ought to pass on the order for $20,000 for extending the water mains.

The Committee on Streets reported an order for a public hearing March 21 on petitions of the Electric Light Co. for location of poles on a number of streets.

The Committee on Finance reported an order refunding the Quincy Real Estate Trust $58.80, one half the cost of permanent sidewalk on Washington street. Ordered to a second reading.

The Committee on Streets reported ought not to pass on the order refunding tax to the New York & Boston Express Co. Report accepted.

LIGHT ORDERS.

Councilman Gassett offered an order for incandescent light on River street. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Hughes offered an order for three incandescent lights on Willard street. To Committee on Streets.

SCHOOLHOUSE ORDERS.

Councilman Loud offered an order for the Commissioner of Public Works to procure plans and estimates for installing steam heating apparatus in the Willard school. Referred to Committee on Public Buildings.

Councilman Gearwar offered an order for $50,000 for a schoolhouse on the new lot at Atlantic, and that the Commissioner of Public Works procure plans. To Committee on Public Buildings.

CALENDAR.

The order regulating speed of street cars took it second reading, and was then recommitted to the joint committee on Streets and Ordinances.

Adjourned at 8.04 until Mar. 21.

THE DAUGHTERS.

Hold Their Annual Meeting—Mrs. Titus Reelected Regent.

Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, met Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Annie L. Prescott, Spear street. It was the annual meeting for the election of officers and one of the most important meetings of the year, so notwithstanding the rain and bad walking about twenty-five members were present from Randolph, Braintree and Quincy.

The regular business was transacted, yearly reports read and ballots cast for the officers for 1904-5, which resulted as follows:

Regent, Mrs. Nelson V. Titus.

Vice regent, Mrs. William F. Cummings, Atlantic.

Secretary, Mrs. Frank F. Prescott, Quincy.

Treasurer, Mrs. William Porter, Randolph.

Council, the above and Mrs. Elisha Thayer and Mrs. Eugene Dyer, South Braintree; Mrs. Charles Belcher, Randolph, and Mrs. A. H. Gilson and Miss Annie L. Prescott, Quincy.

The hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Francis Guild Mayo, Mrs. Frank F. Prescott, Miss Harriet B. Pierce and Miss Prescott. Refreshments and a social half hour followed the business meeting.

Tyndale vs. Stanwood.

There was a sequel to the Granite Bank-Whicher case enacted in the Supreme judicial court on Monday when the case of Theodore H. Tyndale, administrator, vs. Eben C. Stanwood, was argued. Questions in an action by an administrator who was granted a license to sell real estate of his intestate and by writ of entry seeks recovery of it, whether he had a valid license, and can bring such action before the expiration of the curtesy of his intestate's husband, who had conveyed his curtesy to the tenants.

Warm Today.

The temperature at noon today was 57 degrees and is therefore the warmest day of the winter. There have been a few days this year when the glass registered 48 at noon, but not since Nov. 12 has it been as high at noon as today.

Rates to St. Louis Exposition.

Preliminary announcement is made of $28.25, fifteen days; $35, sixty days, and $42 for season tickets from Boston via. the New York Central Lines. For full particulars send for circular and descriptive folder, A. S. Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt., Boston.

TODAY'S COURT.

Neil Johnson was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Patrick Maguire was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until March 14.

John Johnson was sent to the State farm for vagrancy at Quincy.

William Malcolm was arraigned for using profanity at Quincy. Case continued until Thursday.

The continued case of William St. Pierre for violation of the liquor law at Quincy was called and he was fined $50. Appealed.

The continued cases of David G. Smith and John B. Hutchinson, for drunkenness at Quincy, were heard. Smith was fined $3 and appealed, and Hutchinson's case was continued until March 16.

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HIGH SCHOOL ENGLISH.

Supt. Parlin Considers the Study at Length in the Annual Report.

Frank E. Parlin, the Superintendent of Schools discusses the following subjects in his annual report to the School Committee: "The moral side of education." eight pages; "High School English," six pages; "Geography," four pages; "The Washington School," three pages, and less space to school property, repairs, school census, etc. Relative to "High School English" we quote in full:

The most important subject in the high school curriculum is English. It is the one subject of which all will make a practical use throughout their lives, in speaking, reading and writing; yet the methods of instruction both in literature and in composition have generally been less satisfactory than in other subjects. Undoubtedly it is the most difficult subject to teach and there are many unfavorable conditions over which the teacher has no control.

Much is said about the poor English used by high school graduates. Conceding the fact that many graduates do use poor English, it does not follow that the schools are entirely responsible. Children catch their speech from their associates during childhood and bad vocal habits fixed by long practice are exceedingly hard to correct. Many well educated persons who in early years were accustomed to defective language are sometimes chagrined by having some of those faults slip from their tongues at an unguarded moment. Notwithstanding their complete knowledge of the errors the nerves and muscles tend strongly to perpetuate the language habits of childhood. The child who during the years he is learning to speak always hears his mother tongue in its purity is fortunate indeed. The school not being able to regulate the speech of the home must take the children as they come and do its best to correct the faults for which environment is entirely responsible.

The school first needs to adopt definite and systematic methods of training its pupils in the use of good oral language. Even some teachers expect this to be accomplished directly through the study of English grammar and rhetoric, but it cannot. These studies furnish the pupil with a criterion for testing language so that he may know when errors exist but they do not directly affect his speech. One may know every law of grammar and yet unconsciously through habit violate them all. It is only by much practice under intelligent guidance and by constant watchfulness that one can break up old faults and fix new and right habits of speech. The school should furnish and does furnish opportunities for such practice but they are not fully utilized, chiefly because everything in this line is left to the teacher of English. Every oral recitation is practice in the use of English and every teacher should be held responsible for the solecisms which pass unchallenged in his recitations. If he is, the pupils will get five or six times as much practice under guidance as in the English classes alone. Throughout the school correct language should be the invariable standard. When a mistake is made, it is not enough for the teacher to point it out, but the student should correct himself and present his thought in proper form.

A most excellent opportunity for practice in good English is offered in translating foreign languages, but too often no one seems aware of it. To translate the Latin and Greek classics or French and German literature into barbarous English is an exercise of more than doubtful value. One studies Latin and Greek that he may know and master English but when the study leads to constant practice in bad English it is sorry business.

The explanations and demonstrations in mathematics, the descriptions in science, and the recitations in history should always be made to serve as right practice in oral language. The pupils should understand that the language used in a recitation is an important factor. How can the school ever hope to correct the speech of its pupils when only one teacher in five pays any attention to it? Such a ratio is not well calculated to secure rapid improvement. When additional oral practice is needed it may be secured by having special exercises in the English classes for speaking—narrations, descriptions, debates and conversations upon assigned topics.

The study of literature is another part of the work in English. It certainly should be an enjoyable part for both pupil and teacher. The fact that so many pupils find it most disagreeable drudgery proves either that the methods of instruction are not well chosen or that the work is not adapted to their ability, or both. Most pupils on entering the high school have read little classic English. This has been the fault of the reading course in the grammar school and of the home reading. The first aim in the high school should be to teach the pupils how to read intelligently and enjoyably. This can be done only by reading literature adapted to the development of the pupils. Any one familiar with the reading prescribed in the "college requirements" and with the usual condition of pupils entering the high school can see at once that much of it is not adapted to their needs and that some of it should not be attempted below the college course. Why then should it be forced upon youth when there is an ample supply of literature which will not discourage reading? It is exceedingly unwise and unfortunate to require the reading of a classic at such a time or in such a way that it becomes in the thought of boys and girls the very synonym of incomprehensibility and dullness. It is better not to require the

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BETTER TODAY.

Henry H. Faxon Had Comfortable Night and Is Gaining.

Henry H. Faxon who was taken with an ill turn Sunday is resting comfortably today. At his home, this noon, it was said that he passed a comfortable night and that he was comfortable today. If anything he is considered to be better today than he was Monday.

What he needs is a thorough rest, and unless some new complication set in he will be able to be out again soon.

Mr Faxon's illness has caused many anxious inquiries to be made as to hi condition. Expressions of sympathy are heard everywhere, and on every hand inquiries are made concerning him.

Although there are many who do not agree with Mr. Faxon, all admit that he has done a great deal for Quincy, and there are none who do not wish and hope for his speedy recovery.

TOWN MEETINGS.

New Selectmen at Braintree, Milton and Hyde Park.

With a few exceptions the towns of Massachusetts held town meetings o Monday. Some of the results in nearby towns follow:

Weymouth.

Weymouth had contests for selectmen and school committee and elected these officers:

Clerk, J. A. Raymond.

Treasurer, J. H. Stetson.

Selectmen and overseers of the poor, W. L. Bates, B. Hawes, R. W. Hunt, R. McIntosh, G. L. N[illegible]

Assessors, J. W. F[illegible] E. H. Cowing, G. B. Loud, G. [illegible] Rawson, G. H. Torrey.

School committee, H. F. Terry and C. H. Willoby.

Auditors, J. P. Hunt, C. A. Loud, G. E. Reed.

Collector, W. J. Dunbar.

License—Yes 576, no 871.

Adjourned to next Monday.

Milton.

The Milton town meeting reelected John F. Brown and Maurice A. Duffy as selectmen, and as the third member chose Jesse B. Baxter of East Milton. The vote was: Brown, 708; Duffy, 646; Baxter, 612; Pond 258.

George T. Badger defeated Caroline W. Williams for School Committee by a vote of 490 to 400, and T. I. Reese and W. B. Thurber were also on the board.

J. P. Holmes was reelected town treasurer, and H. B. Martin town clerk, A. W. Draper was elected on the board of health, and Mrs. Albert A. Brackett on the board of overseers of the poor.

The town voted 503 to 187 against license. The appropriations include: Schools, $65,000; street, $30,000; street watering, $8,000; poor, $7,000; fire department, $21,700; police, $23,765; street lighting, $13,650.

Braintree.

Selectman Warren B. Keith one of the caucus nominees for reelection, was defeated by R. Allen Gage of North Braintree, and Selectman J. Parker Hayward who lost at the caucus, won at the polls, defeating William H. Cronin. B. Herbert Woodsum of South Braintree was reelected.

Henry A. Monk was reelected town clerk, and Benjamin F. Dyer town treasurer. Elmer E. Abercrombie is again tree warden and Dr. T. H. Dearing water commissioner for three years. The auditors elect are N. F. Hunt, A. S. Morrison and Daniel Potter.

For school committee, Ann M. Brooks and Albion C. Drinkwater were reelected and Dr. C. M. Marstin continues on the board of health. The fence viewers are J. Marcus Arnold, Charles S. Hannaford and Alverdo H. Mason.

The lone Socialist was defeated for constable and the following elected: Peter J. Donahoe, Henry Dugan, Jr., Jeremiah F. Gallivan, Frank A. Gannon, Charles A. Hobart, Horace F. Hunt, John Kelley, James H. King, Michael Levangie, Benjamin J. Loring, William E. Maybury, Conrad Mischler, Joseph F. Mohan, Thomas Slavin, Frank O. Whitmarsh.

The vote against license was 614 to 391.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 5, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in the following petitions: (House bill No. 757) of William H. Cook, for legislation to prevent danger from fireworks and explosives; (House bill No. 760) of Edward L. McManus, for legislation relative to the compensation of attorneys and counsellors at law for legal services in certain instances; (House bill No. 835) of Wallace C. Ransden, for legislation relative to evidence in action for personal injuries and death; (House bill No. 836) of Wallace C. Ransden, for legislation relative to evidence in actions by employees against railroad and railway companies; and (Senate bill No. 192) of Dennis F. O'Connell, for legislation to provide for licensing slot machines; at room No. 227, State House, on Friday, March 11th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. A. M. TAFT, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 8-2t

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

The budget of the town of Brookline calls for an appropriation of $35,490.00 for maintenance of High school. Quincy with twice as many High school pupils feels lucky to get half this amount.

Engineer Speaker Cannon is driving legislation along under a full head of steam, with Hemenway sitting serenely on the safety valve. Appropriation bills are going at double quick. Neither party sees any particular advantage in more long speeches, so adjournment may be reached in a month or two.

Indiana is ambitious to furnish all the Vice Presidents that are needed. The Republican friends of Fairbanks declare that his is the name to conjure with and the Democrats have cast Mr. Miers to sustain the role of Barkis. Both parties assume that the head of the ticket will be a New Yorker—or thereabouts.

Again we are reminded that the nineteen-room Willard schoolhouse is an elephant in more ways than one. Although built as recently as 1891, a new system of heating seems necessary, because it has been impossible to heat all the rooms this year. Perhaps a stove here and there as at the Coddington might help out. The Coddington is heated entirely by stoves. Five of the Quincy schools, including the Willard, have the hot air system, and seven the steam heat system.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ The crew of the battleship Wisconsin have made a world's record of nine bullseyes in ten shots in ten minutes. These are the men behind the guns who fire shots that hit and reminded the world that something besides tonnage wins battle.—Haverhill Gazette.

A RUSSIAN STATESMAN.

M. de Plehve, Russia's minister of the interior, is the most unpopular man in his country. He has an iron will. is



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GIBRALTAR OF FAR EAST

Vladivostok Well Equipped as Naval Base, but Is Said to Have Been Left With Old Type Guns of Short Range and to Be Ill-Supplied With Necessaries of Life--Japs Steadily Advancing Toward the Yalu--Koreans Provoked by Russian Excesses, Kill Thirty of the Czar's Men

London, March 8.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Standard gives a rumor that the czar has received a telegram to the effect that the Japanese fleet bombarded Vladivostok all day Monday. Only trifling damage was inflicted, according to this rumor, but one or two Japanese cruisers were sunk.

No word confirming this story has been received in any other quarter, and although there is nothing to show that there had not been another bombardment of Vladivostok on Monday, this report is most likely an exaggerated version of Sunday's bombardment.

There is considerable curiosity here concerning the resisting power of Vladivostok, which has long been regarded as the Gibraltar of the far east. Vladivostok is known to be better equipped as a naval base, and to have greater docking and repairing resources than Port Arthur, but doubts are expressed as to the character of its defenses. Russia has been settled there for 40 years, and it is consequently considered likely that the defenses and guns at this place are of a somewhat obsolete character.

It is understood that during the past few years all the available new guns and war material which it was possible to send over the single line railroad have been used for the strengthening of Port Arthur and points in Manchuria, leaving Vladivostok with old type guns of short range. It is reported that Vladivostok is ill-supplied with provisions and necessaries.

Dispatches from Tokio speak of the sacrifices being made by the Japanese nation. According to The Daily Chronicle's correspondent at Tokio the Mikado is abandoning all luxuries, the court is following his example, and all are going to live abstemiously until the war is ended. Other dispatches say that public and private concerns are all curtailing their expenses in order to aid the government in the prosecution of the war.

According to the Che Foo correspondent of The Morning Post it is expected that the Japanese will reach the left bank of the lower Yalu about March 10. A large force of Russians is strongly entrenched on the hills in the Antung district, adjacent and parallel to the river. Their position is similar to that which the Boers held on the Tugela river.

According to Vladivostok reports the Japanese force of 2500 which landed at Plaksin Bay is approaching Musan on the Tumen river and a Russian force of 1500 is said to have been sent to seize Kiong Won, a walled town commanding the trails along which the Japanese must go to reach Musan. This Japanese force corresponds in numbers with the one which landed at Plaksin Bay Feb. 19, and later was said to have entered Maofurchan on the Yalu, 150 miles to the west.

Korean soldiers, at Anju, have attacked a body of Russians there, killing 30 of them. The action was provoked by the course of the Russians in seizing property and abusing native women. Another conflict is reported from Kangge, where the Korean troops are said to have driven a body of Russians across the Yalu. This display of spirit may be the sign of important developments in the temper of Korea.

The Russians continue strengthening Antung, on the Yalu, making it their base in that direction. The removal of furnishings and supplies from New Chwang is held to indicate that the Russians will soon evacuate it, sending back cavalry patrols for the region when the season permits operations by the Japanese.

At Port Arthur there is great activity in the making of new forts and the mounting of over 100 additional guns. The place is quiet except for the work on the fortifications. All signs point to preparations for a long siege.

Japan's Strict Censorship

Washington, March 8.—In a report from Tokio, Minister Griscom furnishes translations of a number of important ordinances and regulations relating to the state of war. Foreign newspaper correspondents with the army must receive their admission through their minister or consul. All of their correspondence, newspaper and private, must be submitted to the censor, and there must be no use of ciphers. The correspondents themselves are required to wear a white band on one arm, marked with Japanese leaders in red ink, stating their newspaper connection, and no correspondent will be received who has had less than one year's actual service on a newspaper.

THREE NEW MAYORS

Eight Present Incumbents In Maine Cities Are Re-elected

Portland, Me., March 8.—Mayors were re-elected in all except three of the 11 Maine cities holding their March elections, Auburn, Rockland and Eastport electing new incumbents. The sharpest contests were at Waterville and Saco. Davis had only 22 majority at Waterville; Moore had but 48 votes to spare at Saco. Mayor Skelton of Lewiston had a plurality of only 70. Mayor Hyde of Bath was given a third term. Although the Republican mayor was re-elected at South Portland, the Democrats will predominate in the city government. McFaul of Eastport, who was defeated last year, won by 97 plurality. The elections resulted as follows:

Cities	Mayor	City Govt.
Lewiston	W. B. Skelton, R	Rep
Auburn	A. Q. Miller, R	Rep
Waterville	C. W. Davis, D	Dem
Saco	L. B. Moore, C D	Cit D
Rockland	J. E. Rhodes, R	Rep
Ellsworth	A. C. Hagerthy, R	Rep
Eastport	J. H. McFaul, R	Rep
Bath	E. W. Hyde, R	Rep
S. Portland	G. T. Spear, R	Dem
Gardiner	E. L. Russell, R	Rep
Hallowell	J. W. Fuller, R	Rep.

Newburyport's Big Fire

Newburyport, Mass., March 8.—More than half of the Newburyport plant of the Fiberloid Manufacturing company, manufacturers of celluloid collars and novelties, was destroyed last night by fire. The loss will exceed $70,000. At the time it originated only three employes were in the building. In moving a carboy of acid they accidentally broke it, and the flames caused thereby spread with great rapidity. The inflammable celluloid articles furnished remarkably brilliant fuel, and the blaze of the fire illuminated the entire city.

A Shipowner's Heavy Loss

Bath, Me., March 8.—Gardiner G. Deering, the owner, last night received a telegram sent from Newport News, Va., by Captain Ross of the five-masted schooner Gardiner G. Deering, stating that his schooner had been sunk near Old Point Comfort. The crew was saved. The Deering was built in 1903 at a cost of $90,000. This is the second vessel lost by Mr. Deering within 10 days, the other being the David P. Davis.

Flood Causing Great Alarm

Naugatuck, Conn., March 8.—The Naugatuck river has risen to a higher point than it has been for years and is rising at the rate of a foot an hour. The lowlands adjoining the river in the northern part of the town are all flooded and great cakes of ice are carried along with the water. Hundreds of houses are in danger and great anxiety is felt.

Strain Too Great For Dam

Manchester, Conn., March 8.—The dam in the Hockanum river, near the American Writing Paper company's paper mills, gave way last night under a great pressure of water caused by the heavy rains and thaw, and scores of cellars are flooded. The river is rising rapidly and is already higher than it has been for years.

Brigham Has Slipped Away

Boston, March 8.—The search for Charles E. Brigham, the alleged murderer of Mrs. Celia M. Smith at Londonderry, N. H., has been fruitless so far as Boston is concerned. The police now think that Brigham has left the city and will keep away until his money is gone. He has very little now, the police think.

Completed 12,500-Mile Voyage

Boston, March 8.—Steamer Osborne completed a voyage of 12,500 miles when she arrived at Boston from Manila and Cebu with 25,320 bales of hemp. She had ordinary weather most of the passage, and had nothing unusual to report.

Hanging May Be Postponed

Stanton, Va., March 8.—John Kennedy, the train robber, under sentence to hang next Monday, escaped from Stanton jail last night. The jailer left a negro to guard the condemned man. Kennedy seized a club and dealt the negro a blow on the head, felling him to the floor, and then escaped from a window, using a section of rubber hose to reach the ground.

Theft of Railroad Funds

New York, March 8.—George H. Secor, for 15 years cashier of the foreign freight department of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad, was committed to the Tombs in default of bail on a charge of larceny in the second degree. An affidavit of the auditor says that Secor has made way with $10,166 of the railroad's funds.

To Be Executed With Bullets

Salt Lake City, March 8.—Frank Rose, who shot and killed his wife and left his 2-year-old boy for two days without food and alone in the room with his murdered mother, was sentenced to be shot on April 22. Rose had the choice of death by hanging or shooting, as provided by law.

A Fever-Stricken City

Watertown, N. Y., March 8.—The eighth week of the typhoid fever epidemic here opens with approximately 500 cases in the city, the average increase at present being about five a day. There have been 30 deaths since the disease became epidemic.

Reyes Defeated In Colombia

Bogota, March 8.—The presidential election resulted in General Joaquin Valez receiving a majority of 11 votes over General Raphael Reyes. The fact, however, must be officially declared by the electoral committee on July 3 next.

CITY BREVITIES.

Colder tonight.

The City Council adjourned for two weeks.

The mercury stood at 46 at sunrise, the highest of the season at that hour.

The Quincys and Weymouths will meet this week in the bowling league.

The unexpected happened in several towns on Monday. Braintree, Milton, Hyde Park and other towns have new selectmen.

The Mechanics Arts base ball nine of Boston is scheduled to play Adams Academy at Quincy, May 5, and Quincy High at Quincy, May 27.

Quincy Point Course.

The next lecture in the Quincy Point course will be given tomorrow evening at the Washington street church by Joseph Lee, Esq., of Boston, who will speak on "Children's Play." It will be a discussion—fully illustrated by anecdotes and by appeals to the experience—which any audience will have on what children are trying to do when they play; and what they get out of it; what it means to them, and what it amounts to as education, with practical suggestions as to what we grown people can do about it in the way of playgrounds and otherwise.

HARD WATER.

It Is Produced by the Absorption of Carbonate of Lime.

Rain water as it descends from the clouds is practically free from mineral impurities, but so soon as it reaches the earth and begins to percolate through strata it is charged with various mineral and earthy matters. If the strata be chalk or limestone, the water, through the medium of carbonic acid gas which it contains, takes up the lime in solution and forms carbonate of lime, and it is the presence of this mineral in an excessive quantity in the water which gives to it the peculiar property of "hardness."

The degree of hardness varies and is determined principally by the proportion of lime and the length of time the water is in contact with it.

This hardness is called temporary, because it can be reduced by boiling, as is seen by the crust in a kettle or boiler, when the water deposits the lime it contains. There is also a permanent hardness caused by the presence of sulphates, chlorides and nitrates of earthy metals.

Two Old Word Forms.

Jail and gaol are now ear and eye forms respectively of one and the same word. In earlier days each had its own distinct pronunciation, as is attested by the family name Gayler. Gaol, our oldest sound form, owes its survival to the influence of the French geole, though the anomaly of "g" sounded soft before "a" has been vigorously protested against. So far as modern French is concerned, the difference in sound between English "ga" and French "ge" is a fatal objection to gaol. Instead of following the French in regard to orthoepy our ancestors ought to have rejected the jail and kept the venerable gaol sound form. The struggle for existence between the two word shapes is of old standing.—Notes and Queries.

The Four o'Clock.

The four o'clock, ornamental plant, a native of Peru, is so called because it blooms from about 4 p. m. until the next morning. It is regarded as a symbol of punctuality. The notion was undoubtedly suggested by the remarkable regularity with which during sunny weather its daily opening occurs. When the sun is shining and the plant is in a favorable position to receive the light the time of opening will not vary ten minutes.

A Hard Foul.

An Englishman was once persuaded to see a game of baseball, and during the play, when he happened to look away for a moment, a foul tip caught him on the ear and knocked him senseless. On coming to himself he asked faintly, "What was it?" "A foul—only a foul." "Good gracious!" he exclaimed. "I thought it was a mule!"

His Wheel.

"That's a pretty noisy passenger you've got in there," remarked the man who was smoking on the front platform. "Is he crazy or only drunk?"

"Neither one," said the motorman. "He's just got a flat wheel in his head."—Chicago Tribune.

What is experience? A poor little hut constructed from the ruins of the palace of gold and marble called our illusions.

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Senate Passes Naval Bill

Washington, March 8.—The senate has passed the naval appropriation bill. The principal question debated in connection with it related to the price and method of supplying armor plate for battleships, and it grew out of an amendment suggested by Mr. Patterson, providing for a government armor plant. He ultimately withdrew the amendment, but offered several others, all of which were laid on the table.

Court Clerk's Heavy Sentence

Pottsville, Pa., March 8.—John T. Shoener, former clerk of the Schuylkill county courts, was sentenced to three years' imprisonment at solitary confinement, to pay a fine equal to the amount of money embezzled, $18,000; to repay the county all the money still due it, and to pay the costs of the proceedings against him. Shoener retained liquor license fees and was convicted of technical embezzlement.

Elmira Fire Loss Is $200,000

Elmira, N. Y., March 8.—The fire which was discovered in a cigar factory under the Lyceum theatre did damage to the amount of $200,000 before the flames were extinguished. The buildings destroyed were the Lyceum theatre, Auditorium theatre, Realty building, Jones' livery stable, Connelly's wholesale liquor store and what is known as the Opera house block.

Grain Deals Simply Gambling

Kansas City, March 8.—The Kansas City court of appeals, in a decision on grain speculative trading on the Board of Trade, says: "The transaction from its inception contemplates nothing more nor less than a gambling in differences and is, therefore, a stench in the nostrils of the law."

Drunken Officer's Punishment

Washington, March 8.—Major Thurston, Twenty-ninth infantry, who was tried before a court martial in the Philippines for drunkenness on duty, was sentenced to be confined to the limits of his post for five months, and to forfeit half of his pay for the same period.

Death's Harvest at New York

New York, March 8.—All pneumonia and general death records for a decade are shown to be broken by the health department report for the past week, which recorded 1800 deaths, 460 of which were attributed to pneumonia.

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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	1	9:48 p. m.	New Moon	17	0:33 a. m
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Full Moon	31	7:44 a. m.			

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r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20 and 11.00 P. M. to Brockville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy)—5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.35, 8.25, 8.10, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A. M. then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

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WAS A PLURAL WIFE

Mormon Woman Relates How She Became Mrs Johnson

HAD "SLIGHT INTERVIEW"

Wife Number One Had No Objection to Enlargement of Family Circle--President Smith the Proud Father of 42 Children

Washington, March 8.—After having had Joseph Smith, president of the Mormon church, on the stand for nearly five hours yesterday before the senate committee on privileges and election, which is investigating the right of Reed Smoot to sit as a senator, both the prosecution and the defense announced that they were through with him and another witness was called. This was Mrs. Clara M. Kennedy, who told some secrets of the Mormon church, which if not broken down, will prove as important as the statement of President Smith that he and other officers have been persistently cohabiting with plural wives in violation of the law.

Mrs. Kennedy said she was married by Brigham Young, an apostle of the church, to James F. Johnson, a polygamist, since the manifesto of 1890, and she has had two children by that husband. The marriage was performed in Mexico, according to the witness, at the home of a high official of the church.

Mrs. Kennedy said she was born in Albany, N. Y., 27 years ago and went with her parents to Utah when she was 2 years old. Her parents were Mormons and she was brought up in that faith and had been taught the propriety of the plural marriage and in fact never had known any different life until after her marriage. The family moved to Diaz, Mex., when she was about 4 years old, where she lived until she was 17 years old, when she was married to James F. Johnson, who already had one wife. Mrs. Kennedy said she met the first wife and they had a "slight interview" about going into the family as a second wife. The first wife gave her consent to the arrangement.

Mrs. Kennedy said she lived with Johnson about five years, part of the time in the same house with the first wife and part of the time away from Mr. and Mrs. Johnson. She said she has two children by Johnson, one of which is now living. She separated from Johnson at the end of five years and about a year after that married Mr. Kennedy, by whom she has two children. Her present husband is an Episcopalian, but she remains in the Mormon church.

"Why did you separate from Johnson?" Senator Foraker asked.

"Well, I could not stand the pressure any longer," she replied.

"What do you mean by 'could not stand the pressure?'" asked Chairman Burrows, "were you not treated right?"

"No sir, I was not."

The witness became confused several times under cross-examination and made some contradictory statements, which, for the most part, she corrected later when her attention was called to them by the attorney for the prosecution. She was unable to give a description of Apostle Young.

Previous to Mrs. Kennedy being called to the stand Mr. Tayler asked Mr. Smith the number of children he has had since the manifesto of 1890 and he replied that there had been 11, to the best of his recollection.

"Are you sure of the number?" asked Tayler.

"I cannot say that I am absolutely sure."

"Now, I don't want to be impertinent, but isn't it a fact that there have been 20?" asked Tayler.

"No, nothing like that," was the answer.

Mr. Tayler pressed for a detailed schedule of Smith's children born since 1890 and over the protest of Smith, Chairman Burrows directed that the question be answered.

Mr. Smith gave a list of children by the wives in the order in which he married them. The list is as follows:

By Julina—Edith and Rachel.

By Sarah—Asenath and Janetta.

By Edna—Martha and one child which died.

By Alice—Fielding, Jesse and Andrew.

By Mary—Silas, Agnes, James and maybe Calvin. He said he did not know the age of the last named.

Several more questions were addressed to the witness, but nothing was elicited which had not been offered previously.

Both the prosecution and the defense announced that they were through with Smith for the present, but before he was allowed to leave the stand Chairman Burrows inquired:

"How many children have you, now, Mr. Smith?"

"Forty-two," was the answer, "21 boys and 21 girls, and I am proud of every one of them."

Lightweights Evenly Matched

New York, March 8.—The wrestling match for the lightweight championship of the world between George Bothner and Eugene Tremblay, the Canadian champion, was declared a draw after two hours of wrestling.

Flood Invades Coal Mines

Shamokin, Pa., March 8.—Most of the collieries in this section of the anthracite region were flooded so badly by high water that they have been forced to shut down.

CUT OFF BY JAPS

Squadron Which Left Vladivostok May Meet With Disaster

London, March 8.—The Japanese legation here has received no official information regarding the bombardment of Vladivostok. It is believed at the legation, however, that the Japanese are now between the Russian cruiser squadron and Vladivostok, and there is reason to believe that the Russian squadron is in the vicinity of Possiet Bay.

Russian official dispatches do not mention this squadron and this fact leads color to the belief that the Japanese warships have shut it out of Vladivostok.

It is pointed out at the legation that if this is true the Russian vessels are in a critical position, and hence they must run the gauntlet of the Japanese squadron off Vladivostok or the Japanese squadron off Port Arthur before reaching a Russian port.

Alexieff's Report

St. Petersburg, March 8.—Viceroy Alexieff has telegraphed the czar from Mukden, under date of March 7, as follows:

"The commandant at Vladivostok reports that yesterday's bombardment resulted in no serious damage to the port. The fortress did not return the enemy's fire.

"Today at midday the enemy again entered Ussuri Bay and approached the point from which they bombarded the harbor on March 6. They left again, making for the open sea."

Chunchus Are Anti-Russian

Tien Tsin, March 8.—A resident of Tien Tsin has had an interview with Chang, chief of the bandits called "Chunchus." According to this man, Chang commands 2000 men, who are well drilled, splendidly mounted and armed with mauser rifles and magazine pistols. Chang holds the brevet rank of general. His principles are decidedly anti-Russian.

Thirteen Russian Ships Injured

Paris, March 8.—The Matin publishes a dispatch from Tokio saying the Japanese navy department has announced that 13 Russian warships, representing a total of 94,000 tons, have received injuries since the opening of hostilities.

News by Way of Paris

Paris, March 8.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Echo De Paris says Prince Louis Bonaparte has been given the command of a brigade of Cossacks. He will start for the far east on Thursday.

"By March 17 there will be 217,000 Russian troops in Manchuria," the correspondent continues. "This information was given me by a military authority and shows that the transport system is working perfectly."

French Sympathy For Russia

Paris, March 8.—The municipal council has voted to send an address to the municipality of St. Petersburg, expressing its sympathy with Russia in the war. The Socialist members of the Paris council abstained from voting.

Hurry Order to British Warships

Victoria, B. C., March 8.—Cipher dispatches received by the naval authorities at Esquimalt from the British admiralty order the cruisers Grafton (flagship) and Bonaventure, now in Central or South American waters, to get to Esquimalt with all speed. The order is regarded here as ominously significant.

Poles Hope Japs Will Win

Chicago, March 8.—The first official expression of the Polish people of America upon the attitude of the Polish nation throughout the world in the Russo-Japanese conflict is made in an address issued by officials of organizations embodying the largest portion of all the Polish organizations in the United States. The resolutions express "hearty sympathy and admiration for the great and knightly Japanese nation."

No Red Cross Congress

Washington, March 8.—Because of the present war between Russia and Japan the gathering of the congress of the Geneva Red Cross at Berne, which was to have taken place next May, has been indefinitely postponed. The postponement is believed to be due to the difficulty of framing such rules as are desired in the heat of passion aroused by the war and to the failure of one of the principal European powers to respond to the invitation to attend.

Nurse Took Poison

New York, March 8.—Chloral and morphine poisoning are given as the cause of death in Roosevelt hospital last night of Anna M. Strahan, 26 years old, formerly of Vineyard Haven, Mass., a nurse and governess. The police put her under arrest on a charge of attempting suicide when she was removed to the hospital. Miss Strahan came here two years ago.

Thirty-Five Years on Bench

Trenton, March 8.—Justice Van-Syckel of the supreme court has tendered his resignation to Governor Murphy, to take effect at once. Van-Syckel, who is 74 years old, about two weeks ago was reappointed, after having served 35 years as a supreme court justice. The condition of his health is given as the cause.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Wednesday, March 9.
Sun rises—6:07; sets—5:43.
Moon rises—1:08 a. m.
High water—5 a. m.; 5:30 p. m.

The eastern storm has been attended by general rains eastward to New England. Temperatures are above the seasonal average in all parts of the country, notably so in Atlantic coast districts. Rain will continue in New England.

AN OHIO LYNCHING

Many Hundred Men Invade Jail and Get Murderer

GIVEN UP BY OFFICIALS

Shot to Death and Body Then Strung From a Telegraph Pole, Where It Swung Back and Forth From Force of Bullets

Springfield, O., March 8.—A mob of 500 men gathered at the county jail last night with the avowed purpose of lynching Richard Dixon, a negro, who shot Policeman Charles Collis on Sunday. Sheriff Routzahn appeared on the jail steps and pleaded with the mob to disperse. His appeal was ineffectual and he was compelled to go within.

At 10:30 the mob melted rapidly and it was the general opinion that no further attempts would be made to force an entrance to the jail. Small groups of men, however, could be seen in the shadows of the court house, two adjacent livery stables and several dwelling houses. At 10:45 the police were satisfied that there was nothing more to fear and they went with other officials and newspaper men in and out of the jail. Shortly before 11 o'clock a diversion was made by a small crowd moving from the east doors around to the south entrance. The police followed and a feint was made at jostling them off the steps leading up to the south entrance. The crowd at this point kept growing, while yells of "Hold the police," "Smash the doors," "Lynch the nigger" were made, interspersed with revolver shots.

All this time a party with a heavy railway iron was beating at the east door, which shortly yielded to the battering-ram, as did the inner lattice iron doors. The mob then surged through the east door, overpowered the sheriff, turnkey and handful of deputies and began the assault on the iron turnstile leading to the cells. The police from the south door were called inside to help keep the mob from the cells and in five minutes the south door had shared the fate of the east one.

In an incredibly short time the jail was filled by a mob of 250 men, with all the entrances and yard gates blocked by fully 1500 men, thus making it impossible to prevent access to the negro. The heavy iron partition leading to the cells resisted the mob effectually until cold chisels and sledge hammers arrived. The padlock to the turnstile was broken and the mob soon filled the corridors leading to the cells.

Seeing that further resistance was useless and to avoid the killing of innocent prisoners, the authorities consented to the demand of the mob for the right man. He was dragged from the cell to the jail door and thence down the stone steps to the paved court in the jail yard. Fearing an attempt on the part of the police to rescue him, the leaders formed a hollow square. Some one knocked the negro to the ground and those near him fell back four or five feet. Nine shots were fired into his prostrate body and, satisfied that he was dead, a dozen men seized the lifeless body and, with a triumphant cheer, the mob surged into Columbia street and marched to Fountain avenue, one of the principal thoroughfares in the town.

From here they marched south to the intersection of Main street and a rope was tied around Dixon's neck. Two men climbed a telegraph pole and threw the rope over the topmost crosstie and drew the body about 18 feet above the street. The fusillade then began and for 30 minutes the body was kept swaying back and forth from the force of the rain of bullets which was poured in on it. Frequently the arms would fly up convulsively when a muscle was struck and the mob went fairly wild with delight.

Throughout it all perfect good order was maintained and everyone seemed in the best of humor, joking with his nearest neighbor while reloading his revolver.

Collis died at noon yesterday. He was shot by Dixon while the latter was in his room in a hotel here removing his baggage. He had decided to quit the place and fearing trouble with Anna Corbin, a woman with whom he was acquainted, Dixon asked Collis to go to the hotel with him. While in his room Dixon and Miss Corbin quarrelled and Dixon is said to have shot her in the breast. The policeman then attempted to arrest Dixon when the latter fired into the officer's body.

Pushing Policeman Groff

Washington, March 8.—District Commissioner West has directed the superintendent of police to prefer charges against Samuel A. Groff, the policeman, who was sentenced Saturday to two years in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $10,000 for conspiracy against the government in connection with the postal matters.

An Ice-Bound Steamer

Sydney, N. S., March 8.—The Dominion Coal company's steamer Mystic, at Louisberg from Boston, reports having sighted a steamer, apparently a passenger or loaded freight boat, fast in the ice off Whitehead, on the Nova Scotia coast.

Not a Victim of Violence

New York, March 8.—An autopsy made on the body of Leon Melles, the theatrical agent who died under what the police thought were suspicious circumstances, revealed the fact that death was due to natural causes.

Good Health to the Children

Children especially are fond of dainties, and the housekeeper must look carefully to their food.

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Flourishing Town In Panama Is Swept by Flames

Colon, March 8.—The German cruisers Vineta and Falke bring news of an extensive fire at Bocas del Toro Sunday, which destroyed almost the entire commercial part of that town. The flames burned seven hours. In all about 100 buildings were destroyed, entailing a loss of $500,000. The cause of the fire is not known. The American and German consulates were destroyed. The Falke landed all her crew to fight the flames and without their timely assistance the whole town would have been totally wiped out.

Bocas del Toro is in Panaman territory, about 220 miles west of Colon. The town is almost entirely built of wood. The principal business there is the export of bananas and it has a population of about 5000, mostly West Indian blacks.

Dissension In British Cabinet

London, March 8.—Rumors in the lobby of the house of commons that another cabinet crisis is likely is being made much of by the opposition. According to these rumors the crisis probably will involve the resignation of Foreign Secretary Lansdowne and Mr. Brodrick, secretary for India, who strongly object to the proposals for the reorganization of the army. It is asserted that Premier Balfour appointed the Escher committee without consulting the cabinet and much irritation has been displayed in parliament recently because the second report of this committee was issued by the premier to the press before it was communicated to parliament.

Widow Wins Big Suit

White Plains, N. Y., March 8.—Judgment for $761,978 against Sylvester H. Kneeland was announced in a decision handed down by Supreme Court Judge Keogh in the suit brought by the widow of the late Collis P. Huntington and C. H. Tweed, as executors of Huntington's estate. Between the years 1896 and 1900 Huntington loaned to Kneeland, it was claimed, the sum of $844,044, and after Huntington's death the widow brought suit to recover the money.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

The receiver of the firm of Stephen Luhrmann & Son of Bremen reports that the firm owes its foreign creditors $4,145,000.

The Hingham, Mass., Agricultural and Horticultural society presented to the town its three-story building, valued at $25,000, and six acres of land for use as a town hall. The gift was accepted by the town.

Fire in a building in the heart of the shoe district of Haverhill caused a damage of about $7000 to the structure and occupants. The heaviest damage was sustained by Curtis & Knight, who operated stitching rooms.

The board of trustees of Columbia university will invite Dr. Rubner of the Grand Ducal conservatory of music at Carlsruhe, Germany, to accept the professorship of music, made vacant by the resignation of Professor MacDowell.

Fire at Chicago almost destroyed a malt drying kiln operated by the George Bullen company, causing a loss of $100,000. A fireman died as the result of injuries.

BOLEROS AND BLOUSES.

They Will Divide Honors Equally This Spring.

The bolero, which was threatened by the three-quarter effect, has come back into extreme fashion again. There are two kinds of bolero which are especially noticeable—the loose affair, cut sleeves and body in one, and the other, practically sleeveless, cut up in the back to show the abnormally wide belts so many of us are wearing. The latter bolero appears in many different kinds of material. Sometimes it is of velvet and sometimes of cloth, and then again it is a combination of both; but one fact is striking—it remains always of the same color as the skirt.

Sometimes these boleros are made of plain thick material trimmed with fringe and cord. These are charming



SPRING TAILOR MADE.

in black, gray or mole color, opening over a dainty blouse and a wide band of leather or silk.

Spring street fashions will show a variety of these blouse costumes in zibeline, in gray, black and white and other mixtures. They will be trimmed with pipings of velvet or heavy silk, and the wide belt will be of the same.

Dress waists blousing all around, both back and front, over the very wide belts will be among the most chic spring models, and the skirts which accompany these bloused effects will be very full and only held down part of the way.

The picture shows a spring tailor made of dull blue cloth trimmed with bands of Persian and a dark blue belt.

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EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	31	35	46	38	50
Monday,	43	39	47	46	26
Tuesday,	57	38	52	43	40
Wednesday,	—	43	45	40	44
Thursday,	—	48	45	48	51
Friday,	—	27	54	45	51
Saturday,	—	30	55	64	49

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NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

St. Mary's Total Abstinence society attended Holy Communion in a body Sunday morning.

Charles Carter of South street left Monday morning for a short business trip to New Hampshire.

The hard rain during Monday night carried off a lot of the ice in the streets, and gullied the ice so that in places it is dangerous.

The eulogy pronounced at the funeral of Rev. John J. Garrity by Rev. Ambrose F. Roche will appear in full in tomorrow's Ledger.

The annual church meeting of the Point church will be held in the vestry this evening at the close of the Christian Endeavor meeting.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society of Wollaston will meet with Mrs. C. P. Loring, Lincoln avenue, on Wednesday at 2.30 o'clock.

A few runners are out today but the sleighing is practically gone. On some streets however there is unbroken ice from curb to curb. There were 73 days of continuous sleighing.

In addition to the game of basket ball tonight at West Quincy between the St. Marys and Quincys for the championship of Quincy, there will be a game between the junior St. Marys and Quincys.

The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Duffy was held this morning from St. John's church. Mass was celebrated by Rev. Julian E. Johnston. The burial was at St. Mary's cemetery.

There was a good attendance Monday evening at the sacred concert at Faxon hall by evangelist Kernohan, the "Swedish Nightingale" and the juvenile quartet. The proceeds will be used for home missions.

The arguments were finished Monday in the second session of the Suffolk Superior court in the case of Katherine L. Mahoney vs. Old Colony Street Railway Company, to recover $5000 for personal injuries received on July 13, 1901, in a collision of cars in Quincy square.

WOMAN HELD UP.

A Threat to Shoot Her Had No Terror However.

Mrs. Fred Sanford had a hard tuzzle with a young tramp at South Braintree on Monday who tried to assault her.

Mrs. Sanford was returning to her home at "Five Corners" and when near the old stone crusher on West street a tramp seized her, commanding her to come with him.

She fought herself free with an umbrella whereupon he exclaimed, "I will shoot you if you do not come with me!"

"Shoot if you want to," replied Mrs. Sanford, as she rushed to her home a quarter of a mile away.

Upon arriving home she informed her husband who with neighbors started in search of the tramp. Officer Gallivan was notified and the tramp was traced to Quincy.

The Quincy police were notified but were unable to find any trace of the fellow.

Mrs. Sanford describes him as being about 24 years of age, light complexion and light mustache. He wore a dark

TOWN MEETING

(Continued from page 1.)

The vote was as follows:

	1	2	3	Total
TOWN CLERK				
Henry A. Monk	367	312	226	925
	56			
TOWN TREASURER				
Benjamin F. Dyer	369	300	212	881
	55			
SELECTMEN				
William H. Cronin	137	90	145	372
R. Allen Gage	181	236	118	535
Edgar W. Gerry	68	60	65	193
J. Parker Hayward	250	231	152	633
Warren B. Keith	178	150	89	417
B. Herbert Woodsum	329	244	162	735
	132			
TREE WARDEN				
E. E. Abercrombie	272	263	162	697
Julius Heurlin	82	56	57	195
	69			
WATER COMMISSIONER				
T. Haven Dearing	267	248	153	668
Daniel J. Gallivan	115	82	84	281
	42			
AUDITORS				
Nathaniel F. Hunt	282	236	157	675
Alva S. Morrison	289	235	162	686
Daniel Potter	269	212	176	657
G. E. Woodworth	127	125	93	345
	307			
SCHOOL COMMITTEE				
Ann M. Brooks	279	243	146	668
A. C. Drinkwater	267	263	169	699
Rufus C. Turpel	97	69	67	233
	205			
BOARD OF HEALTH				
Chauncy M. Marstin	319	287	179	785
	102			
FENCE VIEWERS				
J. Marcus Arnold	303	277	174	754
Charles S. Hannaford	281	249	159	689
Alverdo H. Mason	295	254	190	739
	395			
TAX COLLECTOR				
Frank A. Smith	336	305	208	849
	87			
CONSTABLES				
Edwin B. Arnold	132	121	85	338
Peter J. Donahoe	204	215	126	545
Henry Dugan Jr.	229	223	173	625
Jeremiah F. Gallivan	227	233	145	605
Frank A. Gammon	226	204	135	565
Charles A. Hobart	246	229	139	614
Horace F. Hunt	282	236	139	657
John Kelley	243	220	139	602
James H. King	222	211	129	562
Michael Levangie	211	196	110	411
Benjamin J. Loring	243	239	154	636
William E. Maybury	256	236	159	651
Conrad Mischler	233	239	131	603
Joseph F. Mohan	219	214	117	540
Thomas Slavin	221	197	122	540
Frank O. Whitmarsh	241	217	179	537
	2737			
LICENSE				
Yes	125	85	91	301
No	247	224	141	612
	53			

In Other Towns.

In Hyde Park only one of the old board of selectmen survived the election on Monday, Lawyer Edwin C. Jenney. Ex-selectman Frank B. Rich is again on the board, and also Howard S. Thompson, William D. Preston and Richard W. Wright, the last mentioned from the Readville district.

The license votes of Scituate and Marshfield were close: In the former 211 to 208 against, and in the latter 82 to 80 against.

J. S. Bigelow a summer resident defeated Thomas Mannex for selectman of Cohassett, thereby closing the street railway movement.

Hingham elected as selectman W. W. Hersey, and voted to accept the gift of the grounds and buildings of the Hingham Agricultural and Horticultural Society.

Walepole elected two women on the school committee.

In Lincoln, the home of C. F. Adams the town clerk was instructed to cast one vote for no-license, and there was no opposition.

Hudson voted against license for the first time in ten years.

Hull rejected the plea of Miss Floretta Vining for title to strip of beach.

Norfolk County License Vote.

Returns are not complete from Norfolk county towns but so far as known not a single town has voted in favor of license of the sale of intoxicating liquors. The votes follow:

	Yes.	No.
Braintree,	301	614
Randolph,	381	417
Dedham,	189	832
Milton,	187	503
Canton,	202	467
Dover,	15	66
Sharon,	81	196
Holbrook,	100	180
Weymouth,	576	871
Foxboro,	105	186
Franklin,	290	366
Medfield,	74	91
Medway,	227	239
Millis,	39	69
Westwood,	20	62
Walpole (Reversed)	208	374
Needham,	164	314

The ice boats and skaters were numerous on Quincy bay on Sunday.

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HIGH SCHOOL ENGLISH.

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reading of a book than to have the reading result in unpleasant memories and a firm resolution never to look at it again.

The first two years of the course in literature should be given to reading for intellectual food and enjoyment, for the purpose of creating an appetite and developing a taste. The pupils should be led to read so as to get at the spirit and meaning of the author — the heart of the book — without the creeping, critical, dissecting process. Literary anatomy is out of place here. The pupils at this age need the scenes and characters, the life and feeling, the humor and pathos, the real kernel and substance of the book, the very elements the author labored hardest to put into it; and these are not found by constantly chewing the husks of language. The first thing to teach the boys and girls is *how* to read a book so as to get at its thought and life, and at the same time help them to become intelligent and interested readers of wholesome books; afterwards, when they have some knowledge of literature, some standards for comparison and judgment, we may more reasonably try to make them literary critics. A sound literary taste and judgment, however, are acquired by reading much sound literature rather than by tearing a small amount of such literature to pieces. We very much doubt that teachers of English use in their private reading the methods they often require of pupils at at school.

During the first two years, at least, there should be much more reading and much less dissecting. An ample list of books adapted to the minds of the pupils, carefully selected from the different classes of literature and including some translations of foreign classics, should be arranged for them and then they should read; read some in class, read others at home and discuss them in class, read carefully parts of some and all of a few a second time, memorizing short extracts of special beauty or strength. But above all the introduction of the pupils to the world's classics should be enjoyable and not a "grind."

Few persons, even adults, enjoy reading the best literature. Their taste has been vitiated and they have been made intellectually lazy by reading weak, scrappy or sensational literature. If one's reading be weak, his thought is weak and commonplace, his mental tissue is flabby; if it be scrappy, he becomes incapable of sustained thought, of following a course of close reasoning or the development of a theme; if sensational, he becomes mentally passive, he can neither think without stimulation, nor enjoy the companionship of great books. A great book requires an active mind and then it strengthens thought, broadens the imagination, deepens the feelings, nourishes the soul and enriches the life. When one has learned to enjoy good literature he has not only secured as lifelong friends some of the world's greatest minds at their best, but he has acquired a taste which finds literary trash offensive.

During the last two years of the course, after the pupils have some knowledge and appreciation of literature, more attention may be given to the means employed by masters of the art to produce literary effect, but this should be for the purpose of bringing into clearer light the beauty of conception, the strength of expression, the vividness of description, the delicacy of feeling, or the harmony with nature and with right ethical standards. It should not degenerate into mere language study and verbal analysis, for this would be like studying a picture by examining the paint and inspecting the canvas.

It cannot reasonably be expected that high school pupils will exhaust the meaning or fully appreciate the merits of a masterpiece, or that they will get as much out of it as the teacher who has studied it for years. In working with them, it is not wise to keep halting and trying to squeeze the last idea or emotion out of the language. By being extremely analytical and critical in minor parts the pupils lose much of the unity, strength and beauty of the whole.

The college requirements and examinations are responsible for much of the abuse of literature in the high schools. Literature suffers because too much time is given to study about literature. The work smells too much of the laboratory. Even the biography of the author is no more essential to the study and enjoyment of his writings than the biography of the architect or composer is to the enjoyment of a cathedral or a symphony. The authors of some of the best literature in the world are absolutely unknown and yet it lives and we enjoy it. It is well to learn about an author's life and work, but such study should not be confounded with a study of literature.

A third and very important part of the work in English is composition. The prime requisite for good writing is a good subject — one adapted to the writer because he has an interest in it and knows something about it. When one has something to say — is full of his subject — writing is made comparatively easy. Even beginners enjoy it and take pride in the exercise of a new power and in the practice of a new art. But to write upon a subject when one has nothing to say is much like trying to pump water from a dry well—much labor and little to show for it. A more effective plan for wasting time and energy and for discouraging writing could hardly be devised. In no way can the teacher remove as many difficulties and promote as rapid improvement in composition as by the careful assignment of subjects. An excellent subject for one member of a class may be a very poor one for the rest, and few subjects are equally good for all. Generally too many class subjects and too few individual subjects are assigned. Too many subjects are based directly upon the literature being read, and too few upon the life and experience of the pupils themselves. The pupils can easily be led to suggest to the teacher subjects in which they are interested. They may not be abstract or classic themes but they will be subjects about which the pupils have something to say and to which is attached the special interest of proprietorship. It is their own and a part of themselves. Such subjects have the additional advantage of throwing side lights upon the real life and thought of the writer.

Having selected a subject the pupil should think it carefully over and decide how he will develop it. At first it may be well for him to make an outline of the main thought of the several paragraphs, but he should not be required to work upon the outline until the glow of interest in the subject has begun to fade. The prepartion of the outline should serve the triple purpose of kindling interest, of stimulating thought and of setting that thought in orderly arrangement. When he is full of the subject and wants to write, the pupil should write with one precept in mind, which is to try to express his thoughts correctly, clearly, concisely and forcibly.

No effort should be made to get the pupil to imitate in his writing the style of anyone. Style is an individual quality and is acquired by writing and speaking rather than by reading. The individuality of the pupil should be respected. Some teachers persist in recasting compositions apparently because the pupil does not express his thoughts as they would. So long as the writer uses good English and has ideas to express he should not only be allowed but encouraged to express them in his own style. Imitation of style whether in writing or speaking is the acknowledgment of inferiority. Originality is the offspring of individuality and is altogether too rare and too promising a child to be neglected. Everyone may not be able to give new thought to the world, but, if he can present old thought in a new and forceful way, he will secure a hearing. The young writer should be encouraged to be himself and to be natural, simple and direct.

One will never become an easy and finished writer without hard work. It will require both thought and practice. Paragraph writing in which the pupil studies to express a group of closely related thoughts as briefly and clearly as possible is most excellent practice. The emphasis is placed where it belongs upon quality, not upon quantity, and the pupil is willing to revise until he succeeds in producing a well constructed paragraph, conveying his meaning adequately and exactly.

The custom of assigning pupils a subject and requiring them to write immediately a certain number of pages or for a given length of time may have some redeeming features, but it certainly does not encourage good composition. Just why a paragraph of ideas should be scattered through a page of words is not apparent. Easy writing usually proves very tiresome reading. Inspiration is not so common that it comes on call. An inspiration of ideas is the prime need, then the pupil must labor to give them definite and appropriate expression. He should not be satisfied merely to string out a multitude of words in grammatical order under a given subject.

The pupil should share largely in the criticism of the compositions. When a pupil has finished a paper it should be handed to another for examination and criticism according to a definite system of marks. For instance, S may mean incorrect spelling; G, defective grammar; ¶, a new paragraph; ?, a query as to fact or meaning; R, redundant; W, wrong use of a word; etc. The critic makes no corrections but places these characters in colored ink so as to indicate all the defects he is able to discover, then the paper goes back to the writer. If the critic makes mistakes in marking, it is the duty of the writer to defend his composition, otherwise it is his duty to correct it in accordance with the marking. By this method the critic receives no less benefit than the writer for he is held responsible not only for his criticisms but for the errors which escape him.

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Arguments Have Been Made in Prescott-Faxon Case.

Another whole day was consumed at Dedham on Monday in the hearing on the Prescott-Faxon libel suit, although it was thought the morning would suffice.

The plaintiff consumed the time, however, in putting in rebuttal evidence so that it was after 4 o'clock when the court adjourned. At that time, however the evidence was all in, and it was announced that the arguments would be made this morning.

The witness called in rebuttal were Albert Keating, Commissioner Knowlton, James Mahoney, John F. Donovan, James L. Ryan, Councilman Alexander Thompson and Charles L. Prescott.

Mr. Prescott denied in detail the statements made by many of the witnesses for the defence.

Speaker Frothingham.

A goodly number braved the storm last evening and attended the meeting of the Monday evening club at Atlantic. Ralph W. Hobbs, the president presided, and introduced Speaker Frothingham of the House of Representatives who spoke interestingly on "Legislative matters."

An instructive paper on Japan from a military standpoint was read by Mrs Neily. There was also music and a reader. A more extended report will appear later.

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The ministers of the Suffolk South Association will meet with Rev. Edward Chase, their scribe, on Wednesday at 2.30.

Naval Bill Passed.

The National Senate passed the Naval appropriation bill on Monday and it now goes to the President.

DIED.

HAYDEN—In Quincy, March 7, George Winfred, son of Mr. A. Bradford and Mrs. C Annie Hayden, aged 16 years, 2 months. Funeral from late residence 629 Washington street, Wednesday, March 9, at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

BURKE—In Quincy, March 7, Mrs. Margaret, widow of Capt. James Burke, aged 65 years, 5 months. Funeral from late residence 410 Washington street, Thursday, March 10, at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

PACKARD—In East Milton, March 7, Mr. James H. Packard, of Waldeck road, aged 58 years, 10 months.

HAMMATT—In Boston, March 6, Robert Wallace, son of Mr. Edward A. W. and Mrs. Mary L. Hammatt of Hyde Park, aged 16 years, 2 months.

Mortgagee's Sale.

PURSUANT to the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by John Biesty to Joseph A. Harwood, dated April 13th, 1898, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, Lib. 813, Fol. 129, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the premises described in said mortgage, on WEDNESDAY, the thirtieth day of March, 1904, at 12 o'clock, noon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows, to wit:

"A certain parcel of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth aforesaid, and being Lot No. 111, on a plan of house lots on Cranch Hill, drawn by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, dated August, 1897, duly recorded with Norfolk plans, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Whitwell street at the southwesterly corner of lot No. 112 on said plan, and thence running in a northwesterly direction along said Whitwell street, sixty (60) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a northeasterly direction along lot No. 110 on said plan, one hundred and five (105) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a southeasterly direction along lot No. 118 on said plan, sixty (60) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a southwesterly direction, along lot No. 112 on said plan, one hundred and five (105) feet to the point of beginning; containing 6300 square feet, and being the same premises conveyed to me by deed of John Swithin et als, Trustees, dated November 15th, 1897, and duly recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 808, Page 461, and subject to the restrictions therein contained."

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, outstanding tax titles, or assessments, if any, and also subject to said restrictions.

Terms of sale $100.00 cash at sale, and balance in ten days thereafter.

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WILLIAMS WINS.

AGAINST THE EVIDENCE.

Verdicts in Faircloth Cases Could Not be Justified, Says Judge Harris.



CHIEF ENGINEER WILLIAMS.

Judge Harris at Dedham, yesterday, while disposing of the motion for new trial filed in the cases heard before him this term, set aside both verdicts in the Faircloth cases.

In giving his opinion the judge said that the verdicts in the cases against Editor George W. Prescott and Chief Engineer Peter J. Williams could not *be justified* by the evidence.

These are the cases where George F. Faircloth, formerly driver of the steam fire engine, brought suits against Peter J. Williams, chief engineer of the Quincy Fire Department, and George W. Prescott, publisher of the Quincy Daily Ledger, because of the publication of charges brought by the former and printed by the latter.

Chief Williams was acting in his official capacity, the civil service rules require that charges shall be preferred on removal of permanent firemen.

Editor Prescott in publishing the charges made no comments, and was not actuated by any malice or ill will, but considered it his duty to give the news in a public department of the city.

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The Faircloth Case Thrown Out. Disagreement in the Faxon Case

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Fast Game Opens the Local Basket Ball Series.

St. Mary's hall was much too small to hold the crowd that desired to be present Tuesday night to witness the first game of basket ball between the St. Marys and Quincys for the championship of Quincy.

It is estimated that fully 900 were present, and there were two or three hundred who were unable to gain admittance.

It was by far the best game of basket ball ever played in Quincy. Fast play characterized the match from first to last. It was entirely free from slugging and was therefore a good game to witness.

At the end of the first half the score was a tie each team having scored four points.

Up to within ten minutes of the close of the second half Quincy led by a score of 5 to 4. Then the St. Marys took a brace, and by brilliant plays run their score up to 14, while Quincy could not count up over 7.

The game between the two junior teams was not so interesting and was won by the St. Marys by a score of 26 to 5.

The summary of the senior team game was as follows:

ST. MARY'S		QUINCYS.
Morrell, l.f.		l.f., Garey
Donovan, r.f.		r.f., Crowell
Barry, c.		c., Mahoney
Weston, l.b.		l.b., Collins
Mullen (Joyce) r.b.		r.b., Gibson

Score—St. Mary's, 14; Quincys, 7. Goals from floor—Weston, 2; Donovan, 2; Morrell, 2; Mahoney, 2. Goals on fouls—Donovan, 2; Crowell, 2; Carey. Referee—Marshall. Umpire—Barron. Time—20 minute halves. Attendance 900.

Minstrel Show.

Tickets for the minstrel show to be given by the First Church Social Club in the Unitarian chapel on Friday, March 11, at 8 o'clock, may be obtained at the office of L. S. Anderson, 9 Savings Bank Building, between the hours of 8 A. M. to 12 M., and 2 to 5 P. M.

Tickets should be purchased early, as they are selling rapidly and the seating capacity is limited. 9-3t

Enlargement Favored.

The Committee on Public Buildings of the City Council met Monday evening after the Council meeting, and it is understood that they agreed to report on order at the next meeting of the Council for $60,000 to build a wing on the present High School building, according to the Gould plans.

Watches Recovered.

Inspector McKay has recovered the two gold watches stolen from the house of John Weeden on Feb. 25. The two gold chains stolen at the same time have not been recovered. Inspector McKay recovered the property in a Boston pawnshop.

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PROBATE COURT.

Norfolk County Business at Session in Quincy.

Judge Flint held Probate court for Norfolk county at Quincy today and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Catherine G. Kelley, late of Quincy, Mary G. McGrath, executrix; bond $200.

Of Sarah J. F. Carr, late of Quincy, Horace F. Spear and Clarence Burgin, executors; bond $40,000 each.

Of Mary Flaherty, late of Quincy, James F. Flaherty, executor; bond $2400.

Of Calista C. Murray, late of Weymouth, David S. Murray, executor; bond $5000.

Of Joseph Mason, late of Brookline, Lincoln N. Kinincutt and Thomas A. Mason, executors; bond $150,000 each.

Of George R. Wight late of New York, having estate in Norfolk county, Harriet A. B. Wight executor; bond $1000.

Of Edith H. Eustis late of Milton, William E. C. Eustis executor.

Of J. Malcolm Forbes late of Milton, W. Cameron Forbes and Joseph B. Warner executors.

Of Wendell W. Williams late of Quincy, Edward C. Williams executors; bond $9000.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Bridget M. Dunn, on estate of James E. Dunn late of Quincy bond $400.

Mary N. McIntosh, on estate of Gordon McIntosh late of Quincy, bond $5000

George W. Anderson, an estate of Joseph Carr late of Quincy, bond $15000.

Mariamne C. Cormack, on estate of Henrietta M. Cormack, late of Weymouth, bond $6000.

Philander Bates, on estate of Warren Bates late of Cohasset.

Michael W. Coyle and Ellen T. Coyle, on estate of Ellen Coyle late of Weymouth, bond $3000.

George Bowman, on estate of John Wight late of Quincy, bond $2600.

Gideon H. Haskell, on estate of Maria L. Haskell, late of Hyde Park; bond $14,000.

Frederick M. Howard, on estate of Minnie M. Howard, late of Wrentham; bond $1000.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First, second and final of William P. Thompson, guardian of Eva F. Aldrich a minor of Wrentham.

First of John A. Sweetser and Charles D. Miles, executors of will of Charles E. Miles, late of Brookline.

GUARDIANSHIPS.

George H. Field was appointed guardian of Mary, John, Annie and James Flaherty, minors of Quincy.

Bernard Masson and James Byron were appointed guardians of Joseph R. John P., Peter and Mary F. Masson, minors of Stoughton, bond $200.

George W. Cole was appointed guardian of Charles B. Cole, a minor of Milton, bond $800.

Among the hardest workers for the public are the night operators at the central telephone office. Their hours are from seven at night to seven in the morning without intermission, making the longest consecutive hours a man can properly work without sleep. At the time of the severe snow storm which lasted from Saturday morning into Sunday, the operator then in charge at the central took his place at seven in the evening and did not leave until noon of the next day as none of his assistants were able to reach the office. During that Sunday forenoon he had about a hundred people talking to each other at once, but in spite of his dexterity he had to listen to much abuse for not making quicker connections. Every subscriber should remember he or she is not the only person with a claim on the telephone.

☞ Because a bill has been introduced in Congress to increase the pay of the President, the members of the cabinet and the members of Congress some Democratic papers have raised the cry of a raid on the treasury, but the New York World truthfully replies: "If Senator Gallinger's bill becomes a law the next President of the United States will get $75,000 a year. He will receive within $152,775 of the salary of Europe's most poorly paid ruler the King of Denmark. And he will be only $25,000 a year behind the recently elected President of the Rock Island railroad.—Springfield Union.

Leap Year Party.

After the regular meeting of the Loyal Ladies of Clan McGregor held in Clan McGregor hall, Tuesday evening, this order entertained as their guests the Clan McGregor bicycle club.

Some time ago this club visited the Loyal Ladies and presented them with a beautiful granite gavel block, and the ladies in appreciation of this gift, held a leap year party.

At 8.30 o'clock forty of the members of the club were met at the door by the ladies and all marched into the hall amid great applause. Dancing was then in order and during the evening vocal selections were rendered by Mrs. I. Pierce, Mrs. C. Raleigh, Mrs. Alice Nicol, Miss M. Kennedy and Miss Lizzie Marnock; also by the Bicycle Club chorus. Mrs. Lucy Evans favored the company with an Irish reading, entitled "Mrs. Casey and the Summer Hotel," which greatly pleased those present.

During the night's entertainment, coffee, sandwiches, ices, cake and fruit were served by the amusement committee. The merry dancers dispersed at 12 o'clock, everyone greatly pleased and all expressing a desire that the Loyal Ladies again entertain in the same manner at an early date.

Rabbi Fleischer.

Owing to illness and numerous entertainments, Rabbi Fleischer, of Boston, was not greeted with the usual large audience, when he spoke on Tuesday evening in First church chapel, under the auspices of the Women's Alliance. His subject was "Democracy—Our National Religion." While some will not agree with all he said yet the thinker of today cannot but agree with him. So closely connected were all his remarks it is not possible to pick out any one thought and do him justice in a brief sketch. He held the closest attention of his audience and at the close the listeners conveyed their appreciation and endorsement by hearty applause.

Home from the West.

Neil Allen McDonald, has returned to his home, Jackson place, South Quincy, after a six months' visit to the western states. Mr. McDonald visited Seattle, Washington; Vancouver, B. C.; Los Angeles, San Francisco, Fresno, Mederia, Clovis, Raymond and Letcher. From each place he brought costly souvenirs to be distributed among his friends who were much surprised at his home coming, as they did not expect him until the latter part of spring. Mr. McDonald's trip was both enjoyable and beneficial and his friends are delighted to have him in their midst.

Names of Animals.

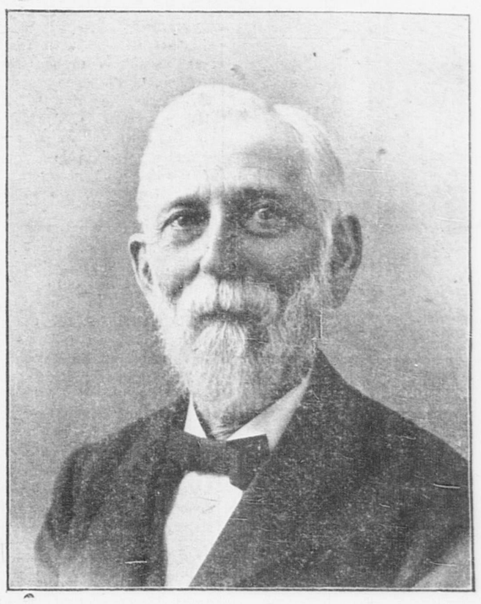
The names for the camel are various, but the oldest seems to be gamal, or the "beast with the hump," which has been thought to be a loan word from Semitic speech, but which has no true Semitic derivation. Another loan word is the name ab, or hab, for the elephant, which occurs in Tamil, in Sanskrit, in Egyptian and in Semitic speech, but which was probably invented in or near India. The names for the horse are all very various, agreeing only in their derivation from roots meaning "to run" or "to be speedy." The taming of the horse seems only to have occurred in a time of early civilization, long after the separation of the various Asiatic stocks.—Scottish Review.

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PRESCOTT LOSES.

JURY 10 TO 2 FOR FAXON.

Said to Have Been So From Start to Finish in the Deliberations.



Henry H. Faxon, Esq., wins the great libel suit of $50,000, in which he was defendant and Charles L. Prescott plaintiff, by a disagreement of the jury.

The case went to the jury at 3.07 P. M. yesterday, and they were out all night. Early this morning they wanted to report a disagreement, but it was not until 10.20 that Judge Harris decided to accept that report and discharged the jury.

On Tuesday the plea of Lawyer Anderson for the plaintiff occupied 1 hour and 17 minutes, the arguments of John W. McAnarney, Esq., for the defendant took 1 hour and 25 minutes, and the charge of Judge Harris, which was very impartial, required 1 hour and 1 minutes.

The jury was out nineteen hours, and is reported to have stood 10 to 2 for Mr. Faxon from first to last.

Whether there will be another trial, remains to be seen, but it is doubtful.

The Daily Ledger received the news of the disagreement from Dedham before 10.30, and was the first to acquaint Mr. Faxon of the good news.

Mr. Faxon was too ill to be congratulated personally, but the verdict cheered him. He had previously been reported as comfortable and improving, and it is the hope of everyone that he will soon be strong again.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 8, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate bill No. 196, of H. S. Dewey, for legislation relative to arrests in minor criminal prosecutions; also Senate bill No. 197, of the Atkinson Furnishing Co. and others for an amendment of the law relative to the sale of furniture made under a written conditional contract of sale; also House bill No. 882, of E. A. Adler, for further legislation relative to public service corporations and their employees; also House bill No. 885, of J. J. Good, for legislation to restrict arrests on mesne process; also Senate bill No. 118, relative to the sale of dangerous weapons to minors, and Senate bill No. 195, of H. S. Dewey, for legislation relative to imposing sentences in criminal cases where exceptions have been alleged or an appeal taken, at room No. 227, State House, on Tuesday, March 15, at 10.30 o'clock A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 9-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 5, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in the following petitions: (House bill No. 757) of William H. Cook, for legislation to prevent danger from fireworks and explosives; (House bill No. 760) of Edward L. McManus for legislation relative to the compensation of attorneys and counsellors at law for legal services in certain instances; (House bill No. 835) of Wallace C. Ransden, for legislation relative to evidence in action for personal injuries and death; (House bill No. 836) of Wallace C. Ransden, for legislation relative to evidence in actions by employees against railroad and railway companies; and (Senate bill No. 192) of Dennis F. O'Connell, for legislation to provide for licensing slot machines; at room No. 227, State House, on Friday, March 11th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. A. M. TAFT, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 8-2t

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Drift of Opinion.

The "Tiser refers to 'Massachusetts' Gibraltar," with the statement that Nahant is to be "Impregnably fortified." For some years there has been a general opinion that Nahant was already a veritable Gibralter, and its distinguished citizen was intrenched behind impregnable fortifications. What's the need of anything more?—Haverhill Gazette.

Monday was the anniversary of Daniel Webster's great 7th of March speech. It was generally regarded as a sacrifice of principle to policy, and he was accused of tuckling to the south to obtain its support for the Presidency. It aroused great indignation in the North, especially in Massachusetts, and Mr. Webster never regained the prestige he lost. The compromises which he accepted put off the conflict that was bound to come, where two such varying systems as slavery and freedom were envolved, but they did not settle the momentous question. He made the mistake of nationalizing slavery where he should have made freedom universal. If he thought that his cource would draw the South to him he was disappointed, for subsequent history amply proves that no compromise would ever satisfy that section, and only by the fierce judgment of war could slavery be destroyed. —Lynn Item.

WILD LIFE OBSERVATION.

Most of Us See Either More or Less Than the Truth.

Good observers are probably about as rare as good poets. Accurate seeing, an eye that takes in the whole truth and nothing but the truth—how rare indeed it is! So few persons know or can tell exactly what they see; so few persons can draw a right inference from an observed fact; so few persons can keep from reading their own thoughts and preconceptions into what they see. Only a person with the scientific habit of mind can be trusted to report things as they are. Most of us in observing the wild life about us see more or see less of the truth. We see less when our minds are dull or preoccupied or blunted by want of interest. This is true of most country people. We see more when we read the lives of the wild creatures about us in the light of our human experience and impute to the birds and beasts human motives and methods. This is too often true of the eager city man or woman who sallies out into the country to study nature.

The tendency to sentimentalize nature has in our time largely taken the place of the old tendency to demonize and spiritize. It is anthropomorphism in another form, less fraught with evil to us, but equally in the way of a clear understanding of the life about us.—John Burroughs in Century.

Burns as a Musician.

A very large number of Burns' immortal songs were written to match music that was already popular. Speaking of such composition, he says himself. "To sough the tune over and over is the readiest way to catch the inspiration and raise the bard into that glorious enthusiasm so strongly characteristic of our Scotch poetry."

On another occasion he refused to write for an unfamiliar air, saying that until he was master of a tune he never could compose for it. A recent writer has shown that Burns was far more of a practical musician than is generally supposed. He was familiar with hundreds of Scottish national airs, and his letters to his publishers often contained precise instructions on purely musical details.

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HE NAMES FIVE OTHERS

Admits That Smoot Knew That His Associate Apostles Had Plurality of Wives--Answers Not Liked by His Adherents

Washington, March 9.—The senate committee on privileges and elections, in the investigation of the protests against Senator Smoot, brought out a variety of testimony of which the most sensational was that given by Francis M. Lyman, president of the 12 apostles of the Mormon church, and the man chosen to be the successor of President Smith. His admissions were similar to those previously made by Mr. Smith pertaining to the church government. He is more free of speech than the president of the church and his testimony, though not materially differing, caused several of the apostles present to shake their heads at the witness for the purpose of compelling more discretion in answering questions. Mr. Lyman is angularly built; his face is covered with a growth of bushy, red whiskers, and his speech is blunt.

"Are you a polygamist?" Mr. Tayler asked, and Lyman replied frankly, "Yes."

He said that he had had three wives and that of them two are still living. By his second wife, to whom he was married in 1884, he had had five children, the last being born in 1900. Mr. Lyman said he had been one of the signers of the prayer for amnesty, pledging himself to all that it contained. He did not, however, recall just what it did contain.

"Did you think it would be right to abstain from polygamous cohabitation?" This was not answered directly at the time. Several questions by members of the committee followed in rapid succession and Lyman admitted in response to them that he knew that in living in polygamy he was disobeying both the law of the land and the rule of the church. He also said in reply to one of these questions that he was not only living in polygamous cohabitation, but that he expected to continue so to live.

Mr. Lyman said he became an apostle in 1880, and that Smoot became an apostle in1900. He said Smoot had never reproved him for living in polygamy either in public or in the apostolic meetings.

"If I am thought worthy I will succeed to the presidency of the Mormon church if I survive President Smith," said Lyman in answer to a question. Mr. Lyman said that he is the presiding officer of the 12 apostles. The names of John H. Smith, George Teasdale, Heber J. Grant, John W. Taylor and Mr. Merrill were given as apostles who are conceded to be polygamists.

"Senator Smoot has attended the meetings of the apostles," said Lyman, "and has taken part in the exercises at the weekly meetings." The witness said he had never introduced any of his wives to Smoot.

Senator Pettus inquired concerning the authority given to Smoot to become a candidate for senator and Lyman said consent, under a rule of the church, must have been given by President Smith.

"Did Senator Smoot know you were living with plural wives?" was asked.

Mr. Lyman answered that Smoot did not know, as he never had met any one of his wives. He said that the people in general in Utah knew, but that he did not think Smoot had any knowledge of the fact.

Chairman Burrows insisted on knowing, if the people of Utah knew in regard to his life, why Smoot could not know just as well. The witness responded several times that the people must have known, but that Smoot did not, whereupon Mr. Hoar demanded to know what the witness meant by such answers. The witness then said that Smoot probably knew just as much about the question as the people in general.

After much effort a statement was obtained from the witness that he thought Smoot was acquainted with the general reputation and accepted report that Lyman was living in polygamous cohabitation with his wives.

Chairman Burrows asked Mr. Lyman in regard to the reorganized church of Latter Day Saints, at Lamoni, Ia., of which a son of Joseph Smith, the prophet, is the head, and Lyman gave his ideas of the differences between the two organizations. He was asked if the reorganized church did not denounce polygamy and answered, "they denounce it so hard that it almost provokes us to defend it."

Senator Dubois asked if the reorganized church teaches absolute obedience to its leaders and was informed by Lyman that he understood the church was not very strenuous in that regard.

Toward the close of Lyman's testimony Counsel Tayler said that it had been shown one of the religions was composed of peaceable, law-abiding citizens, while the other is a menace to society and good government, and that "in the latter Senator Smoot is so woven into the organization that we hold he cannot be extricated without cutting himself entirely."

Four witnesses were on the stand during the day. They were Mrs. Kennedy, her mother, Mrs. Matthews, Charles Merrill, the son of Apostle Merrill, and Lyman.

MURDER AT TAUNTON

Greeks In Fatal Dispute In Presence of Their Sisters

Taunton, Mass., March 9.—Pantelis Calzritinos shot and killed Constantine Clipouras, his most intimate friend, following a dispute last night. Calzritinos escaped. Both men are Greeks and mill employes.

Both men were employed at the Whittenton mills and occupied rooms in the third floor of one of the nearby tenements at Whittenton, each having a sister to keep house for them. From what the police could gather from sisters of the two men the men had been out during the early part of the evening and returned about 8 o'clock. The women could not say what was the cause of the dispute. All that they knew was that Calzritinos shot his friend and then ran out of the house. Clipouras staggered into the adjoining room and fell dead on the floor.

The women were so dazed and frightened that they failed to notify anyone for two hours, and it was some time after that before the police could obtain the name and a description of the fugitive.

Injunction Against Strikers

Providence, March 9.—The supreme court has granted a preliminary injunction against the strikers at the Dunn Worsted mills in Woonsocket, restraining them from picketing near the factories of the company or attempting to induce workmen to leave their positions. The injunction will stand until a final hearing on the bill. The strike begun six weeks ago because of the introduction of the two-loom system on mercerized goods. Disorders of various sorts have resulted every time the strike-breakers appeared outside of the mill gates.

Large Gift to Episcopalians

Cambridge, Mass., March 9.—The will of Mary S. Walker of Waltham, in which provision was made for the erection of a bishop's church or Episcopal cathedral in Boston and real and personal property to the value of $1,150,000 was disposed of, was allowed in the Middlesex probate court by Judge McIntire. The will and four codicils were presented by E. R. Morse, who was named as executor.

Insurance Company Enjoined

Boston, March 9.—A temporary injunction has been issued by the supreme court of Massachusetts restraining the Atlas Mutual Fire Insurance company of Boston from carrying on business, pending a hearing Friday. It is alleged that many losses incurred at the Baltimore and Rochester fires have left the company in such a condition as to require the intervention of the state.

Fishermen's Great Luck

Boston, March 9.—The Mooanam, from the banks, has one of the largest fares and holds the record for bringing the biggest quantity of cod that has come in on any single vessel in a long time. She has 42,000 pounds of that fish, as well as 8000 haddock. She left here last Friday and secured her catch with one day's fishing. The skipper and crew stand to share $2800.

A Much-Abused Man

Cambridge, Mass., March 9.—Frederick T. Waugh has filed a suit for divorce against his wife, Annie R., of Cambridge. They were married May 24, 1892. He claims that she often beat him, had bitten him, locked him in a room, and had attempted to throw him out of a window. He also says that she attempted to choke him and tore his clothing.

Vermont Railroad Smashup

Northfield, Vt., March 9.—A wild engine on the Central Vermont railroad crashed into a freight in the fog at West Berlin. Frank Garland, a brakeman, was killed and several other trainmen were injured. The impact was so great that one locomotive telescoped the other, both being partly destroyed. A number of cars left the rails.

The Clinton Worsted Failure

Boston, March 9.—Some 100 creditors of the Clinton Worsted company of Clinton met here to discuss the affairs of the company and hear the report of the assignees, whose statement showed a total of $163,794 due to creditors. It was decided to keep the mill in operation until the next meeting of the creditors, at least.

The Hub Printers' Strike

Boston, March 9.—A joint conference between a committee of the Boston Typothetae and representatives of the Typographical union was held here looking to a common ground of settlement of the strike of the book and job compositors, but no definite result was reached. The meeting will be continued.

Paper Mill Resumes Operations

Madison, Me., March 9.—The Great Northern Paper mill, one of the largest in the country, has started up. The company has had much difficulty all winter in getting enough logs for pulp, and three weeks ago the supply ran out, necessitating laying off all the men employed in the mill.

Pugilist Becomes Insane

Somerville, Mass., March 9.—Joseph Robbins of Worcester, who, under the name of "Kid Wright," has engaged in several wrestling bouts, became violently insane at the home of his aunt in this city. With some difficulty Robbins was overpowered and removed to the police station.

Spring Freshet Threatened

Manchester, N. H., March 9.—The Merrimac river rose nine inches in the 24 hours ending at midnight and is still rising. A great amount of snow and ice has accumulated on the banks of the Merrimac and much higher water is invitable.

CITY BREVITIES.

Spring begins March 21, a week from next Monday.

The days will get the best of the nights next week.

Collectors have been sent out drumming up delinquent taxpayers.

It seems good to be able to walk on bare ground and sidewalks once more.

Officers will be elected at the next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club.

Arthur MacDonald of Pray street is confined to the house with rheumatic fever.

Frank Hanson of Providence, R. I., is the guest of his parents, on Hancock street.

The Ladies' Aid society will give a whist party in G. A. R. hall this evening.

The street railway have begun to run feed wires from the new power station to Brockton.

The flood on the School street sidewalk has subsided since the ice in the gutter was cut out.

Quite a number went to Dedham Tuesday to hear the arguments in the Prescott-Faxon case.

Town and Furnace brooks overflowed their banks Tuesday, but this morning the water had subsided.

The mild weather has resulted in the granite cutting sheds starting up again, and the business will boom from now on.

Thursday evening at 8 the Y. P. S. C. E. social will be held at the home of Mrs. George Thomas, 28 Newton street, Wollaston.

Miss Mabel E. Stone of the Maine State normal school at Gorham is a guest of Councilman and Mrs. Stone.

Sleighs have been put away and probably there will be no further occasion to use them until next winter; perhaps not then.

G. S. Hallowell, of the Bay Side kennels, left Monday with seven dogs for Chicago, which he will enter in the dog show in that city.

Miss Eleanora Bateman left Tuesday for her home in Providence, R. I., after a pleasant visit with Mrs. George K. Carter of Charles street.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Pratt and two children have gone to Meadville, Penn., to attend the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Cary.

The rain and warm sun this week has gullied badly the ice in the streets. Drivers have to be careful or axles will be sprained and horses legs broken.

Five hundred more votes would have put Conductor Craig in heavy type in the Herald's World's Fair contest Tuesday. He is number six with 23,179 votes.

The cars on the East Weymouth line commenced Tuesday night to run up Depot street again, much to the delight of passengers who have had to walk from the square all winter.

The family church social will be held in the vestries of the Wollaston Congregational church on Thursday evening. Supper will be served at half-past six. Entertainment—"Who's who, and what's what?

The gate in the centre of Hancock street over Butlers brook, which has been frozen up all winter, has been opened up, and the water that has accumulated there every time it rained is now taken care of.

The water from Presidents hill has been running with such force a gang of the city's workmen were busy Tuesday making channels into the gutters. The hill drains so quickly its streets and sidewalks are usually the first to settle and dry.

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THREAT FULFILLED

Mob Applies Torch to Negro District of Springfield, O.

SHERIFF GETS WARNING

Negroes Threaten to Dynamite Jail In Revenge For Lynching --Citizens Anxiously Awaiting Arrival of Troops

Springfield, O., March 9.—Threats throughout the day and last night to burn the levee, the negro district of the city, confirmed Mayor Bowlus in his belief that more trouble was brewing and he asked Governor Herrick for troops. Two companies have been promised to reinforce the two local companies.

Late last night a crowd of about 2000 men assembled along the railroad tracks. Two hundred negroes were clustered together in the levee district near the place called Honky Tonk. The negroes were quiet, while the other crowd was boisterous. During the afternoon threats were heard that the levee would be burned, the negroes being determined to avenge the lynching of Dixon.

At 11:20 o'clock the threat of the mob was finally made good, and a volume of flame was seen to shoot up from the rear of a place occupied by Lee Thomas, a saloonkeeper. Preceding the firing of the building the mob, at a distance of 100 feet, shot at the front of the building for half an hour, but it is not known whether any of the occupants had remained in the building, and if they did, whether any fatalities resulted from the shooting.

The fire spread both ways from Thomas' place. The mob would not tolerate any effort of the department to put out the fire in the levee district, but offered no resistance in the attempts to confine the fire to the buildings along Washington street, known as the levee. These buildings are delapidated frame structures, ranging from one to three stories. They are for the most part saloons, dwelling and small rooming houses.

It is understood that the negroes are highly incensed at Sheriff Routzahn for not using greater force in protecting Dixon. Sheriff Routzahn had been warned that the instant the torch was applied in Washington street he had better remove his family from the jail, as that institution was to be immediately dynamited.

While the eastern portion of the levee is doomed, it is thought that the department will be able to confine the conflagration to the region east of Spring street.

Members of the mob openly declare that when their work in the eastern levee district is completed they will transfer their efforts to that portion west of the Big Four station and the Arcade hotel. This portion of West Washington street is also known as the levee and the buildings are similar to those in the eastern portion.

Among the places in the west levee district are a number that are resorts for negroes, and in one of them Dixon shot Collis.

The arrival of the out-of-town militia alone can save these places, and a trainload of troops from several towns between here and Cincinnati are anxiously awaited. Apparently the negroes all over the city are becoming intimidated and their boasts made in the earlier part of the evening are no longer heard. Mayor Bowlus is in constant communication with Governor Herrick, the latter fully realizing the importance of the situation.

Troops Are Ordered Out

Columbus, O., March 9.—Upon urgent representations from Mayor Bowlus of Springfield that a race war is imminent, as a result of the lynching of Dixon, Governor Herrick last night ordered eight companies of state militia to that city to preserve order. Adjutant General Crutchfield at once arranged for the mobilization of the troops. Besides the two companies at Springfield, companies at Urbana, Dayton, Xenia, Miamisburg and Piqua were called out.

Governor Herrick's first order to Mayor Bowlus was to issue a proclamation ordering the closing of all saloons. Next he ordered the colored members of Company A, Ninth battalion, to rest on the arms in the armory and see that none of the guns were stolen.

Troops Protect Texas Negroes

Houston, March 9.—As the result of the shooting of C. H. Lee, and his son, James Lee, the military company at Thompson was last night ordered to Wragley to protect Richard Smith and Richard Merife, two negroes, charged with the shooting. The kinsmen of the Lees are gathering there from all the surrounding country. The people at Wragley are about evenly divided between whites and negroes.

Three Years For Counterfeiters

Boston, March 9.—Judge Aldrich of the United States circuit court sentenced Benjamin Farber and Harry Stein, accused of counterfeiting, to the reformatory at Concord for three years. They were part of the gang arrested at Revere, and were arrested in New York.

Two Cabinet Officers Sick

Washington, March 9.—Postmaster General Payne has been detained at home for several days by a severe attack of gout. Secretary Wilson is confined to his home with the grip.

SEA FIGHT IMMINENT

Russian Squadron Has but One Harbor Available

St. Petersburg, March 9.—The whereabouts of Captain Reitzenstein's Vladivostok squadron is carefully guarded by the military authorities, but there is a strong impression here that when the seven Japanese warships appeared off the harbor Sunday and Monday the Russian squadron was outside, perhaps down the coast, co-operating with the Russian land force near the mouth of the Tumen river.

If the Russians were outside and the Japanese definitely ascertained that fact, a big sea fight is probably imminent, as it is considered certain that the Japanese in that case will lie on and off Vladivostok, to prevent the Russians return, giving battle if the Russians are caught in the open sea. All the harbors along the coast in which the Russians might seek refuge are frozen and the squadron must eventually be forced to return to Vladivostok for coal.

Although the Japanese squadron is superior in numbers and guns, consisting of a battleship and four armored cruisers and two unarmored cruisers, the four armored cruisers under Captain Reitzenstein are among the finest vessels in the Russian navy, constituting as sister ships a homogenous fighting unit, and experts here are not certain that they could not take the measure of Rear Admiral Uriu's ships.

Chinese May Fight Russians

London, March 9.—The question of Chinese bandits has become so serious that in all probability the Chinese troops will soon be fighting the Russians. The bandits, who are numerous and well armed, are really beyond the control of the Chinese government, but Russia threatens to hold the latter responsible. It is generally believed that a large proportion of the Chinese troops wish to side with the bandits and fight Russia.

A Warning From Russia

Pekin, March 9.—M. Lessar, the Russian minister at Pekin, has notified the Chinese government that unless it puts a stop to the depredations of mounted bandits who are cutting telegraph lines and destroying railway property in Manchuria the declaration of the neutrality of China will be nullified.

Makaroff Assumes Command

Port Arthur, March 9.—Vice Admiral Makaroff, who takes command of the Russian Pacific fleet, arrived here last evening and hoisted his flag on the cruiser Askold. He was given a triumphant reception by the people. He has already inspected Port Dalny and Talienwan.

Japan May Borrow Abroad

Tokio, March 9.—The Japanese government, it is said, is considering the advisability of seeking to secure immediately a loan in America and Europe. Although it is estimated that enough bonds can be sold at home to provide sufficient money to prosecute the war for at least a year and a half, and although many Japanese statesmen and financiers believe that Japan is capable of waging war to a conclusion without borrowing a single cent abroad and have, in a spirit of national pride, counselled that no foreign loan be sought, yet it is felt that there may arise in a year or two a contingency when money may be seriously needed. It is thought that it would be better to place a loan now, if possible, rather than attempt to do so in a future crisis when money may be badly needed.

Moving From Vladivostok

Vladivostok, March 9.—The military commandant here has ordered all foreigners to have their passports vized by the local government and commercial agents of their respective countries. Most of the residents of Vladivostok are sending their families into the interior. The prices of foodstuffs are becoming exorbitant.

Nurses For Japanese Army

Seattle, March 9.—Forty American nurses in charge of Dr. Anita N. McGee, president of the Spanish-American War Nurses' association, sailed from here last evening for Japan. Upon arrival in Japan, they expect to be assigned to duty with one of the divisions of the Japanese army.

Russia Withdraws From Fair

St. Louis, March 9.—The framework for the Russian national pavilion at the World's fair was torn down on receipt of a cablegram from St. Petersburg by Contractor LeCouer, who has been in charge of the work. Work on the framework of the pavilion was well under way. The cablegram was from the department of the interior, briefly ordering such work as had been completed to be torn down.

Bank Cashier Admits Forgery

New York, March 9.—Charles F. Broach, former cashier of the Equitable National bank, pleaded guilty to forgery in the second degree and was held until Friday for sentence. Broach raised a certificate of stock in the bank from one share to 90 and hypothecated it with an official of the Northport National bank.

Cruiser's Boiler Tube Burst

Algiers, March 9.—The French cruiser D'Assas burst a boiler tube as she was starting for the far east in company with four torpedo boat destroyers. Four men were severely scalded and the cruiser was obliged to return to port.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Thursday, March 10.
Sun rises—6:06; sets—5:45.
Moon rises—2 a. m.
High water—6 a. m.; 6:30 p. m.

The eastern storm has moved slowly northeastward to the Canadian maritime provinces and is passing off to sea. Fair and warmer weather is indicated for New England.

LOUIS XVI. EFFECTS.

Pompadour Silks, Ruched Trimmings and Tiny Flower Trimmings.

Evening gowns are becoming more and more elaborate, and many of them show marked Louis XVI. effects. This is shown in the long pointed girdles, the sleeves with wide ruffles and the wide skirts with their festooned ruching. A very up to date model recently seen in the workshop of a great dressmaker had a shirred and corded waist with a wide pointed girdle and elbow sleeves, plentifully ruched and ruffled. The skirt was gathered in very full all around the waistband, and it was trimmed at the bottom with rows of ruching. The material was a beautiful pompadour silk in a blurred design.

Roses and their buds made of chiffon adorn many a pink chiffon dancing frock, and these pretty trimmings can be bought by the yard and detached. Velvet ribbon threaded through coarse lace is another dainty trimming, and so are medallions of lace appliqued at intervals on flowered ribbon.

Ruchings, however, are far and away



GOWN OF WHITE TULLE.

the most popular, and they are particularly handsome made of chiffon or brussels net.

Spangled robes are "in" once more, and these are made up with the addition of lace or chiffon.

The long, voluminous hanging sleeves are a feature of every evening gown. They are often accordion plaited and edged with a tiny ruching.

The hair dressed low, with a big black velvet bow, is an evening style greatly in favor among red haired and blond women.

A most becoming white stock is adorned with violets composed of French knots, the neckband fastened with three tiny buttons, revealing a touch of pale blue, while the short stole ends are adorned with chiffon violets.

The picture shows an evening gown of white tulle over white silk, trimmed with a pink sash and tiny pink roses.

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An Oversight.

"Why does Mrs. Clubwoman look so sad?"

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Addendum.

Kwoter—He thinks he's still youthful. Well, you know the old saying, "There's no fool like an old fool."

Newitt—Yes, and when an old fool dyes his whiskers there's nobody fooled but the old fool.—Philadelphia Press.

He Knew the Distance.

Asked how far off he thought heaven was, the old colored brother replied, "Hit ain't no furder dan I kin fly ef I got faith enough ter git de wings en de devil don't set fire ter 'em on de way!"—Atlanta Constitution.

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M'CARREN WILL LEAD

Announcement of Head of King's County Democracy

New York, March 9.—The executive committee of the Democratic organization of Kings county adopted unanimously last night a resolution sustaining Senator McCarren "in his efforts to preserve the political independence and autonomy of Brooklyn." McCarren, in his speech before the committee, said that Kings county would not tolerate interference with its internal affairs. He was there, he said, to notify the executive committee, the county committee and the Democratic committee that he was going to lead, and if anybody did not want him under such circumstances he was ready to lay down the commission he had received.

Mr. Murphy had told him, McCarren said, that he believed Mr. Cleveland to be the strongest candidate that the Democracy could put forward, but that for his own part he believed that Judge Parker should be the candidate.

Miraculous Escape From Death

Baltimore, March 9.—While removing damaged goods from a cellar in the burned district Daniel McGuire and Robert Byrnes were buried under tons of brick from a wall which collapsed without warning. After an hour's hard work, the laborers were reached, their lives having been saved by a large wire screen which had fallen over them in such a way as to partially protect them from the pressure of the great mass above. Both had their right legs broken and were badly bruised, but the physicians say both will recover.

Swayne Impeachment Case

Washington, March 9.—The sub-committee of the house committee on judiciary in charge of the impeachment proceedings against Judge Swayne of Florida heard the judge in his own behalf. He specifically denied the charge that he was not a resident of the district in which he held court and stated that the charges against him were caused by personal animosity. Judge Liddon, representing the prosecution, declared that Swayne had only acquired a residence in Florida since the charges were filed.

Bank Charges Fraud

New York, March 9.—Joseph A. Farley, a real estate broker and builder, was held in $10,000 bail for examination on a charge of having fraudulently obtained $20,000 from the Fifth National bank. Cashier Thompson of the bank alleges that Farley obtained a loan from the bank for $20,000, giving as security commercial paper which, the bank found, when Farley subsequently made an assignment, to be practically worthless. Bail was furnished.

Libel Charge Against Doctor

Mobile, Ala., March 9.—Dr. Lindsey, president of the International Quarantine association, has arrived from Havana to stand trial on an indictment charging criminal libel. Dr. Lindsey charged members of the quarantine board of Mobile bay with using their office for personal gain by overcharging for the fumigation and disinfection of vessels from infected yellow fever ports. Dr. Lindsey says he will fight the case in the courts.

Hobson vs Bankhead

Montgomery, Ala., March 9.—At a meeting of the state executive committee of the Democratic and Conservative party of Alabama, action was taken permitting the name of Richmond P. Hobson to appear on the official ballot for the primary of April 11. Hobson will oppose Congressman Bankhead. Hobson is not a registered voter of Alabama, not having had opportunity to register under the temporary plan.

Strike Sentiment Disappearing

Pittsburg, March 9.—The Pittsburg district delegates to the joint convention of coal miners and operators at Indianapolis have returned home. They express themselves as opposed to a strike at this time. A number of the leaders here express themselves as confident that the miners in western Pennsylvania and Ohio will be able to overcome the strike vote in the other states.

Took Morphine and Chloral

New York, March 9.—The police and coroner have dropped the investigation into the death at Roosevelt hospital of Miss Anna M. Strahan, formerly a nurse at the Manhattan eye and ear infirmary, being satisfied that her death was due to the accidental taking of an overdose of morphine and chloral.

Anxiety Over Missing Steamer

Halifax, March 9.—Some anxiety is felt here for the safety of the steamer Pro Patria, from St. Pierre, Miq., for Halifax. The steamer is now a week overdue. She has a large number of passengers aboard and carries a crew of 20 men.

Cripple Creek Miners Freed

Cripple Creek, Col., March 9.—All cases against the union miners charged with different train derailings, the Vindicator mine disaster and other offences have been nolled on the request of District Attorney Trowbridge.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The Servian government intends to open a consulate general in the United States, probably at New York, with the view of increasing and facilitating Servian trade with the United States.

Joseph Lugbeil of California has been appointed interpreter in connection with the American commercial agency at Vladivostok.

The upper house of the Newfoundland legislature, under suspended rules, unanimously passed the French shore modus vivendi bill through all its stages.

Colonel W. A. McIntosh, general counsel of the Postal Telegraph company, died while on his vacation in Jamaica. He lived in Atlanta, Ga.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

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r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
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For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A. M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

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New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearing.
Wanted—Girl for general housework.
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NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Walter M. Hatch is a sufferer with the grip.

Many are looking forward to the lecture to be given at the Quincy Point church tonight.

It is rumored that Judge Emmons will speak at the Point church sometime in the near future.

The meeting of Bethany Brotherhood to have been held this week was postponed to next Tuesday evening.

Some parties are putting up a small building on the lot owned by M. E. Wight, at the corner of Winter and East Howard streets.

A few more tickets for the Social club minstrels may be obtained from L. S. Anderson, at his office in the Savings Bank building.

The house, owned by M. Tookhmanian, on 91 Walker street which was recently damaged by fire, is under carpenters' skilful hands and will soon be ready for occupancy.

James Moorhead has the reputation of being a good bowler but he was beaten this morning when the wind took his felt hat and sent it bowling down the street through several puddles of water. Jim tried to make a ten strike and catch it on the fly, but he did not even make a spare.

Inspector McKay during the past few weeks has recovered 25 bush hammers from Boston pawnshops. Of this number but seven have been reported as lost. There have been so many stone cutters out of work this winter that many who have probable lost hammers have not discovered their losses as yet.

The monthly business meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. of Quincy Poins church was held Tuesday evening at the close of the regular weekly prayer-meeting. At that meeting it was voted to give a sum of money to the American Bible Society. Rev. Leon H. Austin spoke briefly on the great work of the Bible Society.

Among those taking part in the competitive cake walk at the minstrel show Friday evening, are Mr. Sidney Carr and Miss Louie Lane; Mr. Alan Arnold and Miss Abigail Waldron; Mr. Thorpe Babcock and Miss Mollie Rogers; and Mr. Robert Hardwick and Miss Grace Spear. The competitors are all under the tutelege of Mr. C. A. Howland, Jr.

When Journeying West.

Consult copy of "Westbound" issued by A. S. Hanson, Gen. Passenger Agent, Boston. It gives detailed schedules and train service via. New York Central Lines—the standard highway of travel to the St. Louis Exposition.

—William Dudley Foulke, who recently retired from the civil service commission, favors the requirement that all classified-service employes of the United States government on entering office shall take out a deferred annuity, to become available only when they cease to draw salaries. In other words, he believes that they should be compelled to pension themselves, as the thrifty man does, by regularly saving and investing part of his salary, to sustain him when he is disabled by old age.—Somerville Journal.

DOCTRINES.

The Wollaston Unitarian Club Listen to Essentials of Two Faiths.

Methodist and Baptist Clergymen Address Them.

Another of those good fellowship meetings of the Wollaston Unitarian club was held Tuesday evening in the vestry of the church, and the club is fast coming to the belief, as one of the speakers said, that all denominations have incorporated all the good in the others.

It was an evening of substitution, as President Hatch and Rev. F. W. Pratt were absent, and also the two advertised speakers, but their places were ably taken.

First came a hot roast beef supper of the usual high order.

The guests of the evening were Rev. Dr. E. J. Helmes of the Morgan Memorial church of Boston, Rev. Dr. L. B. Thomas of the Stoughton Street Baptist church of Dorchester, Rev. E. D. Webber of the Wollaston Baptist church, Rev. W. J. Heath of the Wollaston M. E. church, and Rabbi Samuel Hirsehberg.

Vice President H. J. Gurney presided at the after dinner speaking. He first read a letter of regrets from President Hatch who is ill with the grip.

Messrs. F. E. Parlin, J. Q. Litchfield and W. J. Wellington were appointed a committee on nominations for the annual meeting.

Both the advertised speakers were unavoidably absent and Rev. E. J. Helmes was introduced to speak on the essentials of faith of the Methodist church.

Dr. Helmes feared he might be regarded by some as a heretic as he was a Methodist clergyman and for eight years had preached in a Unitarian church. But it was a memorial church and the benefactor had stipulated that a Methodist must preach.

He said the founder of Methodism was born an Episcopalian and died an Episcopalian. He tried hard to keep his followers in that church but there came a separation. Methodists were indebted to John Wesley for their 25 articles of faith, which had dropped and changed the 39 of the Episcopalians.

The basis of the articles was the holy scriptures. We believe in the trinity not mathematical but metaphysical. We believe there is redemption for all. The holy ghost has a large part. With the holy spirit comes a new birth. Methodists believe they are assured positively that we can know God. The doctrine of christian perfection is christian perfection, not divine perfection, which the speaker explained.

Relative to future rewards and punishments it used to be thought that there was very little hope for other denominations, but times have changed. I believe there is a final permanancy of character.

With a tribute to Rev. Dr. Heath, as better able to have given the exposition Dr. Helmes closed.

Dr. Thomas who spoke for the Baptists, at short notice, said he adopted most all that was said for the Methodists but with some changes. He admitted it was very hard to tell where lines could be drawn between the denominations today, as all denominations had adopted the good things of each.

But, seriously, we are enjoying the fruits of the labors of others. Truth is a definite thing, and it is the duty of every man to find the absolute truth.

The Baptist denomination leans to predestination. On the other hand there is a freedom for individuals which is absolute. The Baptist church emphasizes individuality. It gives strength of character.

This was sometimes called by outsiders stubbornness, but we are taught to stand for ourselves, think for ourselves and act for ourselves. There is no national Baptist church; just the local church, a democracy. No outside control of the local church. Each church has its leaders, and the people lean on them.

The study of the Bible is for one's self. We don't emphasize a doctrinal belief. We have no rules of discipline. Baptism is merely a saving ordinance. We don't emphasize baptism as years ago. It is regarded now as an act of obedience to one's belief. We believe in conversion and that that is the proper time for baptism.

We believe in the whole Bible, the open Bible, just as it stands. But we must understand the circumstances under which each book is written.

We are charged with bigotry because of close communion. But we are glad to have all present at communion. According to our believe however we would not as a church invite all denominations.

Dr. Thomas touched on the subject, why I am a Baptist, the law of decay, and closed with a tribute to Roger Williams.

By request Dr. Heath and Rev. L. D. Webber spoke briefly. President Gurney thanked the speakers and upon motion of F. E. Parlin a rising vote of thanks was extended.

GREAT IN FAITH.

Eulogy Pronounced at Funeral of the Rev. John J. Garrity.

The Ledger takes pleasure in publishing in full the eulogy delivered by Rev. Ambrose F. Roche at the funeral of Rev. John J. Garrity, Mar. 5, 1904:

Right Rev. ; and Rev. Clergy beloved brethern and the laity:

Personally and humanely speaking this occasion to me is very sad.

It recalls to memory the last rites of the church given to my uncle Fr. James Sullivan who died here as a pastor of this parish.

It reminds me also of the death a few months ago of my friend and benefactor Fr. Francis, whose tender heart and noble qualities are best appreciated by those who knew him before a long and continuously painful illness had rendered it impossible to labor among them as he desired, and now I am called to mourn the loss of one whose personal friendship and esteem were very dear to me for almost thirty years.

The sad solemnity of this occasion, the mournful chant of clergy and choir, the sombre vestments of the officiating priests, the presence of the aged father of the loving brothers and sisters of our dear friend, of this vast congregation of sincere mourners, all these give a tone of intense bereavement and force from us the words of the Psalmist: "Out of the depths of our affliction, we cry to thee O Lord! Lord! Hear our prayer."

And then almost as a rebuke to our human weakness sound the noble words of St. Paul to Thessalonians which were sung in the Mass I would not have you remindful, brethern concerning those who sleep that you be not sorrowful like those who have no hope for if we believe that Jesus died, and rose again even so those who have slept in Jesus, God will bring with Him, wherefore comfort ye one another with these words:" And then from the comrades of his youth, from his college and seminary companions from the little children of the schools he loved, from the poor from the sick and dying, yea! even from beyond the grave, from those who through his priestly zeal are now enjoying God's beatific vision, comes the grand song of triumph over our human sorrow." Behold a great priest one who in his life was pleasing to God and who was of proven justice."

And, although ecclesiastical honors and dignities are invariably conferred for extraordinary worthiness on the part of the recipient, it must be evident to all, that in the rank and file of the Catholic clergy, there are numerous examples of true sacredotal greatness among the younger as well as among the older priests. Many such as these are within this diocese, many within this sanctuary whose splendid faith and nobility of life are the glory of the priesthood; the pride and admiration of the older clergy, as well as a source of joy and benediction to the laity.

Surely "Fr. Garrity was one of these." He was great in his profound faith in the doctrines of the church. He believed in the word of Jesus Christ when He said: "Go forth and teach all nations and I am with you to the end of the world." He believed that our Lord, true to his promise, had sent "the Spirit of Truth" to His church, that spirit which teaches it all truth and remains with it forever.

So great a faith produces an intelligent love for God, for holy places and for holy things. So that in every truth he could say: "Lord I have loved the beauty of thy house, and the place of thy indwelling."

He believed and loved the words of Jesus, "You have not chosen me but I have chosen you, and placed you to go into the world and bring forth the fruits of salvation to men, and that your fruitful labors may be permanent." Thus strengthened it was easy for him to spend his priestly life in the love and service of his fellowmen.

And if we need proof of this greatness, let every little child who has passed through the Catholic schools of his parish be a glad witness. Let those testify who heard from his lips the glowing torrent of divine love manifest through his sermons.

Let those be heard, when poor, sick, or suffering had only to call on him to find him prompt to give such consolation and help as only a true priest of God can give.

Let those speak over whom his consecrated hand has been raised to bless and pardon through the merits of Jesus Our Saviour.

Let those speak to whom he has so often given the body and blood of Christ in the blessed sacrament of the altar.

In full, let those testify for whom he gave up his life, for it was while attending a sick call one bitter winter night that he contracted the disease which caused his death.

Truly this was a great priest, great in faith, great in love, great in work, great in sacrifice. My friends, to priest and to people the death of Fr. Garrity is a deep lesson.

From his casket he teaches us, "Hodie mihi, cras tibi," "Today for me, tomorrow for thee."

Three weeks ago today he visited my house apparently in perfect health. It was his custom to come frequently, and during his visit to kneel at the grave of his sainted mother, and to celebrate mass for her in the church which adjoins the cemetery. Physically one of the most powerful men in the diocese, even at that recent date he had no more idea of the proximity of death than any priest in this sanctuary has of his own.

Does not this sudden death teach us all whether priest or layman that the highest quality of human prudence, and intelligence is shown by those who, "Seek first the kingdom of God and His justice."

In reward for his great love and service of religion, Holy Mother church now shows him even greater love. More than one thousand masses will be offered for him by priests of this diocese.

Who can estimate the number and the value of the prayers of the little children, to whom his life had been a benediction during his 16 years of loyal service?"

Who can measure the petitions of the afflicted, of the widow and orphans pleading for him with Jesus Christ who hath said, "Whatsoever you have done for these, you have done for me." "Into thy hands O Lord we commend his spirit. In his priesthood thou hast made him and us only a little less than the Angels."

"With glory and honor hast thou crowned him," and friends of the clergy and of the laity let us all recognize the transcendant beauty and value of the life of a good and worthy priest, whose chief purpose is to imitate his divine master, "to go about doing good."

And though in the words of St. Paul, "we have the inestimable treasure of our immortal soul placed in vessels of clay," let the riches of our devotion transform this vile earth into the pure gold of a body sanctified by its contact with such a soul.

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Japan Evidently Wants Vladivostok Fleet Out of the Way, Thus Giving Her Opportunity to Move Her Armies at Will--Sending of Marquis Ito to Korea Considered Significant--Sifting of Latest War New Received In London

London, March 9.—The Daily Telegraph this morning publishes a dispatch from Tokio, dated March 7, and saying:

"It is reported that the Japanese fleet engaged the Russian Vladivostok squadron at sea yesterday. The result of the engagement is not announced, but it is believed that the Russian ships were destroyed or captured."

Tuesday's dispatches from Tokio make no mention of the rumor that the Russian Vladivostok squadron has been engaged, and the Tokio correspondent of The Daily Telegraph, cabling last night, says: "No details have yet been received of the fight at Vladivostok."

The far eastern news published here continues to be most meagre. The report of Viceroy Alexieff to his government adds practically nothing to the accounts of the Vladivostok bombardment contained in previous reports.

The whereabouts of the Vladivostok squadron is still unknown and it would appear to be quite unlikely that a naval battle has occurred. Those interested in the struggle are guessing at the meaning of the appearance of a Japanese fleet off Vladivostok. It seems quite likely that, having left a sufficient number of ships to hold in check what of the Port Arthur fleet is able to get out of the obstructed entrance to that harbor, the Japanese have turned their attention to the so-called Vladivostok fleet. If they can pen it up in Vladivostok harbor well and good. If they have succeeded in catching the fleet out of the harbor and can find and destroy it on the high seas so much the better from the Japanese point of view.

With this last remnant of Russian sea power in the far east disposed of Japan would be free to move her armies at will. If she could land a sufficiently large army, break the railroad, isolate Vladivostok, and then advance up the line toward Harbin, at the same time forcing the Yalu, she could compel the retirement of the entire right wing of the Russian forces in Manchuria north toward Harbin.

The sending of Marquis Ito on a mission to Korea is regarded here as the most significant news of the day, and is believed to indicate a virtual protectorate over Korea, which will become the Japanese military base and source of supplies.

Marquis Ito enjoys great prestige. He visited the Emperor of Korea in 1888 and since then he has been held in the highest esteem by the emperor, who often consulted with him.

It is reported from Shanghai that Viceroy Alexieff is preparing to remove his headquarters to Harbin, after having in vain ordered the Tartar general to dismiss the Chinese garrison at Mukden.

In Shanghai it is believed that the Japanese will attempt the seizure of New Chwang as soon as the ice clears.

A correspondent of The Daily Express at Shanghai asserts that the Russians are throwing up a continuous line of earthworks from Kaiping to Liao Yang.

The Che Foo correspondent of The Daily Express reports that a large Japanese fleet has been seen proceeding in the direction of New Chwang.

It is also reported that news has reached Osaka, Japan, of an engagement between Japanese and Russians at a point 100 miles from Vladivostok, in which the Russians fled.

Among other unconfirmed reports it is said at Yin Kow that the Japanese have advanced to Feng Hoang Cheng (in Manchuria, about 40 miles northwest of Wiju).

Ito's Mission Causes Surprise

Tokio, March 9.—The forthcoming visit of Marquis Ito as a special ambassador from the Emperor of Japan to the Emperor of Korea claims general attention, it being a great surprise. In official circles it is insisted that the object of Marquis Ito's visit to Korea is not politically important.

It is denied that Japan has any new plan to execute. It is thought, however, that Marquis Ito will make an investigation of the general conditions in Korea and formulate possibly some recommendations which will be useful in the adoption of a policy for the future.

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JAPS CLOSE ON RUSSIA'S FLANK

Serious Land Operations Reported to Have Begun

RUSSIANS ON A RETREAT

Their Opponents Well to Westward of the Yalu River--Entrenched on Russian Line of Communication Between Antung and Its Base--Military Critics Astounded at Reported Moves--Nothing Known as to Whereabouts of Vladivostok Squadron--Perhaps Captured

London, March 10.—No further news has reached London of the reported fighting at Port Arthur or of the fate of the Russian Vladivostok squadron. The Japanese legation here has heard nothing of these reported occurrences, but it is considered significant that none of the Russian official dispatches make any mention of the Vladivostok cruisers.

The news from Washington of the appearance of Japanese forces at Fung Wang Chang, about 45 miles northwest of Antung, in Manchuria, and Tashan, a few miles inland from the mouth of the Yalu river, is regarded as most important.

Fung Wang Chang, where the Japanese are reported, is on the great Seoul-Pekin highway, which is the Russian line of communication between Antung and its base, Liao Yang, on the railroad south of Mukden. If the Japanese are in strong force they will compel the withdrawal of the Russians from New Chwang either to the north to Mukden or south to Port Arthur. The reported bombardment of Dalny and Port Arthur probably was a diversion to cover this movement.

According to the Tien Tsin correspondent of The Daily Telegraph the Japanese advanced from the Yalu river, captured Fung Wang Chang, and drove out the Russians in the vicinity to the Ta Ku Ling eastern pass and are in force 70 miles east of New Chwang. The Russians, with 35,000 men, are entrenching strongly at Liao Yang and Hai Chang, where fighting is imminent. Some small engagements already have been fought, the Russians retiring with losses. This correspondent says further that the Japanese are using the same tactics and advancing along the same route they followed during the Chinese war.

The Yin Kow correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald also vaguely reports the Japanese to be 50 miles northwest of Antung and well to the westward of the Yalu river.

This is the only news on this subject yet received in London and to some of the military critics it is inconceivable that Japan really can have executed such a sudden, unexpected and successful turning of the Russian position on the Yalu river, which is thought would have necessitated the employment of a much larger force than it is believed Japan can possibly have at this point.

The Daily Telegraph, commenting on these reports, says that if the news of this strange and marvelous collapse of Russian power on land is true, there is nothing to prevent the Japanese from seizing Mukden and the railroad. There has been nothing to compare with this move, the paper continues, since Napoleon staggered Europe by appearing in the plains of Italy, having descended from the Alps as from the clouds. Its effect throughout the east will be stupendous. The other newspapers prefer to await for authoritative details before accepting this news.

Rumors of mediation in the far east continue to circulate on the continent, but evidently the British government has no idea that mediation is possible. Foreign Secretary Lansdowne, replying to a letter on this subject from the arbitration and peace association, which suggested mediation under The Hague convention, said his majesty's government feared that such an offer could not usefully be made to the belligerents at the present time.

Interest in the operations to the east of the theatre of war centres for the moment on the fate of Russia's Vladivostok squadron. The rumor printed in the London Telegraph to the effect that the Japanese fleet had met and destroyed the Russian ships is nothing more than a shrewd guess as to what has happened. It was known that the Japanese fleet in the Sea of Japan was operating with the Russian fleet as its objective. Report said that the Japanese when they appeared before Vladivostok found the Russian ships out of the harbor, probably covering certain Russian land operations from Possiet Bay. This was Japan's opportunity to completely break Russian sea power.

Undoubtedly if the facts of the case are as stated the Japanese at once set out on a search for the Russian ships. Perhaps the missing squadron has been found and sunk or captured as rumored, but as official Tokio has not heard of it, it is safe to say the British correspondent is only telegraphing what the Japanese hope has been accomplished.

If the Japanese have met this Russian fleet on the high seas the most important naval battle thus far in the war has been fought. The Russia and Rurik are fine ships, and should be able to give good account of themselves, though as the Japanese naval officers laughingly say, they stand unusually high out of the water, and offer a splendid target.

It may turn out that the Vladivostok fleet has started to steam around the northern end of Japan and down the eastern coast in an effort to sneak into Port Arthur, but this would not help it much. If it succeeded in getting through this Tsugaru strait it would yet find itself confronted by the Japanese Port Arthur fleet, which is fully able to take care of it. If the fleet should yet get into Port Arthur harbor it would only add to the number of ships bottled up there. It is certain that the Japanese have foreseen this exigency and provided against it.

Under date of March 9, a correspondent of The Times at Tokio says the Russian advance south of Possiet Bay continues.

JAPS ADVANCING

British Consul Advises Foreigners to Leave New Chwang

Yin Kow, March 10.—The British consul strongly and officially urges the foreign women and children to leave New Chwang before the river opens. The British station gunboat Espiegle will leave as soon as possible and will not be replaced. The family of United States Consul Miller left today.

It is understood that the neutral powers will not embarrass Japan by the presence of warships in the river here and therefore neutral interests at New Chwang will be officially abandoned.

The tension among Russians also continues. There are circumstantial native reports of fighting east of the railroad and there is strong evidence of a Japanese advance.

It is reported that the action of the Russians in ordering New Chwang to be fortified was due to the withdrawal of the foreign warships, thus removing the last possibility of the neutralization of this port. The Russians received by train yesterday two 5-inch siege guns and two 6-pounder Howitzers. They were unloaded at the New Chwang railroad station.

Thinks Japanese Will Win

Boston, March 10.—Poultney Bigelow was the principal speaker at the dinner of the Unitarian club at the Vendome last night, his remarks being devoted to a forecast of the probable results of the war in the far east. He said that Russia was engaged in a hopeless struggle on account of being the intellectual inferior of Japan, who can outgeneral and outmaneuver her in military tactics, and all on account of wonderful development and progress made by that nation within the last few decades. In closing, he said: "I believe the yellow peril to be nothing but a chimera. The Mongol race will never develop fighting qualities equal to the Americans or Europeans."

American Women Not Wanted

Washington, March 10.—So much currency has been obtained in the press by a story that the Emperor of Korea had married an American woman named Emily Brown that United States Minister Alen officially denies the truth of the story and declares that there is no room in Korea for foreign female nurses, governesses, companions and the like.

Tillman Has Throat Trouble

Washington, March 10.—Senator Tillman is ill with a throat trouble. It is impossible for him to swallow and a little liquid nourishment is all that he can take. An examination of the senator's throat disclosed the fact that an abscess had formed on the left tonsil. It is said to be a very small one and the physicians believe it can be relieved without great difficulty. An operation will be performed. After that several days of complete rest will be necessary.

For Protection of Laborers

Kingston, Ja., March 10.—A government bill prohibiting contractors from engaging laborers in Jamaica for Central and South America, except on the payment of $15 a head to cover repatriation expenses, has passed the legislature. This bill was put through because of the ill-treatment of Jamaican laborers by a railroad construction company in Ecuador.

MET A WATERLOO.

Unexpected Walkover for the Weymouths—Quincy Points Win.

The Weymouths made a big gain on the Quincys in the Old Colony bowling league Wednesday evening by capturing all three of the games which were bowled at Weymouth. The lead of 13 games was reduced to 10, and the lead of 23 per cent. reduced to 19. On the other hand the Quincy Point team won two out of three games with East Weymouths, and makes a better showing in per cent.

At Quincy Point.

On the home alleys Wednesday evening the Quincy Point team defeated East Weymouth 1,192 to 1,173 on totals and won two games out of three; the first by 13 pins, and the second by 51 pins, while the last went to the visitors by 45 pins. McMasters of the home team was high man on totals, but Welch of the East Weymouths had the best single.

The summary:

QUINCY	POINTS.			
	1	2	3	Total
Dunn,	85	76	85	246
Porter,	78	78	74	230
McMasters,	90	92	72	254
Lyons,	75	87	74	236
Flynn,	66	85	75	226
Totals,	394	418	380	1192

EAST WEYMOUTHS.				
	1st	2d	3d	Total
Flannery,	80	80	78	238
Newcomb,	70	66	78	214
Farrar,	76	84	84	244
Welch,	71	74	94	239
Smith,	84	63	91	238
Totals,	381	367	425	1173

At Weymouth.

The lowest score at the Weymouth-Quincy league game at Weymouth on Wednesday evening was 409, and Weymouth went as high as 450, capturing all three games. Burrell of the Weymouths had the best average, bowling a three string total of 282 to 281 for Connell and 279 for Nash of Quincy. Connell made a phenomenal single—120.

The summary:

WEYMOUTHS.				
	1	2	3	Total
Burrell,	100	89	93	282
Peleran,	85	79	83	247
Turner,	88	94	79	261
Glover,	80	82	75	237
Connell,	80	81	120	281
Totals,	433	425	450	1308

QUINCYS.				
	1	2	3	Total
Ferris,	93	80	72	245
Grant,	74	84	97	255
Nash,	96	87	96	279
Moorehead,	82	82	90	254
White,	84	76	81	241
Totals,	429	409	436	1274

League Standing.

The standing to date:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Quincys	54	42	12	78
Weymouths	54	32	22	59
East Weymouths	54	20	34	37
Quincy Points	54	14	40	26

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of William Malco'm, for using profanity on the public streets of Quincy, was heard, and he was fined $1.

☞"Woman wake up!" said a woman's rights paper. "Yes added an indolent country editor, "and hang it, turn out and make a fire, and put on the kettle and get breakfast."—Lynn Item.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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AN ACADEMY BOY.

Beautiful Flowers at Funeral of G. Winnefred Hayden.

The funeral of G. Winifred Hayden, only son of Mr. A. Bradford and Mrs. C. Annie Hayden, was held from his parents' residence, Washington street, Quincy Point, Wednesday afternoon.

The attendance of relatives, neighbors and friends was very large. He was graduated from the Washington school in 1902, and had attended the Adams academy for the past two years, and was a general favorite with all.

The services were conducted by the Rev. Leon Austin, and were very impressive. A quartet composed of Mrs. George Carter, Mrs. Webb Newcomb, Walter Holmes and Henry Seller rendered several selections. A solo was also given by D. J. Seward McCurdy.

The body was encased in a white velvet casket, trimmed with smilax and completely covered with flowers. Six young men from Adams academy acted as bearers.

The floral offerings were elegant and profuse; among which were:

Pillow, from the parents, with the words "Our Boy."

Lyre, from Mr. and Mrs. C. W., W. A., H. A., and W. M. Hayden, with the word "Nephew."

Spray of calla lilies, pink and white azaleas, from Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hayden, with the word "Grandson."

Anchor, from Mr. and Mrs. A. Pitts.

Wreath, sweet peas and violets, from the class of 1904, of Adams Academy.

Pillow, pinks and tulips, classmates of Washington school, year 1902.

Mound, pink and white pinks, from the cousins, Bertha, Pearl, Forrest, Irving, Sherman and Harold Hayden.

[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones.

Flat bouquet, from Congregational Sunday School.

Spray of pinks, from Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Taber.

Spray calla lilies, from Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bean.

Spray pinks, from Miss Lillian Glidden.

Spray pinks, from Mrs. A. Colburn and Miss Jessie Folsom.

Flat bouquet, from Mr. and Mrs. C. Bailey.

Sixteen pinks, from Mrs. F. Thayer.

Pinks and violets, from Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Sargent.

Pinks, from Mr. Benjamin and Miss Mamie Hayden.

Pinks, from Mr. and Mrs. F. Tilden.

Pinks, from Journal Outlook club.

Crescent, from Mr. Sargent and friends.

Roses, from Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hayden.

Flat spray, from Mrs. Marcus Wight and Miss E. M. Freeman.

Spray pinks and roses, from Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church, Quincy Point.

Pinks, from Miss Agnes Henchey.

Cut flowers, from Mrs. Frances Wainwright.

Flat bouquet, from Mrs. Arthur Dunham.

Flat bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. Louthorp and family.

Pinks, from J. A. Banaza Fraueufelder.

Pinks, from Mrs. Studley.

Pinks, from Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Davis

Roses, from Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boyden.

Sixteen Callas from Mr. and Mrs. G. Thurber, also several other bouquets and flowers. The interment was at Mt. Wollaston.

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The third number of the Quincy Point lecture course was given on Wednesday evening. Mr. Joseph Lee of Boston addressed the audience and his subject was "Children's Play."

Mr. Lee said as the lecture was in the church, it would not be inappropriate to start out with a text. He would select one from Zechariah 8:5—"And the streets of the city shall be full of boys and girls playing in the streets thereof."

Do we realize the very little things which amuse children? For instance, if a child can stand up in a rocking-chair and rock back and forth until the chair is upset, he is satisfied.

Play to the child includes his most serious pursuits. Play is the same to the child as Appomattox was to [illegible]. It is the most [illegible] business of childhood. Many boys take no interest in life until they take hold of a good game which enlivens them; for instance football.

Man is provided with one instinct—to go to school.

There are three ages of childhood:

First, below six years—dramatic

Second,—from six to seven—self-assertion.

Third,—from seven to eleven—loyalty.

All children's games are dramatic; such as, dolls, play-soldiers, a pretended subway in sand.

There are two reasons why a child wants to play in the gutter. One is, because the curb is just the right height to sit on, and the other is, there is always loose stuff in the gutter they can play with. Children ought to have a sand-pit to play in. They never tire of this amusement for they can mould sand into so many forms.

Boys want to be something in the world—to make a noise that will be heard.

Mr. Lee then spoke of the five-cent literature that was for sale in all country stores. It was meant to meet the market of boys. Boys don't smoke cigarettes for the sake of smoking; but simply to be seen smoking. (It might depend upon who saw them.)

But the things boys put most seriousness in is on the play-ground. They accomplish most difficult things on baseball field. If you are just starting a play-ground do not choose unattractive land. There is apt to be a law-breaking instinct of boys without a play-ground.

In closing, the speaker said, not to take boys and make men of them all at once—not to train them in form of citizenship, but in experience.

The people who are taking advantage of this lecture course are exceedingly fortunate in hearing such eloquent speakers.

Gain for No-License.

The Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society reports that twelve towns, Belchertown, Clinton, Georgetown, Grafton, Hudson, Ipswich, Nantucket, New Braintree, Randolph, Sterling, Templeton and Walpole, controlling 43 licenses, have changed to no-license.

Eight towns, Dracut, Framingham, Gardner, Hardwick, Leicester, Plymouth, Shelburne and Somerset, controlling 42 licenses, have changed to license. In 88 towns there is a no-license gain, and in 70 towns a no-license loss. In 163 towns the net gain for no-license is about 2000.

Mr. Faxon's Illness.

There is but little change in the condition of Mr. Faxon today from Wednesday. What little change there is, however, is considered a change for the better. He is still a very sick man.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 8th, 1904. The Committee on Towns will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No 829, relative to the approval of town by-laws by the Superior Court and the publication thereof, at room No. 42, State House, on Tuesday, March 15th, at 11 o'clock, A. M. GEORGE N. GOFF, Chairman. ALFRED M. CHAFFER, Clerk of the Committee. 10-1t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 8, 1904. The Committee on Public Lighting will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of Frederic O. McCartney, for legislation relative to the purchase and use of gas and electric plants by cities and towns, at room No. 440, State House, on Tuesday, March 15th, at 10.30 o'clock. A. M. E. L. OSGOOD, Chairman. FRED. A. BEARSE, Clerk of the Committee. 10 2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 8, 1904. The Committee on Public Lighting will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of Julius Garst, for legislation relative to the manufacture and sale of gas and electricity, also the petition of Maurice J. Power, for legislation relstive to the purchase of gas and electric plants by cities and towns, at room No. 440, State House, on Thursday, March 17th, at 10 30 o'clock, A. M. E. L. OSGOOD, Chairman. FRED A. BEARSE, Clerk of the Committee. 10-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 8, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate bill No. 196, of H. S. Dewey, for legislation relative to arrests in minor criminal prosecutions; also Senate bill No. 197, of the Atkinson Furnishing Co. and others for an amendment of the law relative to the sale of furniture made under a written conditional contract of sale; also House bill No. 882, of E. A. Adler, for further legislation relative to public service corporations and their employees; also House bill No. 885, of J. J. Good, for legislation to restrict arrests on mesne process; also Senate bill No. 118, relative to the sale of dangerous weapons to minors, and Senate bill No. 195, of H. S. Dewey, for legislation relative to imposing sentences in criminal cases where exceptions have been alleged or an appeal taken, at room No. 227, State House, on Tuesday, March 15, at 10.30 o'clock A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 9-2t

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

The first bluebird has peeped. The installation of the pneumonia cars is now in order.

England is hurrying supplies, guns, and ships to Victoria, and plans to make the capital of British Columbia a western Gibraltar, with guns that will carry ten miles. What for?

Is that you, San Domingo, wailing and making that racket at the gate? Go 'way child! You will have to wait. With the Philippines, Porto Rico, Cuba, Guam, Panama, and Hawaii, Uncle Sam's kindergarten is crowded.

Congratulations to Henry H. Faxon on the verdict at Dedham. With the jury ten to two for acquittal it is doubtful if there is ever a second trial. May the verdict act as a stimulant to restore Mr. Faxon to health and vigor.

When clergymen admit that it is difficult to draw the line between one denomination and another, there can be very little claim of superiority by one over the other. In fact a man who is true to any church is a good christian, and a desirable citizen. It is character that counts.

Congratulations also to Chief Engineer Williams, who has labored hard to improve the efficiency of the Quincy Fire Department. Nearly every [illegible] ed against him, but now Judge Harris has set the verdicts aside, and says they could not be justified by the evidence. Civil service rules are not all they are cracked up to be.

There is a serious hitch in the canal negotiations if Senator T. C. Platt's comment on the dilemma covers the ground. He is acting chairman of the Senate Committee on Interoceanic Canal and he says that all legislation "will be held in obeyance till the title of the canal has been completed." He adds "Not only is the Panama Canal Company unable to deliver the goods, but there is no certainty that it will be able to do so on March 25th, when the United States has arranged to make payment, or at any time in the near future." The Panama Commissioners will postpone their journey to the Isthmus.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Did you ever notice that every time restrictive legislation on the sale of liquor is desired or the removal of restrictive legislation is advocated the bete noir held up before temperance advocates and trembling on the fence legislators is "kitchen bar rooms?" Kitchen bar-rooms, so-called, will probably exist so long as there are criminals. We do not believe, however, they are any more numerous today than they were a year ago.—Waltham Tribune.

☞All talk of repealing the "state care" law of 1900, under which the state will have to expend about $1,100,000 additional this year for the care of the insane, has died out. Probably no great difference is made to the people of this state, who have to pay that $1,100,000 in any event. Opinion may vary as to whether the business can be more efficiently and economically conducted through the state authorities or the local authorities—and doubtless arguments which deserve consideration may be produced on both sides. We are not sufficiently acquainted with the subject to express an opinion as to the relative merits of the two systems. But one thing seems clear enough—that somehow or other the people of Massachusetts have got to bear the burden of caring for a large number of insane at a large total of cost.—New Bedford Standard.

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IS AN EX-CONVICT

Former Mormon Bishop Testifies In Smoot Defense

APOSTLES ON THE STAND

Further Admissions of Plurality of Wives--Part of Testimony Considered In Executive Session Because Unfit to Be Given to the Public

Washington, March 10.—Several officials of the Mormon church yesterday testified in the Smoot case, before the senate committee on privileges and elections, that they had plural wives and had continued to practice polygamous cohabitation since the manifesto of 1890. Just before adjournment for the day the committee held an executive session for the purpose of having read the unprintable testimony in the Teasdale divorce case.

Loren Harmer, formerly a bishop of the Mormon church, gave the first testimony in favor of the defense that has been offered thus far in the eight days of the hearings. He said he was convicted of the crime of adultery and that he believed Reed Smoot was responsible for his arrest. The charge against Harner was unlawful cohabitation with a woman who was not his wife and not a prosecution on account of cohabitation with his plural wives.

President Smith and a number of officials of the church who have been witnesses in the case were excused from further attendance and they will return to Utah.

Andrew Jensen, assistant historian of the church, at the afternoon session said that he had two wives who were sisters, and that they both lived in the same house, though he lives with the first. Mr. Jensen said he was not sealed in eternity to the mother of the two wives.

Loren Harmer testified that he was a bishop for five or six years, but had been sent to the penitentiary in 1899 upon conviction of unchastity and lost his good standing. He said he has two wives, Ellen and Ida, and had lived also with Ellen Anderson, but never as her husband. He said she had two children by him, one since he had returned from the penitentiary. He lives in Springville.

He said Ellen Anderson supports herself and that he had contributed nothing for the care of herself or her children. He said she had property of her own.

Myron M. Smith, 32 years old, a son of President Smith, and one of the 12 apostles, read a speech he had made in 1894 in Brigham City at one of the quarterly conferences, in which he said each one, in the matter of obeying laws, should do as he pleased, but that each must bear the consequences of his acts. He said that was his view. He explained at length the manner of sending out missionaries and said polygamy was not talked and the polygamous cohabitation had never been talked at a conference at which Smoot was present.

Thomas H. Merrill, a bishop and a son of Apostle Merrill, said he had two wives, and that he had six children by the first and four by the second. The youngest child by the second wife is 3 years old. His second marriage took place in the Logan temple in 1885, where, he said, he promised to love, honor and respect the woman and treat her in every way as a wife. He said he does not know whether marriages performed in the temple are recorded. He has performed two ceremonies himself and has kept only an individual record.

Alma Merrill, first counsellor to the Benson stake, said he has two wives, one of whom he married in 1885 and the other in 1886. His wives were sisters, Esmeralda and Rebacca Hendricks. By the first he said he has seven children, and by the last eight children, and three others had died.

The prosecution had no more witnesses ready to put on the stand. The names of Apostles Merrill, Teasdale, Taylor and Cowley; Samuel Newton, J. E. Tanner and Moses Thatcher, were read, and they failed to respond to their names. President Smith was asked to do all he can do to induce these witnesses to respond to the summonses.

At the request of Attorney Tayler for the prosecution, the committee went into executive session and testimony in the Teasdale divorce case was read. It was agreed that counsel for and against Senator Smoot should endeavor to come to an agreement on a statement of facts in the case.

Consideration was given to the proceedings in executive session because of the unprintable character of the testimony and a dislike on the part of the committee to spread the facts before the country.

Women to Take Action

Chicago, March 10.—The investigation of the case of Senator Smoot has stirred the Women's Christian Temperance Union to action and the organization will make a united effort to have polygamy placed on the list of crimes against the constitution of the United States.

Won't Call on the Pope

Paris, March 10.—The plans for President Loubet's trip to Rome are practically completed. The program does not mention that the president will pay a visit to the Vatican, which proposition has apparently been given up

THE BRISTOW REPORT

Congressmen Say Hard Things of It and Want Investigation

Washington, March 10.—That an investigation of the postoffice department by the house of representatives will result from the publication of the report involving members of congress in that connection was indicated by every expression possible short of a vote in that body. With a whirlwind of protest the report was taken up by indignant members, their personal connection with it explained, and epithets hurled at Mr. Bristow.

"The Bristow report was conceived in iniquity, born in sin and has travelled its course until it has struck the public of the United States as a great attack on a body of men as free from wrongdoing, corruption, crime and irregularity as any equal number of men on the face of the earth." This was the parting shot of Representative Grosvenor (O.) in paying his tribute to the report.

"That document is the production of a liar and a scoundrel," shouted Representative Hill (Conn.), in making an explanation of his connection with certain leases. He added that he should vote both to investigate himself and also the fourth assistant postmaster general.

Mr. Williams, the Democratic leader, urged a complete investigation of the whole postoffice department and received the hearty applause of both sides of the house and the galleries. It soon was found that the two hours which had been allotted to the subject was not going to be near enough time for the personal explanations which members were demanding the right to make and a motion to extend the debate until 4 o'clock today was carried.

Negro Insurance Test Case

New Haven, March 10.—To decide whether the United States Indemnity society is entitled by its charter to insure negroes an appeal will be taken in behalf of the society to the United States supreme court. A provision of the society's charter permits it to "insure white males betwen 18 and 45 yars old." The company has been insuring negroes as well as white men. The point has been raised in a suit brought by 14 negroes of this city, who ask to have amounts paid by them for insurance refunded on the ground that the society had no right to insure them and that if they attempted to collect indemnity in case of sickness they could not legally do so.

A White House Hearing

Washington, March 10.—President Roosevelt gave a hearing at the White House to Colonel Grigsby, United States attorney for the second district of Alaska, on charges of malfeasance in office. The charges have been investigated by the department of justice and the attorney general has recommended to the president the removal of Grigsby The charges are that Grigsby accepted $10,000 from the Pioneer Mining company of Nome, ostensibly for legal services, but, it is alleged, really as a bribe to secure the company immunity from prosecution by the government.

Auction Won't Come Off

New York, March 10.—On the charge of stealing $20,000 worth of optical goods during his six years' employment in the store of Emil B. Meyrowitz, Manhattan, W. J. Cooper was arrested at his home in Brooklyn. A large quantity of goods, said to have been stolen from the complainant, were seized in a store where Cooper is said to have placed them on exhibition for sale at auction

Russia and the Big Fair

St. Petersburg, March 10.—Finance Minister Kokovzoff announces that the response to his efforts to get intending exhibitors to reconsider their decision not to participate in the St. Louis exposition has been insufficient to warrant the government to reconsider its determination and that consequently Russia will not participate in the exposition.

Check Raiser Confesses

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., March 10.—A M. Beaver, a stock speculator of Hyde Park, is under arrest, charged with raising a check on the Irving National bank of New York from $2.70 to $5200 Beaver, who is 31 years old, has made a confession of the crime. He restored all the money with the exception of 35 cents.

Hard Times Ahead For Sealers

St. Johns, March 10.—The sealing fleet, composed of 23 steamers carrying 5000 men, sailed today for the annual seal hunt off Labrador. Owing to the unusual prevalence of ice floes the steamers will have great trouble before they can reach the region where the seal herds gather.

Diplomat an Embezzler

Belgrade, March 10.—Dr. Petronijevics, who was head of the cabinet of the late King Alexander, was convicted of the embezzlement of $11,600 from the estate of a son of Prince Obrenovich and sentenced to two years' imprisonment.

Aged Man Killed by Train

Springfield, Mass., March 10.—A man about 65 years old was struck and instantly killed by a train here. A companion, Anthony Campbell, claims that the dead man's name is Fogarty and that he came from Worcester.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The Mississippi senate passed a bill making June 3, the birthday of Jefferson Davis, a legal holiday in Mississippi.

The Spanish chamber of deputies has passed a bill reducing the customs duties on foreign corn.

The shoe firm of Frank & Duston, Marlboro, Mass., employing 125 hands, has assigned. No statement of the firm's condition is made public

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Eric G. Bergfors has just completed an office, 20 by 28 feet, on Penn street for Kavanagh Bros.

The City Council Committee on Streets will meet tonight and the committee on Finance on Friday night.

Mrs. Edward Judson Badger of Park street, Wollaston, left Wednesday for Florida, intending to be absent about four weeks.

There is another rumor relative to the new occupant of the vacant store in the Savings Bank building. It will not be a branch of a Boston store.

Rupert F. Claflin will resign from the presidency of the Quincy Savings Bank the first of the month, as the new law prohibits the cashier of a National bank from holding such an office.

Mail Pouches Perhaps Stolen

Marinette, Wis., March 10.—The postal officials are trying to locate several pouches of valuable mail which were either lost or stolen last Wednesday night on the Northwestern road. One sent from here containing several thousand dollars in valuable paper is gone, it is said, and several other pouches are missing.

Steamers In Grip of Ice

Louisburg, N. S., March 10.—Captain Nielsen of steamer Britannic, which has arrived here after having been imprisoned in the ice off Canso for a week, reports three other steamers fast in the ice fields. They are the Baines Hawkin, Elliot and Pro Patria, which is nine days overdue at this port.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Friday, March 11.
Sun rises—6:04; sets—5:46.
Moon rises—2:44 a. m.
High water—7 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.

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A MILITARY PICKET

Situation at Springfield Is Decidedly Serious

NEGROES LEAVE THE CITY

Fears That They May Mobilize In Neighboring Woods and March Upon Whites--Latter Refuse to Handle Their Goods

Springfied, O., March 10.—The situation here is considered by the authorities to be more threatening than at any time since the beginning of the present race troubles. While Governor Herrick has not proclaimed a state of martial law, such a condition practically exists in the down-town districts and the burned portions of the town formerly occupied by negro resorts. Ten companies of Ohio National Guard are on picket duty and seven more companies are expected. The saloons are closed and many other lines of business have practically ceased.

While there are 15,000 negroes living in this city, none were seen anywhere last night. Notwithstanding reports about shipping the body of Dixon, the negro, to Kentucky, his remains were privately interred here last night. The body was taken to the cemetery in a covered wagon and none knew of the incident except relatives and cemetery officials.

The negroes here now are afraid to be seen getting telegrams or mail. When the west end of the levee was cleaned out no white man would work with moving vans and no white man would accept the goods in storage. The work had to be done by negroes, under guard of the militia, and most of the goods from the dismantled saloons are piled up in the open yards of negroes.

None could be left on the premises of white people, who feared that their own property would thus be endangered. None of the hardware stores are allowed to sell weapons or ammunition. The infirmaries and other places of refuge are filled with aged negroes and women and children, the male members of the families having taken to the woods. It is now feared that there will yet be a mobilization in the adjoining forests that may make a dangerous march on the city.

The only outbreak last night occurred in Winter street, a thoroughfare only two squares in length and inhabited by both blacks and whites. A [illegible] resorts, mostly owned by whites, are located there, and at 11 o'clock five shots, fired at a negro, were the occasion of three companies of militia being dispatched to the scene of the disturbance. By the time the militiamen arrived the police had restored order and the negro occupants of several houses were ordered in-doors. One company was retained in Winter street until this morning. Shooting was also heard in the vicinity of Miami alley, a negro district, but the police were unable to ascertain by whom the shots were fired.

At midnight the police patrol boxes all over the city reported absolutely quiet. It is thought it would be possible to dispense with several of the militia companies by tonight.

At 1:30 o'clock this morning there were no signs of rioting at any point and the crowds had disappeared, with the exception of a few stragglers, who were closely watched by the police.

A special grand jury will sit next Monday morning to ascertain if possible the leaders of Monday night's mob which lynched Richard Dixon and also the leaders of the rioters Tuesday night who burned the negro resorts in East Washington street.

Wood Case Before Senate

Washington, March 10.—The contested appointment of General Wood to be major general of the army was taken up in the executive session of the senate and after listening to a brief prepared by the late Senator Hanna, summing up the testimony which had been given in the hearings before the committee on military affairs, and several affidavits obtained since the hearings closed, the senate adjourned. Senator Foraker announced that he would move to take up the case at every possible opportunity.

Thousands Reported Homeless

Philadelphia, March 10.—Dispatches from the valleys of Pennsylvania, Maryland and New York tell of enormous loss by floods. Many rivers are steadily rising over the danger lines. Vast ice gorges have broken loose and threaten destruction to all in their path. It is thought that the damage will foot into the millions, while thousands are already homeless.

Heavy Fish Arrivals

Boston, March 10.—At T wharf there are the biggest number of off-shore vessels of any day this winter. In all there are 24 trips on hand, and all but two are from off-shore. The majority of the vessels were out only a few days. The 24 trips aggregate 1,261,000 pounds.

Negro Bishop's Suggestion

Chicago, March 10.—Last night, in a meeting preliminary to the general conference of the African Methodist church, Bishop Smith of Detroit urged that the United States should acquire the Island of San Domingo as a place of refuge for the negro race.

Kansas Republicans' Choice

Wichita, Kas., March 10.—The Republican state convention nominated Edward E. Hoch, editor of The Herald of Marion, for governor by acclamation.

CAPITAL WIPED OUT

Wolfboro Loan and Banking Company Will Wind Up

Wolfboro, N. H., March 10.—The exact deficit in the accounts of Cashier Charles F. Piper of the Wolfboro Loan and Banking company as announced by special auditors is $59,713.96. Piper's shortage in the bank was estimated at $25,000 when the bank closed its doors last month. It has also been found that his books as town treasurer show a deficit of $6232.

The directors of the Wolfboro Loan and Banking company voted last night to request State Attorney General Eastman to bring criminal proceedings at once against former Cashier Piper and his son, Carroll D. Piper, assistant cashier. They also decided to close the institution, the capital stock having been practically wiped out by shortages charged against father and son. This was after they had received and examined in detail the report of Auditor French, who has been examining the books of the bank since Feb. 10, a few days after the doors were closed.

While the shortage has been credited to the mismanagement resulting from ill-health of the cashier, the action taken last night against young Piper came as a surprise and arose from a shortage in the so-called "card accounts" of the bank, amounting to $15,315. This amount, however, had already been included in the shortage charged against the cashier, which has been found to amount to $59,713.96.

Labor's March to State House

Boston, March 10.—Representatives of more than 80 labor unions in Massachusetts marched to the state house last night to urge the legislative joint committee on labor to report favorably on the bill to legalize "picketing and peaceful persuasion in times of strikes and lockouts" and prohibiting advertisements for help in cases where a strike exists, unless each advertisement is accompanied by a statement to the effect that such a strike or lockout does exist. After hearing arguments on both sides the committee took the matter under advisement.

Plea In Children's Behalf

Boston, March 10.—George E. McNeil, the labor leader, made an earnest plea at the state house against the employment of children during the holiday season. The hearing was before the committee on relations between employers and employes. McNeil claimed that instead of the children enjoying holiday seasons, the periods are times of physical and mental torture to those at work. Thousands of children, he said, will be unfit for the duties of citizenship if forced to labor before physically matured.

[illegible] Retired

Medford, Mass., March 10.—Policeman B. F. Lenox was suspended from duty at roll call last night. Lenox is the officer who on Sunday morning arrested Alfred H. Gaskins after a desperate struggle. Lenox charged Gaskins with having attempted to break and enter a store. Gaskins maintains that he was not committing a crime when his arrest was attempted. Gaskins will be given a hearing next week.

Bullet Through Child's Body

Fitchburg, Mass., March 10.—James Slattery, aged 8, was shot in the back by Thurman Pidgeon, aged 5, and is not expected to live. Some older boys had been shooting with a 22-calibre skeleton rifle and had left it on the kitchen table in the Pidgeon home when Thurman picked it up and then pulled the trigger. The ball entered Slattery's back and passed through the abdomen.

Drop In Swimming Records

Brookline, Mass., March 10.—Three swimming records were broken last night at the public baths when the Brookline Swimming club held its first open meeting of the season. Harry LeMoyne swam 50 yards in 27 1-5s. In the 440 yards race C. M. Daniels' time was 6m. 5s. A. M. McCormack won the plunge for distance, making 65 ft. 7 in.

Ham Out of St Luke's Home

Boston, March 10.—At a meeting of the trustees of St. Luke's home for convalescents the resignation of Wallace H. Ham, the treasurer of the organization, who is under arrest on an embezzlement charge, was accepted. No information was given out regarding the probable loss to the institution through Ham's financial management.

Railroad to Reduce Expenses

New Haven, March 10.—Under a new schedule of train service which will go into effect on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad next Sunday, a number of trains will be discontinued. The change will involve a big reduction in operating expenses and will affect many train employes.

Evidence of Inhuman Act

Sterling, Mass., March 10.—The bodies of two male babies, apparently twins, were found in an unoccupied barn on the Princeton road. A woodchopper found the two bodies wrapped in a newspaper. The bodies had been there three or four days, according to the medical examiner.

What Boston Merchants Want

Boston, March 10.—The directors of the Boston Merchants' association last night adopted resolutions favoring reciprocity with Canada and Newfoundland, voted in favor of the taxation of leased lands of the state and continued the agitation for a dry dock for merchant vessels.

Fall on Ice Fractured Skull

Princeton, Mass., March 10.—William Stewart, 37 years old, died as the result of a fall on the ice, by which his skull was fractured. He leaves a wife and four children.

STUDYF GEOGRAPHY IS MAN.

A Few Years Physiography Was the Chief Topic; Today It Is Life.

The annual repof Supt. Parlin contains the following comments on the study of "Gaphy." Mr. Parlin certainly takes an advanced stand and many will in his comments much that is new:

In the teas' meetings during the year some special attention has beiven to this subject.

Paradoxical it may seem, the center of interest and of importance in tstudy of geography is *man* not the earth. What is its relat to man? is the prime question throughout the subject.

In studying graphy the great aims are, to increase one's knowledge of hu life, customs and conditions in order that he may improve own and that his interests and sympathies may be broadeneco learn the terrestrial helps and hindrances to human effort rder that he may, as far as possible, work with nature; and enable one adequately to localize places, peoples, historic ses and current events. In addition to these there are the endsmmon to all studies—mental discipline, etc.

The *general* m of unfolding the subject should be, to begin with simple servations, experiments and exercises in the schoolroom and ivicinity and proceed synthetically to the study of the city cown, the county very briefly, the state, New England briefly, tUnited States, the continents and the earth as a whole; then study the world and its parts analytically and comparativelyiving special attention to the city, the state and the United ates in their economic rather than their physiographic aspts. It is apparent that this plan is not the usual one but the are good reasons which support it. All agree that the primy facts and ideas must be acquired through observation in the sdy of home geography. By following the synthetic plan the pil first deals in a systematic way with life and conditions mos nearly like his own and therefore better understands them. It starts with the very parts of geography in which he is mostnterested and with which he should be most familiar. It aids te imagination to a better conception of the comparative size ofthe geographical divisions and of the earth. It fixes early in the ourse the relations of the political divisions most important for lm to know. Finally, it follows out the plan with which al courses begin and applies the educational maxim, "to proceedfrom the known to the related unknown." But someone suggess that we should go "from the whole to the parts." But this mxim is not violated unless one insists that the earth is the only geographical whole. In all our geographical thought and stuly Massachusetts, New England, the United States, North America, etc., are regarded as wholes much more frequently than the earth itself. Moreover, by the above plan the study of the earth as a whole comes at the end of the fifth grade; in the sixth, the analytical study in detail begins.

During the first three years the instruction should be ob- [illegible] of the subject, it should be very simple and should deal with such topics as the physical features of the earth as they appear in the vicinity of the school; direction and distance; seasons and climate; the people, their physical characteristics, child-life at home and elsewhere as represented by pictures and stories; local food materials and the methods of raising and preparing them; clothing materials, their preparation and seasons of use; the homes of the people, the materials, forms and construction; local occupations; modes of communication and lines of travel and trade; the local animal and plant life and their uses to man; local history. In the third year the field of study should include the whole city or town and the county.

The next three years should be given largely to descriptive geography with the aid of text-book, globe, maps, pictures and supplementary reading; the state, New England, the United States and North America receiving chief attention.

During the next two years industrial and comparative geography should be emphasized. A thoroughly scientific course in physical, commercial and mathematical geography should not be attempted in the grammar school. It belongs in the high school.

The following outline indicates the field of work for the several grades, beginning with the fourth:

FOURTH.—The city and the county briefly reviewed, the state and New England. Simple lessons upon the local, county and state governments.

FIFTH.—The United States, the continents in brief outline and the earth as a whole. Use the globe constantly in the study of the earth as a whole. Simple lessons upon the national government.

SIXTH.—The earth as a whole reviewed, introducing little of astronomy or of mathematical geography; study the continents as wholes, noting regions of extremes or of special products and emphasizing the characteristic features. Retrace some of the historic voyages.

SEVENTH.—A detailed study of the United States and its possessions, and of North America. Teach the outline of the national government.

EIGHTH.—Complete the study of the other continents and their primary political divisions, including a comparative study of the continents and of the most important countries of the world, and tracing a few of the great routes of commerce. Teach in a simple way the origin of the earth and its relation to the solar system, its movements and their effects.

The present tendency is greatly to overload the course in geography, to carry the instruction beyond the grasp of the pupils and to give so much time to some phases of the subject that others of importance receive scant attention. A few years ago *physiography* was the chief topic; today it is *life*. That the change is a decided improvement is readily conceded, but what is needed is a well balanced course in which every subject receives appropriate consideration. The test of the importance of a geographic fact is its relation to man—the degree to which it affects him favorably or unfavorably. In geography, as elsewhere, the importance of a thing is often in inverse ratio to its size. Applying this test it appears at once unnecessary and unwise to teach the names of all mountains, islands, capes, rivers, and bays, or even of all cities and towns. Instead of a smattering of knowledge about many it is better to have a real knowledge of a few types which represent all,—to study carefully a typical mountain, river, farm, mine, fishing village, manufacturing town, commercial city, etc.—after that only the exceptional qualities in a comparatively few cases need be noted. Again there are about a hundred or two geographical names which should be memorized, and, beyond that, what names should be learned depends in part upon where one lives and in part upon current events. The great waste of valuable time and energy which has been so common should be avoided. That part of the work which taxes the memory chiefly is better adapted to the lower grades while that which demands more reasoning is better suited to the higher grades.

During the study of local geography the pupils should be taught map drawing and map language — how to represent the various physical features upon paper. They should draw maps from nature and also from memory to test the accuracy of their observations. From the fourth grade up, the wall map takes the place largely of the earth's surface. From it the pupils must learn how to gather the facts previously learned by exploration. The facts of position, surface, climate and drainage should generally be developed by careful questioning from the map before sending the pupils to the descriptive text. Little time should be used in elaborate maps from copy or by use of construction lines, but, in the fifth and sixth grades especially, freehand map-drawing after the following plan will prove a profitable exercise: — Let the pupils look at a correct map for one minute, observing the general shape and relative dimensions; then remove the map and allow one minute in which to draw the *outline;* then let the pupils compare for one minute their drawings with the map; again remove the map and allow a minute for corrections: once more present the map a minute for comparison and allow another minute for correction. During these six minutes the pupils will have secured a much more definite mental picture of the outline of the continent or country than by the usual method in a much longer time. A few repetitions of the process will enable them to draw very creditable maps from memory. Upon these outlines may later be indicated such rivers, mountains, cities or other objects as may warranted two years [illegible] second kept in

It is not supposed that the teacher will confine himself to the matter in the text-book nor always follow the order there given. Much supplementary matter is needed and many topics for individual reports should be assigned. In order that no important topic may be neglected it is necessary, for most teachers at least, to have an outline of topics before them. The following list will be found logical in arrangement and not too full of details. It is merely suggestive, leaving to the good judgment of the teacher where the emphasis should be placed, what sub-topics should be expanded or omitted in each case: —

Topics for the Study of a State, Country or Continent

POSITION. — Relative to what has already been studied, to the equator and the zones.

SURFACE. — Form, relief, coast, comparative size, islands.

CLIMATE. — Winds, temperature, moisture, healthfulness, peculiarities.

DRAINAGE. — River basins and systems, important rivers, lakes, etc., peculiarities.

SOIL. — Fertile or sterile (where and why) minerals, stones.

LIFE.—1. Vegetable—Forests (characteristics and uses) grasses, grains, fruits.
2. Animal — Wild and domestic (characteristics and uses.)
3. People — Physical characteristics, manners and customs, education, religion, government, centers of population.

OCCUPATIONS AND PRODUCTIONS. — Materials, processes and uses.

COMMERCE. — Exports, imports, commercial centers, land routes and water ways.

HISTORY. — Always associate great historic events and famous persons with the appropriate places. Current events should furnish in every grade many occasions for special but very profitable geographical study.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	31	35	46	38	10
Monday,	48	39	47	46	26
Tuesday,	57	38	52	43	40
Wednesday,	43	43	45	40	44
Thursday,	32	48	45	48	51
Friday,	—	27	54	45	51
Saturday,	—	30	55	64	49

New Advertisements Today.

Eric G. Bergfors—Carpenter and Builder.
State House Hearings.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Very little thaw today.

St. Marys vs. Quincys at the Coliseum this evening.

The Unity club of Wollaston wil meet tomorrow evening.

There was a difference of 25 degrees in the temperature this noon from what it was Tuesday.

Some of the doors of Bethany church which did not open outward have been changed this week.

The West End base ball nine of Brockton will play at West Quincy on the holiday, April 19.

H. H. Hill, who has been confined to his home with a severe attack of the grip, is able to be out again.

The participants in the minstrel show to be given tomorrow night in First church chapel by the Social club, have a dress rehearsal tonight.

Robert C. Caspole passed away quite suddenly at the residence of his son, R. A. Caspole of Prospect street, Tuesday. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon.

The residents of Squantum will greatly appreciate this thaw. The cars have not been running all the way for some time, owing to the tracks being covered with ice. They have, however, enjoyed walking across the bay, it being a much shorter way than by the street.

Part two in the minstrel show tomorrow night is said to be very funny. Mr. Emery L. Crane gives a talk on Boxin' and the entertainment closes with, "That Social Club Dance" with street scene and hall scene, introducing Mr. Angier in a topical song and ending with a cake walk.

Neponset Valley Sewer.

The committees on metropolitan affairs and water supply, sitting jointly, reported a resolve in the Legislature on Wednesday appropriating $392,000 for the construction of the high-level gravity sewer for the relief of the Charles and Neponset river valleys. The outfall is probably off Nut island.

Mr. Fallon with Majority.

Representative Fallon voted yea and Representative Freeman nay on the bill in the Legislature, authorizing the city of Boston to tax land of the Commonwealth at South Boston. The bill was passed to a third reading Wednesday by a vote of 92 to 75.

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DIED.

NYE—In Atlantic, March 9, Sophia A. Nye. Funeral from residence of her son Alfred G. Nye, 3 Webster street, Atlantic, Saturday, at 2 o'clock.
HAYDEN—In Randolph, Mar. h 8, Mrs. Mary, wife of Mr. H. Willie Hayden, aged 44 years.
FRENCH—In Randolph, March 8, Miss Adella French.

SOCIAL WORKERS.

Mr. Jeffrey Brackett Sets Forth the Am and Scope of New School.

There is a growing demand for trained specialtists in philanthropic work to fill positions in the many institutions and organizations of public and private charity, and there is a lack of adequate opportunities for acquiring the preliminary training needed for such service says the Transcript in commenting on the new school to be opened in Boston. Six years ago the New York Charity Organization Society opened a summer school of philanthropic work, and this year the same society has begun a winter school with a longer term. The St. Louis Conference of Charity Workers has also conducted a five weeks' winter course in practical philanthropy for several years past. And now the University of Chicago announces a similar course. But these courses represent only a modest beginning in what is destined to become a most important branch of educational work.

"What is needed," says Mr. Jeffrey R. Brackett, the director of the Boston school, "and what will undoubtedly exist before long in several centres of population and intelligence in our land, is a school which shall correspond, though in a modest way, to medical, law, divinity, dental, agricultural and other schools for specialized instruction and real training of reasonably mature persons by persons of experience, who are seeking principles from thoughtful practice." This need the new school is designed to meet.

The objects of the school and the plan of instruction are fully explained in the current number of Charities. Some further details are furnished by Mr. Brackett in a communication to the Settler. The following extracts wil serve to set forth the aim and scope of the school.

"It is to be a school with specialized instruction and direction of work in problems of charity, correction, neighborhood uplift and kindred forms of social service, whether under private management or public administration. Its purpose is to give opportunities to young men and women who desire to study those problems by practical methods, particularly to those who would become officials of institutions or agencies in this field of work, or would prepare themselves for service as volunteers. It will bring together students and workers who are considering from various points of view, the many problems which are of concern to all. The aim will be to give to each student a knowledge of the whole field of such effort, whether at home or abroad, and to make available the latest and best results of enlightened practice.

"The course will cover one academic year, from the first week in October to the first week in June. A certificate of attendance will be given at the close of the course, if earned. Admission will be limited to those who are approved by the director of the school as able to use its opportunities, on consideration of evidences given in college courses which are preparatory for the school, or in some form of social work, or from other indications of fitness. If women, they will register in Simmons College, paying a fee of one hundred dollars; if men, they will register in a department of Harvard University, paying a fee of one hundred and fifty dollars. But for persons employed in some form of social work which may be accepted as fulfilling the practical requirements of the course, the registration fee will be ten dollars, payable by women to Simmons College, by men to Harvard University.

"Of regular students there will be required (1) attendance on lectures and conferences three times a week, in sessions of two hours each, in the early morning; (2) work in some field of philanthropic or social service, under direction; (3) the preparation of a paper based on careful study during the year of some particular problem. For persons already at work, these studies can probably be made in connection with their particular interests.

"While some of the instruction and most of the personal direction and leadership will have to be given by the director and his assistant, many lectures will be given and conferences led by persons recognized as experts in the subjects treated. The value of the personal influence of such leaders, some of whom at least the students can come to know, is very great.

"For the establishment of such a school, Boston is well situated, by reason of the number of institutions of learning in and near it which attract students, the number of institutions and agencies, State, city and town, which are accessible, and particularly the number of persons intertested in enlightened work of charity, correction, social uplift and education, whose interest and cooperation may be secured.

"The course will include consideration of the following subjects. They will be illustrated by studies of the work done by leading institutions and agencies in Boston and vicinity.

"For example, state or municipal action for improved conditions of living, etc., will be illustrated by public baths, seaside reservations like Revere beach, gymnasia, playgrounds, public schools as neighborhood centres, lecture courses, etc.; the treatment of offenders will be illustrated by the State prison, the reformatory prison at Concord, the women's reformatory prison at Sherburn, the State farm at Bridgewater, the city workhouse, typical county jails, the John Howard Industrial Home, the work of probation officers, etc.; the treatment of families in which there is sickness, and sanitary and preventive measures will be illustrated by the work of dispensaries and hospitals, of the State and local boards of health, the Instructive District Nursing Association, the Association for the Relief and Control of Tuberculosis, the Massachusetts Hospital for Consumptives and Tubercular Patients at Rutland," etc.

Further information may be had by addressing the director, Jeffrey R. Brackett, City Hall, Baltimore, Md., until May 1; after May 1, 8 Park street, Boston, Mass. Persons wishing to enter the school may see the director by appointment in Boston from May 15 to June 15, and after Sept. 15.

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MILTON.

The gentlemen who were entertained by the ladies some weeks ago are to give a return party in Ellsworth hall on Easter Monday evening.

Now that the excitement of town meeting is over, people will settle down to business again. Congratulations to Selectman Baxter.

Rev. J. H. Whitaker of Atlantic will preach at the East Milton Congregational church on Sunday.

The Sunday school of the East Milton Baptist church are rehearsing for an Easter concert.

Christopher Graham is still confined to his bed with stomach trouble. He is on the mend however and his friends hope to see him out again soon.

An alarm was sounded from Box 34 at 1.02, Tuesday, for a fire on the roof of the engine house at Matthews quarry on Pleasant street. The fire was probably caused by sparks from the stack. Damage slight.

The alarm from Box 47 at 8.25 A. M., Wednesday was for a fire in a house on Canton avenue occupied by a family named McGowan. The family were away and the fire which started back of the kitchen stove was discovered by a man passing by who gave the alarm. But little damage was done.

Full Beards as Protectors.

The unmarried young men in the Engineers and Sewer departments at City Hall are growing full beards. These young men have generally been considered as possessing considerable personal charm, and there has been some query as to why they should grow full beards in the spring of the year.

After a careful study of the situation it has been determined that the reason for this unusual precedure was because it was leap year. The young men got the idea that some young ladies might have designs upon them, and take advantage of the privileges that leap year gives young ladies.

As a matter of self protection, they commenced growing full beards. It was a wise move for no sane young lady would for a moment think of proposing to anyone with a face such as these same young men are now exposing to public view. On the whole the remedy is worse than the disease.

A Museum for Relics.

The Advisory Committee on Cooperation in Patriotic Work met on Monday in Boston. Miss Laura Wenthworth Fowler, founder and honorary regent of Old South chapter, and a delegate from the D. A. R. society, reported regarding investigations in search of suitable headquarters or a museum for relics, which would be available for patriotic societies. The Dorothy Q. house at Quincy was one of those considered.

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Minstrel Show.

Tickets for the minstrel show to be given by the First Church Social Club in the Unitarian chapel on Friday, March 11, at 8 o'clock, may be obtained at the office of L. S. Anderson, 9 Savings Bank Building, between the hours of 8 A. M. to 12 M., and 2 to 5 P. M.

Tickets should be purchased early, as they are selling rapidly and the seating capacity is limited. 9-3t

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HIGH SCHDULE.

Base Ball Pra May Begin Next Week—d Timber.

With the disappce of the snow and ice, baseball begun to be a topic for discussicthe Quincy High school, and candicfor the team are anxiously lookingward to the first day of practice. ay be possible to begin light pra at Merrymount park next week, legular work will probably be defe until next term, which opens Apri

The outlook fgood team at the High school this seems very bright. Miller, first baseoyce, second base, and Williams, t base, are out of school, but abun material will undoubtedly appearfill these positions. Among the moromising new candidates for the t are: Ewen, '06, Gram '04, and Fell '05.

Bennett '04, o played in centre field last year, Ibeen elected captain of the nine. er members of last year's team, ware now in school, are: Fenno andake, catchers; Rooney, pitcher; Haunders, short stop; Davenport, thi base; Shortle, left field; and O'Bri, right field.

The followinghedule of games has been arranged bhe management:

April 22, Thayer Ademy at Braintree.
" 26, Open dat
" 29, North Atgon High at Quincy.
May 3, Adams Ademy at Quincy.
" 13, Cambrid High at Quincy.
" 17, Revere Fh at Quincy.
" 20, Milton Fh at Milton.
" 24, Weymos High at Quincy.
" 27, Mechan Arts High at Quincy.
" 31, Dedham High at Quincy.
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or thin materials. It is possible to obtain beautiful markings even in a narrow strip.

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There is a new princess gown made with a sort of guimpe. The body part is of black jetted or embroidered material, and the guimpe is of very thin spangled or plain material with transparent sleeve puffs.

Trains even on evening gowns are much shorter, and the sides are longer, so that a round, full effect is gained.

It is rumored that the ruby will be the popular gem of the coming season, and this will be combined with dull silver and platinum.

The illustration shows an evening gown of pink mull made with shirrings. It is trimmed with duchess lace applications. JUDIC CHOLLET.

A Professor, a Flirt And Another Girl

[Original.]

Professor Martin, a young scientist, taught a class of girls at Miss Raiford's school three times a week for one hour a day. He never began his lecture without blushing and stammering, but when he once forgot the battery of eyes leveled at him he ceased to flounder and warmed to his subject.

"Girls," said Kate Doughty one day after lecture, "I'm going to make love to "Marty" (the professor's sobriquet).

"What for?" asked Celia Thurston.

"For fun."

"Try it, Kate," said one.

"Don't," said another. "He'll faint."

"Don't you think you'd better be studying up for examinations?" asked Miss Thurston.

"Oh, Celia, you make me tired! You're too serious for this world. I shouldn't have said anything about this matter before you. You'll go to Marty and give me away."

"I would have a perfect right to do so, but I won't."

"Why not, if you think a little fun such a sin?"

"Because if he is so stupid as to be gulled by you he is not worth saving from the misery you may cause him."

"I don't mean to cause him any misery. I want to give him a lesson in lovemaking. It's just the thing he'll need when he comes to want a wife."

So Kate at the conclusion of the next lecture on solar physics remained in the classroom after the other girls had departed, ostensibly to ask some questions.

"You say, Professor Martin," she said, casting her eyes down demurely, "that the heat of the sun makes us, builds up our bodies, gives us the heat we need. Does it make the heart beat?"

"Certainly, though we can more readily trace the connection to electricity. It has been demonstrated that the heart pulsates"—

"Oh, professor," said Kate, looking up with mock reproach in her eyes, "you're not going to tell me that love is nothing but electricity!"

Flirts and lady killers know that the most effective way to make love, as well as the safest way, is to look it rather than say it. Out of Miss Doughty's eyes there came a look of tenderness that was intended to appear spontaneous, uncontrolled. How she called up the blush that accompanied it is a mystery, unless indeed it came from a sense of guilt at the part she was playing.

"I was considering the heart as a mechanical contrivance, not as an emblem of affection," replied the professor, apparently oblivious to Miss Doughty's innocent rumor of betraying her love for him. "Experiments upon the heart of a frog"—

There was a suppressed titter at the keyhole, where two or three of the girls were listening—the rest had too much sense of honor to stoop so low—but neither the professor nor Miss Doughty heard it.

"A frog is such a cold thing, professor. Surely you wouldn't consider my heart and that of a frog in the same category?"

This was accompanied by another reproachful look which might mean a good deal more than a mild reproof for bringing the frog into the discussion.

"You are mixing the domain of matter and force with that of the soul." The professor persisted in ignoring the girl's lovelorn looks. "With the latter I have nothing to do. If I can help you to understand the subject of these lectures I shall be happy to do so. If you desire points on psychology I would recommend"—

"No, no, professor, you mistake me All I wanted to know was whether the sun causes our mechanical hearts to beat. The subject of love, I admit, is in quite a different domain, a domain in which I would never think of consulting one so—so unsympathetic."

The professor had assumed a very decided tone, and Miss Doughty's last words were a final effort to break through his reserve. He stood leaning on his desk waiting. Miss Doughty had persisted in leading him away from his legitimate subject, and he did not encourage her to remain longer. She gave him one glance and saw that she had been defeated. Then, with a cold "thank you," she left the room.

For the rest of the term Miss Doughty, who was very much disgruntled at her ill success in making a fool of Professor Martin, was dubbed by her schoolmates "the frog hearted Miss Doughty." This annoyed her excessively, but something she began to notice during the last week before vacation worried her. The professor and Miss Thurston were seen frequently together and took no pains to conceal an appearance of an especial interest in each other. Then one day the girls all received invitations to the wedding of Professor Elnathan Martin and Miss Celia Thurston, to take place the day after the graduation exercises.

With flaming cheeks Miss Doughty approached Miss Thurston to apologize for her attack on the professor.

"Oh, that's of no consequence, Kate. You mustn't think ill of Professor Martin. He couldn't very well respond. In the first place, he doesn't know how to flirt, and in the second, being engaged to me at the time of your attack, he had to behave himself. Don't fail to come to the wedding. We shall both expect you."

But Kate found it expedient to leave for home immediately after the graduating exercises. Her luck as a flirt was never good. She was jilted three times before she was married, and her husband was the most prosaic of men.

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On and after Oct. 18, 1903, trains will run as follows:

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r 9 12	ad	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
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r 11 12	af	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abd	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
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r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
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r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefg	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 45	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 45	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
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r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50			

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f Harrison Square, g Savin Hill, h Crescent Avenue, i South Boston, r Quincy Adams.

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Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.
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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy)—5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M. then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs)—6.50 7.25, 8.10 A.M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.5 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston)—6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON -7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

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Probable Purpose to Cover a Land Move Near By

THE MILITARY SITUATION

Most of Correspondents Agree That Japanese Are at Fung Wang Chang, In Manchuria, but There Is Nothing to Show How They Got There--Would Have to Pass Through Antung, Fortified by Russians, If They Started From Base at Ping Yang, and Meet the Enemy

London, March 11.—Neither the official nor the independent dispatches published here add much knowledge to the progress of the war. It is known that Port Arthur was yesterday treated to the most severe pounding by the Japanese fleet that it has experienced since the war began. The assault began at midnight, and did not end until 8 o'clock in the morning. The extent of damage to the fortifications and towns is not reported. The purpose of such a long bombardment does not appear unless it is to cover a land move nearby. It is known, however, that the Japanese believed that by using an extreme elevation and listing their ships slightly, they can reach the inner harbor, where the Russian ships are assembled, the Newsky Engine works, the arsenal and the dockyards.

It may be that the gun practice was to test this theory which, if proved true, would be likely to cause demoralization among the garrison. The Japanese know accurately the location of every important part of Port Arthur, and would not be firing at random. The crown of Golden Hill is only 410 feet high, and if fired at a fair distance out to sea, it would seem that shells might be made to drop over the inner brow of the elevation into the basin and town, but little over a mile beyond.

As there is a congestion of ships in the inner harbor, it is not impossible, accepting the Japanese proposition, that a severe bombardment might result in injury to them. If, on the other hand, the attack was to cover a landing of troops, it might be assumed that an attempt was being made to break the railroad line in the immediate vicinity of the port.

Speculation regarding the military situation on the Yalu river is most keen, but no news of a reliable character has been received.

The Nagasaki correspondent of The Daily Express asserts that 20,000 troops have been shipped from Japan and that a portion of the second army corps is now on its way to Korea.

As an illustration of the curiously contradictory character of reports from the far east received here the Kin Chau correspondent of The Daily Chronicle mentions Fung Wang Chang (about 45 miles northwest of Antung, in Manchuria) as one of several points of Russian concentration, while other correspondents have reported that the Japanese have captured Fung Wang Chang.

Most of the reports, however, agree that the Japanese are at Fung Wang Chang, but how they got there is not stated. It is assumed by many that the army is part of the force landed in Korea, and started from the base at Ping Yang. This does not seem likely, as Ping Yang is, in round numbers, 200 miles southeast of Fung Wang Chang. The only practicable way for a Japanese force of sufficient strength to venture so far into Manchuria to get to Fung Wang Chang is over the Seoul-Pekin highway. As this road passes through Antung on the north bank of the Yalu, which place has been occupied and fortified by the Russians, the theory that the Japanese have traversed it would have to include the abandonment of that line by the czar's troops without striking a blow.

Now it seems probable if the Japanese are at Fung Wang Chang, as stated, they reached there through Takushan, on the Gulf of Korea. From here there are several roads by which an army could get to Fung Wang Chang. Russia has strong forces at Liao Yang and also at Mao Ting Ling, 30 or 40 miles nearer Fung Wang Chang, on the great highway. Any Japanese column not of great strength would be in a precarious condition, placed between these strong Russian forces on the northwest and the equally strong Russian forces on the Yalu to the southeast.

It is possible that this occupation is part of a plan to encompass the Russians on the Yalu by taking them in the rear while the Japanese army in Korea advances across the Yalu on their front. It may well be that the Japanese have landed also at Tashan, on the west coast of the Liao Tung gulf. If they have they would have the railroad running northeast to Sin Min Ting over which to move toward Mukden. More accurate information regarding this reported land movement must be received before forming any hard and fast conclusions.

The Shanghai correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says that the Japanese, after Port Arthur is neutralized, probably will move two armies to the north simultaneously, one from the southern part of the Liao Tung peninsula, and the other from the Yalu river.

A correspondent of The Daily Telegraph who was in Japan recently wires from Seoul that the Japanese are making steady progress with their land movements. The roads are occupied by Japanese troops.

According to a Tien Tsin correspondent of The Standard the Russians are withdrawing all their superfluous troops from Port Arthur to Harbin and Kirin because of the shortness of provisions, and because it is doubtful whether or not they would be able to hold either Port Arthur or New Chwang against a resolute attack.

The spirit of the Russian troops, who are largely recruits, has been broken by starvation, cold and harsh treatment from their officers. The Russian losses on the Yalu river are reported to reach a total of 2000 men.

Chinese Homes Appropriated

Yin Kow, March 11.—The concentration of troops at the Russian strategical base has resulted in much suffering among the Chinese inhabitants, especially at Liao Yang, where even private buildings have been appropriated to accommodate the soldiers and thousands of Chinese are consequently without homes. Russian troops are encamped at all the essential points along the railroad.

Conflict Without Casualties

Tokio, March 11.—Russian and Japanese mounted scouts met north of Ping Yang Wednesday. After a brief engagement the Russians retreated. No casualties are reported on either side.

Vladivostok Bombarded Twice

Tokio, March 11.—Information obtained from private Korean sources is to the effect that the Japanese squadron has bombarded Vladivostok twice since March 6.

Wreck on Siberian Road

Tomsk, March 11.—A military train bound for Irkutsk, eastern Siberia, was derailed near here. One person was killed and a number of others were injured.

Russia Dickering For Coal

Liverpool, March 11.—Inquiries were made here for steamships to carry coal on Russian account and the rate to the far east rose to 50 shillings a ton. Several foreign-owned ships have accepted charters. They are required to call at Kiao Chou, where they will receive orders to call at Port Dalny, Port Arthur and Vladivostok.

A BRAINY JAPANESE.

Baron Komura, Japan's shrewd minister of foreign affairs, is a graduate



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Mt. Wollaston Lodge Twenty Years Old

ODD FELLOWSHIP

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The Grand Master at Anniversary.

Splendid Exemplification of the First Degree.

Perhaps the reason why Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows has been successful,—Why it has marched along so steadily and gained in membership and finances,—is the fact that the lodge was instituted in the month of March. It also moved into its present hall in March. The start of Mt. Wollaston lodge was phenomenal. There was a charter list of 24 Odd Fellows and over 100 petitioners. The lodge was instituted on a Monday morning, March 10, 1884, and candidates were initiated both afternoon and evening, and there was a banquet about 5 P. M. Again on Tuesday evening, Wednesday evening, Thursday evening, Friday evening and Saturday evening candidates were initiated, so that at the end of the first week the membership was nearly 150.

They were very busy days. The lodge was the first tenant of Wilson's hall and continued there five years, moving in March 1889, to the Adams building. The lodge was instituted by Grand Master Cochrane and on the board were Grand Secretary Cole, Grand Treasurer Perkins, Charles B. Newton, Joseph York and others.

At the dedication of the present hall the new form of service was used, and a banquet and dancing followed.

The 20th anniversary Thursday evening was the occasion of a visit from the Grand Master, Sumner P. Lawrence who was accompanied by Grand Deputy Master Fuller, Grand Instructor William Webber as Grand Marshal, District Deputy Frank M. Churchill and and Past Grand George H. Carver of Hobah lodge.

An exmplification of the first degree was given in excellent style by the degree staff, with Past Grand Hobart as degree master.

A banquet followed, including salads, cold meats, mashed potato, cake, fruit, coffee and cigars.

Noble Grand Wood presided at the post prandial exercises, and heartily welcomed the Grand officers.

Past Grand Cobb gave a brief history of the lodge and Odd Fellowship in Quincy.

Grand Master Lawrence was much pleased with the work. He regretted the sickness and absence of Past Grand Franklin Jacobs, and paid him a high tribute. The Grand Master urged the importance of regular attendance at lodge meeting, and said an effort should be made for a membership of 500. The order at large had over a million members, and there were 54,000 Odd Fellows in Massachusetts. Over four millions are paid annually in aid. It was a grand fraternity, second to none.

Deputy Churchill, a frequent visitor, said the lodge should feel proud to have the Grand Master witness such tine work.

Grand Instructor Webber was agreeably surprised in the great improvement in the work, and spoke at length in commendation of it. It was worthy of any lodge.

Past Grand Carver told of the benefits of Odd Fellowship in traveling, especially in a foreign country.

The present list of members includes the following who joined the lodge in March, 1884, those with an * being present at the anniversary: Samuel E. Ames, Tobias H. *Burke, A. Frank Bussell, Thomas F. Burke, Frank Brewer, Thomas Bisson, Charles H. Brooks, James G. Crossman, James *Craig, Thomas Clare, Herbert E. Clapp, Edward O. Carleton, Hiram W. *Campbell, Jesse F. Curtis, James *Dunstan, E. J. T. Dexter, Joseph W. Dennen, Albert G. *Dolliver, Samuel *DeForest, Alfred A. Dell, Joseph M. *Francis, Benjamin R. Fuller, John Q. A. Field, George H. Ford, Frank Flood.

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Charles L. *Orne, Frank F. *Prescott, John Pierce, Charles F. Pettengill, Frank C. Packard, Elisha Packard, Asa A. *Pope, Joseph *Prairio, Walter H. *Ripley, Edward B. Souther, Horace W. *Totman, James Thompson, Francis *Veazie, Henry A. Willey, Robert J. Williams, Jasper B. Wentworth, Celestine G. Willey, William S. *Williams, Thomas H. Williams and William J. *Williams.

Thirteen of the 24 charter members of the lodge are now members.

The list of presiding officers of the lodge, who are now members, is given below in the order of service, a * indicating that they attended the anniversary:

Tobias H. *Burke, Charles L. Hammond, Frank F. *Prescott, Hiram W. *Campbell, George W. Cummings, Walter H. *Cobb, Arthur W. *Stetson, Charles L. *Orne, Franklin Jacobs, Nathan Ames, Charles B. Tilton, John C. Stewart, Edward B. Souther, Edward B. Brown, Edward L. *Goodridge, Aubrey R. *Keith, Alex. *Shirley, T. Walter *Good, Wilmot L. Spooner, William Westland, Walter H. *Ripley, Henry P. Furnald, Charles M. Jenness, William J. *Williams, Archibald F. *Macleod, John W. Dunn, Frank W. *Flowers, John W. Arbuckle, William *Paterson, Charles A. *Hobart, Sam *Wood, Jr., Frank *Carlton, Seth W. *Fiske and Charles H. *Wood.

NEW BUILDING.

Enlargement of High School Not Favored by Master Builders Asso.

At a regular meeting of The Master Builders and Traders Association Tuesday evening the subject of enlarging the High School was taken up for discussion. It was the unanimous opinion of those present that instead of making any addition to the present building the interest of the greatest number of pupils would be better served by building a new stucture at South Quincy, which would better accommodate West and South Quincy and Quincy Point.

The point was also made that in case of fire the city would sustain less loss and the pupils be in less danger. It was shown that such a building could be erected at about the same cost as would be required to enlarge the old building. The extra cost in maintaining an extra school building, in their opinion, would be offset by the saving of car fare.

A great saving of time would also be effected in stormy weather, such, for instance, as has prevailed the present winter, the pupils from West Quincy often being an hour late.

Two Small Fires.

The alarm from Box 73 at 8.25 Thursday night was for a slight fire in the boarding house of John Ferrin on Winter street. As there is a duplicate box of this number located in the Fore River yards it is known as one of the hurry-up boxes, and the apparatus lost no time in arriving on the scene. The fire proved to be in one of the boarder's rooms, and there was more smoke than fire. It seems that the boarder had thrown his trousers over a hot radiator and the heat ignited matches in the pocket. The loss will not exceed $5.

The alarm from Box 52 at 5.55 this morning was for a slight fire in the house of Robert Whiteacre, at 226 Safford street. The fire was caused by a lamp coming in contact with a curtain, The damage was slight.

Sudden Death.

Mrs. Lois J. Hatch of Wollaston passed away suddenly Tuesday of heart failure at the age of seventy-two. Her funeral took place Thursday afternoon at the residence of her son, Mr. Charles W. Hatch of 315 Farrington street and the services were conducted by Rev. Edmund Webber of the Baptist church. Five sisters and six sons are left to mourn her loss. A large number of relations and friends from out of town were present at the services. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. The remains were placed in the receiving tomb at Mt. Wollaston.

—Of 1,200 locomotives in use in Japan 500 are American made.

BANK TO MOVE.

National Granite Going to Savings Bank Building.

The National Granite bank will move from its present rooms in the Greenleaf block to the rooms in the Savings Bank building recently occupied by C. F. Derby. The vote to move was practically decided upon Thursday afternoon at a meeting of the directors. At this meeting it was voted to submit a proposition to the Savings Bank for the rooms. This proposition was accepted at a meeting of the trustees of the Savings Bank this morning.

The bank will move as soon as the new rooms can be put in condition. The new quarters will be commodious and doubtless much more attractive than the present rooms.

The National Granite bank was the first banking institution to be established in Quincy. It was originally known as the "Quincy Stone bank and was established in 1836. It was then a State bank with a capital of $100,000, and afterwards increased to $150,000.

In 1864 it gave up the State charter, and became a National bank, and was called the National Granite bank. It was originally located in the building on the corner of Hancock and Saville streets now occupied by Henry P. Kittredge and from there moved to its present rooms in the Greenleaf block.

ST. MARYS AGAIN.

But it Was Close to the Very Finish.

There were fully a thousand present at the Coliseum Thursday night to see the second game of basket ball in the series between the St. Marys and the Quincys for the championship of Quincy. St. Marys won again.

It was a hotly contested game throughout and up to within five minutes of the finish it was anybody's victory.

During the first half Crowell of Quincy was the only man to score a basket.

This with a goal from a foul left the score 3 to 0 in favor of Quincy.

The St. Marys started in to rush things in the second half and in [illegible] ly fifteen minutes the ball was [illegible] bounding from one goal to another.

Toward the end of the second half, Barry scored a basket for St. Marys and Donovan a goal from a foul. This tied the score.

Crowell for Quincy then got a goal on a foul and Donovan did the same for St. Marys, and again the score was tied.

By this time the enthusiasm was at a fever heat. The rooters for both sides howled themselves hoarse in their cheers for their teams.

With three minutes to play Morrell of St. Mary's threw a goal from the side, and the hall resounded with cheers.

Quincy strove hard to tie the score, but were unable and the game went to St. Mary's by a score of 6 to 4.

The game between the junior teams was won by the St. Mary's by a score of 13 to 4.

The summary:

ST. MARY'S.	QUINCYS.
Morrell, l.f.	l.f., Crowell
Donovan, r.f	r.f., Collins
Barry, c.	c., Mahoney
Weston, l.b.	l.b., Knox
Mullen, r.b.	r.b., Gilson

Score—St. Marys, 6; Quincys, 4. Goals from floor—Burrell, 1; Barry, 1; Crowell, 1; Goals on fouls—Crowell, 2; Donovan, 2. Referee—G D. Marshall. Time—20-minute halves.

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Sits Up a Little.

Mr. Henry H. Faxon, who has been seriously ill all the week, is reported as being some better today. He is able to sit up a little although he is still far from being a well man.

—There is a man in Warsaw, Poland, who has the long-distance record for bigamy, bar Utah, Turkey, and a few such places. He has 17 living wives and each and every one of them is glad that he is in jail.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 8, 1904. The Committee on Public Lighting will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of Frederic O. McCartney, for legislation relative to the purchase and use of gas and electric plants by cities and towns, at room No. 440, State House, on Tuesday, March 15th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. E. L. OSGOOD, Chairman. FRED. A. BEARSE, Clerk of the Committee. 10 2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 8, 1904. The Committee on Public Lighting will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of Julius Garst, for legislation relative to the manufacture and sale of gas and electricity, also the petition of Maurice J. Power, for legislation relative to the purchase of gas and electric plants by cities and towns, at room No. 440, State House, on Thursday, March 17th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. E. L. OSGOOD, Chairman. FRED A. BEARSE, Clerk of the Committee. 10-2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

CORNELIUS MOYNIHAN,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Cornelius H. Moynihan of Quincy, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, or some other suitable person, the executors named in said will having declined to serve.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

March 11. 3t—11, 18, 25

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

George Fred Williams says he believes the Democrats will carry Massachusetts. George's believery is always full of queer things.

It is reported that President Roosevelt has invited John Mitchell, of the Mine Workers Union to become the successor of Carrol D. Wright. Will this tend to simplify the complexities?

The Mormon president, Joseph F. Smith, tells the Congressional Committee that he has forty-two children, most of them girls. He adds very earnestly that Reed Smoot should not be held responsible for that fact as he does not furnish the Easter bonnets. This complicates matters terribly.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Flour seems high at $6 per barrel, after it has been sold for $4; but during the great war it retailed for $10, and sugar went up to 42 cents per pound, and poor quality of cotton cloth to 30 cents per yard. The speculators we have always with us.—Lynn Item.

☞President Roosevelt favors the admission to the Union of Arizona and New Mexico as one state, and of Oklahoma and the Indian Territory as another. Of course the people in these territories wish to come in as four states instead of two. It is much better for the politicians to have eight United States senatorships to scramble for than four. But the President's idea is an eminently sensible one. The two state would balance each other politically, Oklahoma being Republican at the start, and Arizona, as the other state would be called, quite certain to be Democratic.

☞The Lawrence Telegram is inclined to take the view that a police commission bill for Lawrence is a slap in the face for the people in that city, and practically is a declaration that they are incapable of conducting their own affairs. The Lawrence Telegram, it seems to us, has the correct idea. The Massachusetts city that is incapable of selecting her own heads of the police department is not a city of which the rest of the State ought to be proud. If the people who do the voting in Lawrence cannot send the too practical politicians occasionally to the right about, and cannot clean house when necessary without going to the State House to have the work done, the Democratic form of government seems to be worse than wasted there. We are not ready to believe that such is the case. The police commission scheme almost everywhere looks to the man on the fence like a straight case of the outs trying to play horse with the ins.—Brockton Enterprise.

—Railway employes in Germany whose service is interrupted by military duties will hereafter, on returning to their work, get credit for the time they previously served, which accelerates their advancement to positions with better wages.

—Chinese brides are carried to their bridegroom's residence in closed sedan chairs, and no one is allowed to see them. The other day two young men at Tsinkiangpu pulled aside the curtains to get a peep at the frightened girl. They were promptly arrested, condemned and beheaded.

Amsterdam, Holland, has for two years had an association for women who personally help families with young children whose mother is sick. They do the mother's work, and allow the father to contribute a mite toward the society's expenses.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

☞Most patents applied for are first rejected by the U. S. Patent Office, but many are afterwards procured through the skilful prosecution of C. A. Snow & Co., Patent Lawyers, of Washington, D. C. The average inventor or lawyer is better able to make his own hat than to procure a valid patent.

RULES OF MORMONS

Church Consent Necessary to Obtain Political Office

THE THATCHER EPISODE

Bowed Absolutely to Fellow Mormons After Making Campaign Against Their Will—Working of Edmunds Law

Washington, March 11.—One of the most interesting and important features of the investigation of the Smoot case before the senate committee on privileges and elections was brought out in the testimony of E. B. Critchlow, formerly an assistant United States attorney in Utah, who told the story of the Moses Thatcher episode.

According to his version, which was borne out by official records, Apostle Thatcher persisted in continuing as a candidate for the United States senate against the wishes of a quorum of the apostles, and on that account was held to be "not in harmony with his quorum." The history of the campaign he made against the wishes of his fellow Mormons, of his defeat and his subsequent trial before a commission of church officials, was given in detail and then Thatcher's submission to the will of the church was read and put in the record of the Smoot investigation.

This recantation showed Thatcher totally broken in spirit and bowing absolutely to the mandates of the church in that the consent of an officers' quorum must be obtained in order that he may continue in good standing. The purpose of the testimony was to show that it was necessary, according to the rules of the church, for Reed Smoot to have obtained the consent of the church before he could have become a candidate for the senate.

In addition to the Thatcher episode, Mr. Critchlow gave the history of the prosecutions in Utah on charges of polygamous cohabitation, since the passage of the Edmunds law, and the legislation in the territory and state which affects Mormonism or polygamy.

Mr. Critchlow said that prosecutions were inaugurated with vigor and many men and women went into hiding. Over 1000 men were convicted and sentenced. An opportunity was given by the courts to the persons convicted to escape jail service by promising that in the future they would obey the law, but the chance of escaping punishment was not accepted generally, only three persons complying with the ruling of the court.

Continuing, he said: "Among these was Bishop Sharp, a director of the Union Pacific railroad, and an old man, who accepted the terms and was promptly removed, that being understood to be the policy of the church where the doctrine of the church was not upheld by members."

In response to an inquiry in regard to Thatcher running for the senate on a platform not in harmony with the church, Mr. Critchlow spoke of the influence of apostles, giving as an illustration that the apostles gave out the instruction that "It is the will of the Lord that you vote the Republican ticket this time."

Mr. Critchlow said the Democrats protested against the interference by the church in such manner.

Senator McComas asked Critchlow if he would be able to complete the history to the time of the election of Smoot to the senate. The witness said he might give some salient features, but that he was not engaged in politics.

The committee adjourned until today without concluding the testimony of Mr. Critchlow.

House Feeling Runs High

Washington, March 11.—The death of Representative Croft of South Carolina affords an interruption of the debate over the Bristow report, which has been characterized by exhibitions of high congressional temperature. There will be an investigation of the relations of members of the house to the post-office department, according to present plans. This may go further and consider the attitude of department officers towards congressmen.

Heavy Damage From Flood

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 11.—The Susquehanna river has fallen nearly six feet and the receding waters have left devastation in their path from here to Sayre, a distance of 95 miles. There can as yet be no real estimate of the damage done, though it is safe to say the loss to railroad companies, mines and other industries in the Wyoming valley alone will reach $1,000,000.

Gotham Has a New Mystery

New York, March 11.—Abraham Newman, a wealthy money-lender and diamond dealer, was found dead in his office on the Bowery. Robbery had been committed, but whether or not it followed murder is a question which the police have yet to solve. There were no marks of violence on the body and no signs of a struggle in the place. Newman had died in his arm-chair.

Tedious March For Troops

Denver, March 11.—Two troops of the Fifth cavalry, U. S. A., now at Fort Logan, have been ordered to leave the fort not later than March 20, and proceed overland by way of Wingate to Forts Huachuca and Apache. This order prescribes a march of more than 1100 miles and over some rough mountainous country. The trip will require 50 days.

HEARST FACTION WINS

Rhode Island Democrats In Favor of Newspaper Man

Providence, March 11.—The purpose of the majority faction of the Democratic party of Rhode Island to give W. R. Hearst the entire vote of the state's delegation to the Democratic national convention at St. Louis was made evident last night when six of the eight delegates elected by the Democratic state convention earlier in the day met and adopted resolutions declaring that they would be unanimous in Hearst's support and announcing that they proposed to vote later that the "unit rule" govern the Rhode Island delegation.

The other two delegates are known to be opposed to Hearst's candidacy. It was announced after the adjournment of the convention that a solid Hearst delegation might have been elected, but in the interests of the party harmony the majority faction was willing that the minority be represented.

Furthermore, next fall, John J. Fitzgerald, one of the majority leaders, will probably be a gubernatorial candidate, and, in the interests of the party's success at the polls, it was not deemed advisable to take any measures that would tend to disrupt it.

Chinese Consul Stirs Court

Boston, March 11.—Stephen W. Nickerson, representative of the Chinese government in this city, caused a stir in the municipal court before Judge Adams, by jumping up after the evidence for the defense in a Chinese case had been completed, and asking for a further hearing. He alleged that the treatment of Chinese by the police authorities in this city had been the subject of correspondence between himself and the Chinese legation at Washington. He said he might make the situation in Boston one of diplomatic importance. The court refused Nickerson a further hearing, he having already testified.

End of Printers' Strike

Boston, March 11.—The strike of book and job printers was settled last night at a joint meeting of representatives of the Typographical union and the Boston Typothetae. The settlement was in the nature of a compromise. The wages for piece work will be 38 cents per 1000 ems; for time work $17 a week on and after March 14, 1904, until Feb. 1, 1905, and thereafter $18 a week; for machine operators $19 a week from March 14, to Feb. 1, 1905, and thereafter $20 a week. The hours of labor for both hand and machine work remain as heretofore. An arbitration provision was included in the contract.

No New Light on Rich's Death

New Haven, March 11.—E. B. Rich of Fort Dodge, Ia., and a son came to this city to look into the circumstances of the death of R. S. Rich, the Yale junior, who was killed by falling from West Rock. They found nothing that would lead them to reach a different conclusion than that of two weeks ago. At that time inquiry here led the father to believe that his son was temporarily unbalanced and probably jumped from the rock. This ends the investigation into young Rich's death.

Liquor Sellers Want Relief

Boston, March 11.—More than 500 men interested in the liquor traffic in this state, all members of the Massachusetts Wine and Spirit Dealers' association, were the guests of seven directors of that association at a banquet here last night. The principal topic of discussion was the relief of the liquor trade from the burdens which have been gradually imposed upon it, and the recognition by law of its equality of right with other lines of legitimate business in this state.

Less Bread For Same Money

Boston, March 11.—At a meeting of the master bakers of Boston last night it was proposed to reduce the size of bread loaves. The matter will be settled at a meeting to be held next Thursday night. The bakers contended that the increased cost of flour made some such step imperative. A proposition to raise the price of bread 1 cent a loaf was voted down.

Bullet Missed Its Mark

Boston, March 11.—J. J. Cunningham, a private in the United States Artillery regiment stationed at Fort Warren, Boston harbor, was arrested last night, charged with assault with intent to kill Lillian M. Strain. The shooting, it is alleged, was caused by jealousy and occurred at a store where the young woman was employed. The shot did not take effect.

Woman Burned to Death

Dover, N. H., March 11.—Mrs. Frank Mason, aged 60, had retired last night when a lace curtain in her chamber became ignited from a lighted gas jet, the flames communicating to the bed. Mrs. Mason's body was found on the kitchen floor, where she had burned to death after making her way down stairs. The loss by fire was nominal.

Striking Sailors Arrested

Boston, March 11.—Two more arrests in connection with the strike of sailors at this port were made last night when Cristoforo Peirerd and Charles Humcamber were taken into custody. They were charged with unlawfully persuading Alfred Craz, a sailor, to break his shipping contract with L. K. McKeown.

Canal Commissioners' Salaries

Washington, March 11.—President Roosevelt has fixed the salaries of the isthmian canal commissioners at $12,000 a year and in addition thereto $15 a day while they are on the isthmus.

Outlaws Killing One Another

Manila, March 11.—It is reported that the Cavite outlaw bands of Montalon and Samson fought between themselves in the Batangas mountains, with disastrous results to each.

CITY BREVITIES.

W. M. Fraser and family of Greenleaf street are to move to Barre, Vt., this month.

The City Council Committee on Streets took a ride about the city Thursday night, and looked at the locations where electric lights have been petitioned for.

The shipment of granite during the month of February amounted to 3,229,997 pounds, which is a good amount considering what the weather has been. Of this amount 2,022,207 pounds was shipped from South Quincy and 1,207,790 pounds from West Quincy.

There are fifty people in the minstrel show tonight besides Mullaly's orchestra. Mr. Emery L. Crane is the business manager, Miss Florence R. Emery, musical director, Miss Sarah Whicher, pianist, Mr. C. A. Howland, Jr., director of cake walk and Mr. Alan Arnold, property man. Under their management a fine show is sure to be the result.

Ten tables were in play at the whist party at Mrs. Porterfield's on Thursday, and prizes were awarded as follows: Mrs. Donahue, pillow slips; Mrs. Hobart, chair back; Mrs. G. Imlay, chair seat; Mrs. Hawes, vase; Mrs. Philips, basket; Mrs. H. Rogers, half dozen china plates; Mrs. W. Prout, trading stamps; Mrs. Fletcher, gingham apron; Mrs. G. Esson, kettle; Mrs. Daw, glass dish.

He—I suppose you have found some good bargains at Wadsworth's this year?

She—Yes, I have read all his advertisements and taken advantage of the special sales.

He—He has had a great many.

She—Yes. He belongs to the Quincy Yacht club doesn't he?

He—Yes, but what has that got to do with it?

She—Why he seems fond of sales.

He—Oh!

—The United States will now go ahead and dig the canal across the isthmus, cutting the continent with a great waterway for the commerce of all the nations and joining the Atlantic and Pacific oceans. This enterprise has been the dream of the ages. It is a quarter of a century since Ferdinand de Lesseps made his start to realize this dream. He failed; the foreign corporation which succeeded to the rights of the company which was wrecked by fraud and corruption has never had the chance of success. The opportunity has now come to the nation which most properly should undertake the work, and with the ratification of the treaty with Panama the United States has a free hand to proceed. This, however, is only the beginning. With the resources of the American republic back of the enterprise, there can be no doubt of the result. The canal will be built. It remains to be seen whether it will be done in a manner consonant with the dignity of the nation. There are perils in the way. A tremendous amount of "patronage" is placed in the hands of the President at the time when he is seeking nomination and election, and it will be surprising if he does not make use of it.—Boston Courier.

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NEGRO IN SLAVERY

Old Custom In Mississippi Is Not Yet Extinct

MADE HIS ESCAPE TWICE

Stripped and Severely Whipped When Recaptured First Time--Dragged Back With Rope Around His Neck on Second

Jackson, Miss., March 11.—Shep Griffin, a negro, is in jail at Meridian, having been taken from certain persons in Kemper county who, it is alleged, held him in unvoluntary servitude. This is the first substantial charge of peonage that has come to the attention of United States officials in Mississippi and the neighborhood where the arrest was made is in a ferment of excitement.

While the officials decline to discuss the matter, it is learned from other sources that the parties charged with the offense not only have made threats that they would kill the negro and the deputies who arrested him, but also would kill the witnesses against them and burn their property.

Reputable white citizens of Kemper county brought the case to the attention of the marshal, asserting to him that the negro on one occasion had been stripped and whipped for leaving the premises of those who held him. So severe was the beating that his clothes stuck for several days to the gashes made by the lash. On his second escape it is alleged that he fled into Nessobat county, where he was recaptured, pistols were drawn on him, a rope was placed around his neck and fastened to the pommel of the saddle of one of his captors, and he was dragged and driven back into Kemper county.

It appears there was no way for the negro to get away and the bench warrant was the only method by which he could be delivered from those who held him. This action of the federal judge was taken under section 881 of the revised statutes of the United States.

It is learned some of the people who were suspected of having reported the case are terrorized and are hunting insurance agents to get additional protection for their property against incendiarism.

The persons who held Griffin in servitude claimed that he owed them one dollar. This he offered to pay and reputable white citizens also offered to pay the sum, but all offers were declined.

Senate Passes Alaskan Bills

Washington, March 11.—The senate passed a number of bills relating to Alaska, including those for the improvement of roads, the maintenance of schools, the appointment of an additional judge and the extension of the coal laws to the territory.

A bill increasing to $100 a month the pensions of ex-soldiers who have become totally blind on account of service was also passed.

Streams Swarming With Fish

Grand Rapids, Wis., March 11.—Carp have filled the river around Mustingford in such numbers that mills have been obliged to shut down, as the fish get into the water wheels and make it impossible for them to run. The fish are of large size, 10-pounders being common. This is the spawning season for carp and they leave the big streams and crowd into water two to four feet deep.

Got All the Law Allowed

Los Angeles, Cal., March 11.—Colonel Griffith J. Griffith, a capitalist, who shot his wife in the eye and who was found guilty of assault with a deadly weapon, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of $5000. The sentence imposed is the extreme penalty which the law provides in cases of assault. The case will be appealed.

Severe Storm on Pacific Coast

San Francisco, March 11.—A severe storm of wind and rain prevails over the Pacific coast. Telegraph wires everywhere are prostrated. The barometer here fell to 29.23, the lowest on record. The wind reached a velocity of 46 miles an hour. Some damage has been done in this city and it is feared that disasters to shipping may have occurred.

Blizzard In Western States

Superior, Wis., March 11.—Superior is experiencing another furious blizzard. The wind is blowing at the rate of 50 miles an hour.

Marquette, Mich., March 11.—A fierce blizzard is raging in northern Michigan, blockading nearly all trains. Marquette is almost completely cut off from the outside world.

Woman Murders a Woman

Passaic, N. J., March 11.—Mrs. Annie Baletti stabbed Mrs. Mary Polettia, after breaking into her rooms, and then walked to Hackensack, three miles away, and gave herself p to the authorities. Mrs. Polettia was first stabbed in the throat and after she had fallen was struck a half dozen times in different parts of the body.

Tillman Will Soon Be Out

Washington, March 11.—Dr. Richardson states that there is nothing alarming in the present condition of Senator Tillman's throat and that if nothing unforeseen develops he should be able to go out in a few days.

PROFIT IN FROGS' LEGS

A Hundred Thousand Dollar Industry In Minnesota

St. Paul, March 11.—St. Paul and Minneapolis are the largest frog markets in the world. The total receipts for the past year from the frog-catchers of the state exceeded 500,000 dozen, requiring the slaughter of no less than 5,000,000 frogs. Five years ago no frogs were shipped out of Minnesota. Now the business amounts to upwards of $100,000 a year. A novel industry has grown up in St. Paul and Minneapolis in supplying the United States with frog legs. Frogs are found in other states, of course. In the south the supply will probably never become exhausted, but there are no frogs like the Minnesota product for the epicure. This is attributed to the clear, cool water which is found in Minnesota's 10,000 lakes in which the frogs live and have their nests. Frog legs are purchased all through the states by shippers from the two cities, and this occupation gives employment to more than 100 families, who make a good living the year around.

Minnesota-caught frogs are in great demand in New York, Cincinnati, in all the Atlantic states, in California, and in fact every state north of St. Louis, and the demand is constantly increasing. The greatest demand for frog legs exists in the larger cities and comes largely from hotels and restaurants, but throughout the coal and iron districts a good demand for them is growing. In St. Paul and Minneapolis frog legs are to be found on the bill of fare of nearly every hotel and restaurant. Here they cost from 35 to 50 cents per dozen.

The frog-catchers are located near the smaller lakes, throughout the state. They know all the characteristics of the frog, where to find him, how to catch him and where he nests. The heaviest catches are in the fall and spring. The frogs breed very fast and as it only requires a couple of months for them to attain full size it is almost impossible to exhaust the supply.

Miners May Accept Cutdown

Indianapolis, March 11.—The United Mine Workers' local unions in Indiana, Ohio, western Pennsylvania, Illinois, Maryland central Pennsylvania, Michigan, Kentucky, West Virginia and Iowa that are to participate in the referendum vote next Tuesday on the proposition of accepting a reduction of 5.55 percent in wages or closing the soft coal mines on April 1 received their ballots today. With the ballots were sent out the circular letter that the national convention authorized its officers to address to the locals setting out their recommendations that the reduction be accepted and stating the reasons for accepting.

Loisy to Be Excommunicated

Rome, March 11.—It is reported that the holy office, whose members are bound to the strictest secrecy, has decided upon the excommunication of Abbe Loisy, who has refused to renounce his methods of Biblical research.

The works of Abbe Loisy, the Roman Catholic Biblical critic, were not acceptable to the Vatican and five of his best known books were recently placed upon the index expurgatorius. The abbe was reported to have submitted to this suppression of his writings.

Curious Women Made Trouble

Chicago, March 11.—It is expected that the case of the car barn bandits will be given to the jury today. It was thought by many that the conclusion of the case would be reached yesterday afternoon and there was a terrific crush outside of the courtroom. Two policemen were badly bruised by being pushed around by the crowd, two supposed pickpockets were thrown down stairs, one woman fainted and the floor of the hall outside of the courtroom was littered with women's wearing apparel The crowd was composed largely of women.

Effort to Boom Philippines

New York, March 11.—Secretary Taft came here and had a prolonged conference with several railroad and financial magnates. After the conference, which lasted until late in the evening, Secretary Taft said that the possibilities of steam and electric railroad development in the Philippines had been considered, but that no conclusion had been reached. Asked what was the disposition of the capitalists he had seen, he replied: "They are not biting quite as hard as we would like. Still, some of them have displayed interest."

Ham Jury Hears Witnesses

Boston, March 11.—It took just a half hour for the grand jury to hear the witnesses in the case of Wallace H. Ham, the alleged embezzler. The result of the hearing will be made known in open court tomorrow, at which time Ham will probably be called to plead to one or more indictments.

River Steamer Burned

Memphis, March 11.—Steamer Sunshine, plying between Memphis and Cincinnati, was destroyed by fire near Tiptonville. The crew escaped, but boat and cargo were lost. The boat was valued at about $20,000. She carried about 250 tons of freight.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Rev. Edmund Dowse, D. D., who has but recently entered on the 67th year of his pastorate of the Pilgrim Congregational church at Sherborn, Mass., has resigned on account of declining health.

Chairman Jones of the national Democratic committee has issued a call for a meeting of the committee on arrangements at St. Louis April 4.

Third Assistant Secretary of State Pierce has arrived at Naples on a tour of inspection of the American consuates on the Mediterranean.

COLORS AND TEXTURES.

The Revival of Jet—Flowered and Pompadour Silks.

The large Spanish comb is revived, and it will be much worn in the hair this spring. Jet will be worn in the hair also, but brilliant jet which sparkles like gems. It will be shaped into flowers and wide wings.

There is an entire revival of jet in blouses, boleros and entire costumes.



PALE YELLOW WAIST.

Sometimes silver is introduced, but all black is more fashionable. All black, all white and judicious mixtures of black, white and gray are seen on the leaders of fashion now staying in the Riviera.

The revival of flowered and pompadour designs in silk is apparent even in the linings of garments and furs. Petticoats, too, are made of these dainty fabrics and are trimmed with dyed lace and bands of plain silk of a contrasting shade.

Taffeta in pretty pastel shades is smart for evening gowns, but it must be softened by chiffon or soft lace.

All of the new silks come in soft lustrous weaves to allow of plenty of fullness in the making without any stiff, awkward effect.

Skirts for spring wear will be fuller and wider than those that have been worn during the winter. Plaits of all sorts and sizes will insure a perfect fit over the hips, and many ingenious devices have been conceived to give the necessary flare.

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A CRITICAL MOMENT

[Original.]

The first really warm spring morning had come and brought out the blossoms. I was inclined for a walk and sauntered through an open field, then sat on a stile and took a warm bath in the sunshine. I was thinking about Violet. I knew very well that she was intending to come to a decision between me and Howard Swaffield, or, rather, that she had come to a decision and would soon accept Swaffield. I could not blame her. I was twenty-two and poor; Swaffield was thirty-eight and had a fortune.

I was sitting with my eyes bent down on my cane, with which I was tapping a step below me. Looking up, who should I see coming but Violet. As soon as she saw me she crammed a letter into her pocket. As she came up there was a conscious look on her face. It occurred to me that she had written her acceptance of Swaffield and was going to post it.

"What a pleasant morning," said Violet.

"Very," I replied.

"What time does the mail for the city close?"

"At 11, I believe." I took out my watch, "You have a few minutes to spare. Can't you spend them with me here in the sunshine?"

"No." Nevertheless, after some hesitation, she sat down beside me. I continued to tap the step with my cane; she commenced to poke it with the stick of her parasol. We talked about everything except what was nearest our hearts. I was burning to use the opportunity to make a last dash to save her to myself before it should be too late. But what right had I to influence her to refuse a splendid offer only to wait years for me to make a home for her? I might never make a home. Instead of chatting, we passed the minutes she had to spare each thinking of the letter in her pocket, but not referring to it. At last I took out my watch.

"Time's up," I said. "You have just enough to reach the postoffice before the mail closes."

She flushed. "You seem very much concerned about my letter," she said.

"I am."

"I suppose I am the person to see that it reaches the mail at the proper time."

"You forget that I induced you to stop here. It wouldn't do for me to let you forget that time is passing. The person who expects your letter will be disappointed."

"We must all suffer from disappointments. Perhaps if you were me you wouldn't be in a hurry to post that letter."

"I can't reply to that without knowing its contents and to whom it is written."

This was both true and false, especially false.

"Would you like to know?" she asked, looking up at me as if she would like to torture me by telling.

"Why should it interest me?"

"Oh, I have been led to think that anything which concerns me would interest you." She was ruffled again.

"I consider you passed beyond that state which would warrant such interest."

"What an awful disappointment to you!"

"I have many a disappointment before me. It is my part to bear them with equanimity.

"If you go on improving from this point you will acquire wonderful stoicism."

"The letter. Do you wish me to save you the trouble of carrying it? You would now have to hurry, while I could walk the distance leisurely."

"I dare say if you knew the letter's contents you would run all the way to make sure of being in time."

"Then I have an interest in it?"

"Oh, no! You can't possibly have any interest in it. Haven't you just told me that what concerns me has ceased to interest you?"

"I said 'everything' that concerns you, not 'anything.'"

There was another silence. I had lessened the vigor with which I tapped the step; she had increased the frequency of her pokes.

"This delay," said I, "this disappointment to your correspondent, will be laid at my door. I think you had better let me post the letter."

"Yes, if you are so anxious about it. But first I think I will let you read it."

"If there is any confidence in it I hardly think that would be strictly fair to the person to whom it is written."

"It would be perfectly fair since there is nothing in it that concerns you."

"Indeed! I thought you said I would run all the way if I knew its contents."

It is very mean, I will admit, to take advantage of a woman's want of logical sequence, but despite my resolve a few minutes before not to interfere with Violet's making a good match I was playing a desperate game to accomplish that very object. I pushed on remorselessly.

"You have been deceiving me," I said coldly. "One minute you tell me that the letter concerns me and the next that I have no interest in it."

She took it out, broke it open and read me the contents. Her face was hot, her hand was trembling, and she was ready to burst into tears. I took the letter from her and tore it into bits. Then I gathered her into my arms.

I blush for myself that I should have turned Violet at a critical moment from a good match to a poor one and for her that she should have been won by a bit of pique.

VICTOR B. STORM.

LIKELY TO GO FREE

"Impossible" to Indict Men Who Led the Mob at Springfield

Springfield, O., March 11.—The race disturbances which have terrorized the town as the result of the murder of Patrolman Collis, and the subsequent lynching of the negro, Dixon, who shot Collis, is held well in check by the 13 Collis, is held well in check by the 18 thorities are of the opinion that no more troops will be needed to control the situation.

There are unmistakeable signs of ugly feeling on the part of those who have composed the mobs and the authorities realize that the shooting of either a white man or negro, or even a street fight between men of opposite races, would be sufficient to start the mob again on a killing and burning expedition.

In the opinion of City Solicitor Tatum neither the city nor county can be held responsible for the burning of the levee district by the mob. It is realized that it will be extremely difficult to secure a jury that will assess more than nominal damages, if any at all. It is thought that it will be impossible for the grand jury to indict either the leaders of the mob which did the lynching or the subsequent burning.

An immense throng of people were in and about St. Raphael's church to attend the funeral service of Charles Collis, the murdered policeman.

Venezuela to Pay $10,000,000

Washington, March 11.—The official copy of the decision of The Hague tribunal in the Venezuelan cases has just been received at the state department. The total of the claims allowed against Venezuela is in the neighborhood of $10,000,000, about half of which goes to the allied powers, and until they are paid the United States and associated powers get nothing.

Milner's View of Chinese Labor

Johannesburg, March 11.—In reply to a deputation which protested against the delay in the admission of Asiatic labor into South Africa, Lord Milner expressed his sympathy, and said he was convinced that the importation of each 10,000 unskilled laborers would mean in three years' time the advent of 10,000 whites earning comfortable livings.

Killed by Poisoned Candy

Pierre, S. D., March 11.—The coroner's jury which has been investigating the death of Miss Rena Nelson reported that Miss Nelson died from the effects of corrosive sublimate in candy received through the mail at Pierre and postmarked Boone, Ia.

Bogus Lord Wants New Trial

St. Louis, March 11.—A motion comprising 30 reasons has been filed by the attorneys for "Lord" F. S. Barrington, recently convicted of the murder of James P. McCann, setting forth that he is entitled to a new trial.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Saturday, March 12.
Sun rises—6:02; sets—5:47.
Moon rises—3:26 a. m.
High water—7:45 a. m.; 8:30 p. m.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	31	35	46	38	50
Monday,	48	39	47	46	26
Tuesday,	57	38	52	43	40
Wednesday,	43	43	45	40	44
Thursday,	32	48	45	48	51
Friday,	35	27	54	45	51
Saturday,	—	30	55	64	49

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NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

A window was broken in the Atlantic station this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Seller and Miss Elsie Jones spent Thursday in Woburn, Mass.

E. V. Bennett, employed last fall at the Hanley Construction works, is ill at the Quincy City Hospital.

Stephen M. Otis of Quincy avenue, has accepted a position at the Fore River Ship and Engine Co.

A meeting of the Republican City committee was held Thursday night, and April 5 was fixed as the date for caucuses.

The chapel of First church will be much too small to accommodate all who are going to the minstrel show tonight. Many regret it is not given in a large hall.

R. C. I. P. A., local 224, held their regular semi-monthly meeting Wednesday evening in French's hall. The officers for the coming six months were [illegible]d by the State Organizer, Wilnam Wheeler of Lynn. The address of the evening was also by Mr. Wheeler. A social hour followed during which refreshments were served.

The Pride of Granite lodge held a social and musicale in Doble's hall Thursday evening, with invited guests from Boston and Weymouth. The entertainment included: piano solo, by Miss Belliveau; recitation by Mrs. Gould; songs by Mrs. Roleigh, Miss Belliveau, Miss Pitts, Miss Barnicoat and Miss Boutin. Ice cream was served.

Shakespeare.

Colonel Sprague gave an interesting lecture at Livermore hall, Quincy Mansion school, on Thursday, on "The earlier life and environment of Shakespear." His talk was an original search of his own, as he studied Shakespeare he didn't think it possible that he could have become the wonderful man that he was without hard labor. So many writers speak of Shakespeare as lazy in his youth, but Mr. Sprague says his vocabulary and knowledge of the languages all show evidence of hard work. His vocabulary numbers many thousand more words than Milton or the Bible, and five thousand more words than he could have learned at Stratford.

DIED.

MORIARTY—In Quincy Point, March 11, Timothy D., son of Mr. John D and Mrs. Mary Moriarty of 129 Summer street, aged 20 years and 4 months.

CASPOLE—In Atlantic, March 8. Mr. Robert C. Caspole, aged 67 years, 8 months and 8 days.



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Humor and Philosophy

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PERT PARAGRAPHS.

Nothing is so heartbreaking as to find a twenty dollar bill that the cashier pronounces a counterfeit.

Perhaps some people who do not seem to know enough to go in out of the rain do know enough to know that they need a bath.



It is not believed by experts that moral suasion is of much effect in handling mules.

On looking again at the evidence Colombia has discovered that Uncle Sam is not talking through his panama hat.

No one ventures to remark that talk is cheap when money talks.

You can touch a man's heart quicker if you are not trying to touch his pocket.

A Jersey cow gives new Jersey milk even in Nebraska.

A hard winter is the opportunity of some people's life to cut ice.

Does a lady elephant keep her secrets locked in her breast or in her trunk?

Several of the planets are hundreds of times larger than the earth, so it is comparatively speaking that we say man wants but little here below.

A candidate of one of the minor parties does not necessarily get the miners' votes.

Time slips away from the most watchful of men. Only a watch can keep time.

Sometimes a bee buzzing around a man's bonnet may be attracted by the alfalfa on his chin.

When angry, count 1,000 before saying anything if the man is larger than you.

The Same Clock.



When you're at work,
The lazy clock
Will lag and shirk,
As though to mock
Your keen desire
to get away;
It gallops, though,
when you're at play.

A Natural Inference.

"There is a society in England organized to prove that the earth is flat."

"They probably got that idea from reading the London comic papers."

Rivals the Bee.

As at his task he bends his knee
And works his elbow power,
The bootblack, like the busy bee,
Improves each shining hour.

Accounted For.

"He is too slow to catch a cold."
"But he has one now."
"Yes, but it overtook him."

The Trustified Bluff That Did Not Work. A Fable.

Once there was a Man whose assets were Several Thousand Dollars less than the Price of a Street Car Ride and whose Ready Cash could have been crowded into the Left Ear of a Mosquito without causing a Holler from the Society For the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. All that he had in the World was a Cheerful Nerve and an Impressive Front.

Just at the Moment when Things were at Their Worst a Promoter with Mining Stock to Sell at three Cents on the Dollar, warranted to go to 120 before Sundown the Next Day or the Money Refunded, Hove in Sight.

"Ha!" said the Assetless One. "He takes me for a Capitalist. I will not Undeceive Him. Who Knows but the Fates have sent Him to Me in Lieu of a meal ticket."

"He looks like Juicy Picking," said the Promoter Aside. "Come, my Friend," he added aloud. "Let us Repair to a Food Factory, and while our Mobile Countenances are being Sumptuously Fed I will let you in on the Ground Floor on some Stock that has been Reserved for Special Friends because I Like the Cut of Your Jib."

When the Dinner was Ended, after the Penniless One had Squared Himself with His Stomach for Three Days ahead the Promoter airily said: "By the bye, I have left my Pocketbook at Home on the $768 Piano. Could you Loan me Three Vile and Microbe Laden Bucks?"

"Alas," said the Other, "I gave my Last Cent to my Wife this morning to make the Third Payment on her Bonnet amounting to $365.17. I Further Perceive," he Added, "to speak no Longer in the Language of the Fairies, that We are Two of a Kind, and the Only Thing Left for us to do is to Consolidate our Bluff and Try it On the Cashier."

"Not today, Gentlemen," replied that Individual. "We are not Taking Dreams on Account, and you will have to Leave your Watches."

Moral.—A Bluff may Fool The Elect until it is Called.

KILLED ON R. R.

Accident or Suicide at Braintree Station.

James J. Mahoney the Victim.

Formerly a Messenger of the State Legislature.

James J. Mahoney, a well known East Weymouth citizen, was instantly killed at Braintree this morning by the Cape express train, due to pass through Quincy at 10.08. It is said that it was a case of suicide, and that he threw himself in front of the train.

Although Mr. Mahoney has lived in East Weymouth for a number of years, he was born in Quincy and was a son of the late James Mahoney. He was for several years a messenger in the State Legislature, and rose from that position to be postmaster at the State House.

He was ambitious to rise higher and become a candidate for sargeant at arms against the late Capt. Jack Adams. At this time the late Col. Lovell was one of Mr. Mahoney's best friends, and had been instrumental in his success. But Col. Lovell was also a staunch supporter of Capt. Adams.

The result was that Capt. Adams won out, and Mr. Mahoney failed to be reappointed to his position. Since that time he has been engaged in the real estate business. He leaves a widow and several children.

Minstrel Show.

Tickets for the minstrel show to be given by the First Church Social Club in the Unitarian chapel on Friday, March 11, at 8 o'clock, may be obtained at the office of L. S. Anderson, 9 Savings Bank Building, between the hours of 8 A. M. to 12 M., and 2 to 5 P. M.

Tickets should be purchased early, as they are selling rapidly and the seating capacity is limited. 9-3t

Whist at G. A. R. Hall.

At the whist party given in G. A. R. hall Wednesday evening by the Ladies' Aid Society, thirteen tables were in play, and the following were awarded souvenirs: John Keast, six china plates; Fred Hadden, hand plainted placque; Otto Olson, vase; Charles Stoddard, cup and saucer; W. Cushing Baker, box of candy. Ladies were present, but the prize winners would not indicate it.

Unity Club Tonight.

At the Unity club at Wollaston this evening there will be papers by Mr. A. J. Preston and Mr. F. E. Parlin. The former will relate the "Experience of an American sailor in the streets of Japan" and will be read by Miss Mollie Brown of Wollaston Park. Mr. Parlin will speak on "Religion of Japan." Officers will be elected as it is the last meeting before the banquet. All are cordially invited to attend.

Judge Emmons at Braintree.

A grand citizen's meeting will be held in the Town Hall, Braintree, on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, at which Judge Emmons chairman of Boston Police Commissioners will speak on "Good Citizenship."

MOTHER AND CHILD

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MOUNTAINS IN JAPAN.

They Rival In Panorama the Scenery of Switzerland.

On every side of us, from our feet to the golden distance far away, the world stretched mountains, peak upon peak as thick as junks in a Chinese harbor and range beyond range inexhaustible. No sounds of mortal life came up inside the rock, while the river, gentian blue, wound silent in transparent pools below. The panorama in Japan on a splendid summer day is impossible to describe to an English reader who has not been in the east, for such a one will read between the lines the local color in which he was bred instead of the wholly different atmosphere that heightens the charm of the picture there, the brilliant luminous air which invests our eye with telescopic power and brings the whole landscape to our feet, while a soft suspicion of silky haze seems to float a halo round each foliage hidden hill. Switzerland, too, is a mountain world, but small compared with this, the entire content from Innsbruck to Geneva only one-fourth the length of this single island of Japan, a thousand miles of continuous romance. And the quality of the sunshine is what separates by a very wide gulf a summer's day in these latitudes from one in more northerly Europe.—Ernest Foxwell in Cornhill.

TOBACCO LEAVES.

The First Europeans Who Saw Them Used For Smoking.

The first Europeans who saw tobacco smoked were two men whom Columbus dispatched on an embassy immediately after the discovery of the island of Cuba. The names of these envoys, worthy of memory by the smoker, were Roderigo de Jerez and Luis de Torres, the latter a Christianized Jew of special proficiency in Arabic and Hebrew. Six days were allowed to these two worthies in which to accomplish their mission, but after penetrating inland for some twelve leagues and stopping at a village of a thousand inhabitants they rejoined Columbus on Nov. 6, 1492, and recounted the several wonders which had fallen under their notice.

It was on their way back to the Spanish caravels, accompanied by three natives, that they first saw smoking practiced. Several of the aborigines were making use of dried tobacco leaves, which they formed into a long roll, lighted and put in their mouths, swallowing and puffing out the smoke. These primitive and gigantic cigars the natives called tabacos, a name since transferred from its original application to the plant itself.

A MONKEY'S JOKE.

It Gave Him a Good Dinner, While It Startled the Cook.

I remember in a description of India or Ceylon some forty years ago a story of an Englishman who had a monkey. Looking out of his window one day, he saw his cook getting a fowl ready for boiling, while the monkey lay on the ground shamming death, and a party of crows stood at a little distance divided between the desire for the kitchen offal and the fear of the possibly shamming monkey. One crow more adventurous than the rest came within the magic distance and was instantly in the clutch of the monkey. At the same moment the cook, having finished trussing the fowl, put it into the pot and went away.

The monkey plucked his crow as he had just seen the cook pluck the fowl, took the fowl out of the pot, put the crow in and retired with his exchange. When the cook came back and saw the fowl left preparing for his master's luncheon turned black he was, as may be supposed, struck black with terror at this manifest intervention of the evil one.—London Spectator.

Shorthand Pioneer.

That the ancients were thoroughly conversant with shorthand is an undisputed fact. It subsequently became a lost art until revived or rediscovered toward the end of the sixteenth century. At this time there lived William Lawrence, who died in 1621 and was buried in the cloister of Westminster abbey. There the visitor may read his epitaph, which includes the following lines:

Shorthand he wrote; his flower in prime did fade,
And hasty death short hand of him hath made.

Tennyson and Browning.

As the world knows, Robert Browning and Tennyson were always the best of friends, and there was never a shade of rivalry on either side. A mutual friend once asked Browning whether he did not think that Tennyson's ballad of "The Revenge" owed its inspiration to his own ballad of "Herve Riel." "No," he answered; "Tennyson's inspiration is all his own."

Soft and Softer.

"How beautifully soft it is!" he murmured, laying his hand on her glorious white arm.

"How less beautiful, but, oh, so much softer!" she tenderly replied, laying her jeweled hand on the top of his venerable head.

A Mercenary Preference.

"She despised him because his parents were poor, but honest."

"No," said Miss Cayenne; "she didn't despise him, but she preferred a man whose parents were neither."—Washington Star.

Which Was Far Worse.

Williamson—Does your wife always have the last word? Henderson—Well, if she doesn't, old fellow, she looks it.—Smart Set.

It is better to swallow a lie than to utter it.

MANY FRIENDS

Attend the Funeral of Mrs. Margaret Burke.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Burke was held from the residence of her daughter Mrs. George E. Sprague, corner of River and Washington streets, Thursday afternoon, and was very largely attended. The service was conducted by the Rev. C. Conklin of the Universalist church, assisted by the "Moore" quartette, which sang, "Some Day We'll Understand," "Come with Me," and "Abide with Me."

There was a large display of flowers including:

A pillow, with the word "Mother."
Crescent, with the word "Grandma."
Galax leaf Wreath, roses and violets, from Mr. and Mrs. William Drake.
Spray of lilies and hyacinths, from Mr. and Mrs. J. Bates.
Spray of roses and violets, from Miss Georgie Hobart.
Bunch of callas, from Mrs. S. Oxford and Mrs. E. R. Langley.
Bunch of callas and pinks, from Mrs. G. Philips, and Mrs. Woodsum.
Bunch of callas, from Mrs. Lothrop.
Spray of tulips and roses, from Mrs. M. A. H. Crane.
Spray of callas and violets, from Miss Ada M. W. Penniman.
Sheaf of wheat, from the family.
White pinks, from Mrs. Magnall.
Roses and pinks, from Mrs. F. L. Blood.
Roses, from Mrs. W. E. Burke.
Lilies and pinks, from Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Taylor.
Flat bouquet, from Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burke.
Flat bouquet, from Mrs. Jennie Holton and family.
And several other bouquets and cut flowers from friends.

The interment was at Mt. Wollaston.

TODAY'S COURT.

Anthony Mullen was fined $15 for drunkenness at Quincy. He was given until next Monday to raise the money.

John J. Tracy was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Frank Cleary was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. Case continued until March 26.

PREMIER KATSURA OF JAPAN.

Count Katsura is Japan's premier and minister of the interior. Soldier as well as statesman, he received his



GENERAL COUNT TARO KATSURA.

military education at a German war college and is a field marshal in Japan's army.

Sources of Genius.

The proportion of distinguished men and women contributed from among the families of the clergy can only be described as enormous. In mere number the clergy can seldom have equaled the butchers or bakers in their parishes, yet out of 1,030 cases of genius only two butchers and four bakers are definitely ascertained to have produced eminent children as against 139 parsons. The eminent children of the clergy outnumbered those of lawyers, doctors and army officers put together. On the other hand, such is the eccentricity of genius that the clerical profession produces more idiots than any other class. — From Havelock Ellis "Study of British Genius."

Flowers and Twilight.

As twilight approaches a garden filled with brilliant flowers the red flowers will first lose their gorgeous color as the light diminishes, and then the grass and leaves will appear grayish. The last flowers to part with their distinctive color, white flowers being left out of the account, will be the blue or violet ones. This fact is useful to such insects as, in order to avoid their enemies, visit wild flowers in the twilight.

No Mischief.

"Willie, are you and Ben in any mischief out there?"

"Oh, no," replied the boy. "We're all right. We're jest playin' ball with some eggs the grocer left to see how many times we can catch one before it breaks."—Chicago Post.

Dangerous.

"Some scientists," began Mr. Gay significantly, "consider kissing dangerous. Do you?"

"Well," replied Miss Smart, "I think it would be for you. My big brother is within call."—Exchange.

Failure is to be untrue to the best you know, and the best you know is to stay where you are and do what you can as well as you can.—Marbie D. Babcock.

A DIFFERENCE OF TEN YEARS

[Original.]

At nineteen I fell desperately in love. The object of my affection was Miss Winifred Stirling, aged twenty-nine. I was too young, too sensible of my inferiority, to make love to her. Indeed, there was little opportunity, for she had hosts of admirers among men who were of a suitable age for her.

While I had not the courage to thrust myself forward among so many suitors, I could not forbear telling my love, or, rather, writing it, for even had I plenty of opportunity I could not have spoken it. So without having expressed admiration or having so much as sent a handful of flowers I sat down and wrote a love letter, ending with a proposition of marriage.

The mail in which a reply should have come did not bring it, nor the next, nor the next. A week passed before I gave it up. Then it occurred to me that the lady did not consider me of sufficient importance to warrant a reply. Two weeks after the writing of my epistle I went back to college for my second year.

Ten years passed. The lady of my love had been replaced by the ladies of my loves. I was not married and had no expectation of being married. My attentions to the fair sex had been like the two ends of a barometer, one end of which goes down as the other goes up. As I grew in age the girls I fancied were of more tender years. At twenty-nine I fancied maidens of nineteen.

One morning, hearing the postman's whistle, I went to the door, where he had been dropping the letters through a slit into a box inside, to get my mail. I dropped a package and on stooping to pick it up saw the white corner of a letter between the bottom of the box and the door. I pulled it out, and another followed. Prying the box away from the door, a dozen letters dropped to the floor. I picked them up and found them of various dates, running back for a number of years. On opening them I found one that startled me. It was signed "Winifred Stirling." It read:

Your letter was a great, but, I admit, a pleasant, surprise. I confess that I have admired for a long while one whom I have been used to consider the soul of honor and whose youthful enthusiasm contrasts with the worn emotions of older men. I would accept your proposal but for one reason—when you are my age, twenty-nine, I will be thirty-nine. Will you then love me as you do now? I leave it to you to decide. If you are sure you will, come and see me tomorrow evening. If not, let us drop the matter here.

Was ever test so put upon a man in the very nick of time? I saw it all. I had not called, and she had supposed I had come to a negative decision. I tried to picture how she would look at this advanced age. I could form no image except the one I remembered. I read again the words "one whom I have been used to consider the soul of honor." I had made a proposal. It was not the lady's fault that I had not received my reply. I was unmarried and fancy free. There was nothing for me to do but proceed as I would have proceeded ten years before or live in her contempt, as I had doubtless lived for the past ten years. My amour propre triumphed. I was the same individual, with the same sensitiveness. I learned Miss Stirling's address—she was still Miss Stirling—and wrote her the explanation of my long silence. She replied by inviting me to come and see her.

I found a woman attractive in what constitutes attractiveness in women of her age—that is, intelligence, tact, sympathy, indeed all traits except beauty. There was still enough of woman's witchery about her to lend a sparkle to her eye at my position, which seemed to amuse her immensely.

"We meet," she said, "just in time to fulfill the terms of my letter. Nothing could be more to the point. Look at me and tell me if at twenty-nine you can love a woman of thirty-nine."

"I can," I said, with my tongue, calling up what resolution I could to screen the falsehood.

"What a valiant liar!" she exclaimed, laughing. "You're splendid. Why did not fate put you ten years ahead of me instead of ten years behind?"

"Because fate wished to prove that there are certain men whose hearts, once fixed, never change," was my sturdy reply.

"Bravo!" she cried, clapping her hands. "You should have lived in the days of knight errantry. Be seated and tell me all about it. I would give worlds to have seen your face when you read my letter. Let me see; you are just entering upon that age when men first begin to delight in the 'buds.' Nineteen is the age for you now. Every few years you will drop a year till you get down to fifteen. There you will stop."

There had been something about Miss Stirling that had filled me with rapture, and the essential features of that something were with her yet. I began to wonder if, after all, it would be so hard to play the part of lover to this mature woman. I left her, but was not content till I saw her again. She became my best friend. Her judgment was better than mine, and I consulted her. Her savoir faire was excellent, and it smoothed and soothed me. She became my constant companion. I gave up society, at least the dancing part, and spent my leisure time with her. At last we married.

Yesterday I laid her in the grave. My heart is there with her. It will remain there till my earthly part is placed beside her. F. A. MITCHEL.

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THE PROBLEM

Shall We Have a Wart on High Schoolhouse?

John L. Miller Against Enlargement.

Argues in Favor of Second High Schoolhouse.

Editor of the Quincy Ledger:

I notice in your edition of the 9th you report that the Committee on Public Buildings from our City Council has decided to report in favor of the Gould plans for the extension of the High School building at a cost of $60,000.

Now, Mr. Editor, I consider this a very important question for the taxpayers and one that every citizen should be deeply interested in—the buildings our children are educated in. They should not be compelled to study in corridors or basements.

Yet our City Council should eschew every appearance of politics on this question and do the very best, in consideration of the next twenty years. If they decide that the present building must have a wart built on to it, why expend so much money? I am informed that architect James Murray has a plan submitted that many think superior to all others, and calls for an expenditure of only about $35,000, and there is very little tearing away of the present building.

Why can't the plans be put on exhibition somewhere in City Square for a week, and let the taxpayers see what they are expected to pay for?

But, Mr. Editor, I am opposed to the project of an addition to the present building. It is complete as a structure now and any addition must detract from the appearance of the building.

Then I believe it is poor policy to put six or seven hundred young people into one building. Suppose it should get badly damaged by fire? we would be without a High school for quite a season. Suppose an epidemic was to get started in one section of our city, the school would have to be closed and all the boys and girls stay at home.

If the Council will adopt Councilman Piper's plan and have two separate buildings in different parts of the city, all the above risks would be obviated.

As a superior business proposition, it is not to be compared with the addition project. For from sixty to eighty thousand dollars we can get a good new building that will do for years to come.

The lot of land proposed by Councilman Piper is high and dry, with no expense of grading. The price is just what the city taxes it for, and it is about in the centre from Ward 2 and 4, and only a fair walk from either ward.

Then we must consider that the great growth in our city is in wards 2, 3 and 4. Ward 3 has grown from one of the smallest wards ten years ago to the largest in the city.

These being the facts, what good reason can there be for the children of these populous wards having to travel to Butler's brook for the sake of having one big ark of a building? The sentiment is strong for a separate building in the south end of the city.

Some will say that two buildings will require two masters, but not of necessity, as several of our schools at the present time are managed by one master for two buildings, and the two High buildings can be managed the same.

If we were so short-sighted as to build a wing on the present building now, it will not be five years until there will have to be another wing built, and then it will look like a big shoe factory.

Let our Council pass the Piper order, then the new building can be built without disturbing the school by the litter and racket incidental to the erection of such a building. The south part of the city will save thousands of dollars each year in car rides and shoe leather, and our present Council will show their wisdom and receive commendation from all citizens in future years.

J. L. Miller.

Local Hits Numerous And to the Point.

Social Realm.

If fortune, with a smiling face,
Strew roses on our way,
When shall we stoop to pick them up?
Today, my friend today!
But should she frown with face of care,
And talk of coming sorrow,
When shall we grieve, it grieve we must?
Tomorrow, friend, tomorrow!

—Mackay.

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Today is Founder's day at the Woodward schoool and in observance of the event appropriate exercises are to be held this evening in Woodward hall. Tennyson's "Princess" is to be given with a full cast and a fine production is looked for, as the Woodward girls excel in theatricals. Music will precede the play under the direction of Mr. John D. Buckingham.

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Miss Gertrude Waterhouse of Wollaston has several designs among those on exhibition in Boston which are to be sent to the St. Louis fair. Several are fine color schemes suitable for interior decoration.

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Dr. Gallagher delivered an address last week Friday in Philadelphia before the Religious Education association. Among other speakers from this vicinity were Dr. Peabody and Prof. Moore of Harvard, Principal Huling of the Cambridge High School and Mr. Bailey of the Mass. State Board of Education.

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Mrs. Edward Angier of Presidents Hill gave a delightful party on Monday afternoon in observance of her little son's birthday.

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The annual meeting of the State Society of the Daughters of the Revolution is to be held on Evacuation day, Thursday March seventeenth, at Chipman hall, Tremont Temple, Boston.

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Miss Edith Crocker entertained the Shakespeare club at her home at Brainttee, Thursday afternoon. At the close of the business meeting the company were invited to the dining room where they enjoyed a dainty lunch.

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On Wednesday evening, March the sixteenth, at quarter of eight, the pupils of the Quincy Mansion school are to give a recital in Mary A. Livermore hall.

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Mr. Harry Slade is in town for a few days.

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After a pleasant series of meetings for pleasure and profit the Tawasentha club will bring the season to an end on Thursday evening, March seventeenth, when they will hold their anniversary. The committee for the evening are Mr. John F. Hunt and Miss M. E. Fletcher.

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The Study club was very hospitably entertained on Tuesday evening by Miss Sara Thomas at her home on Granite street. The meeting was in charge of Miss Alice Porter. The subject of the evening Shakespeare and his "Comedy of Errors" was enthusiastically discussed by the large number of members present, followed by a very interesting paper on the life of Shakespeare, read by Miss Clara Emery.

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Miss Georgie W. Flint is the guest of Mrs. William H. Faxon, of Buffalo, New York, and later will spend several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Potter, nee Field, of the same city.

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Rev. John Snyder of Wellesley Hills, who is to lecture in the Alliance course next week, is a class-mate of Rev. Mr. Butler's. All who remember Mr. Snyder's delightful rendering of Dickens' "Christmas Carol" at the Christmas meeting of the Alliance will be glad of this opportunity to hear him again.

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Miss Nellie Potter of Braintree entertained the afternoon whist club Tuesday afternoon. The honors were taken by Mrs. O. B. Oakman and Mrs. W. A. Torrey.

ELECTROCUTED.

Employe in Shop of Alex. Clark & Co. Gets a Fatal Shock.

William Stevens, aged about 22 years, employed at the blacksmith shop of Alex. Clark & Co., was instantly killed about 1 o'clock this noon by a shock from a live wire.

From what can be learned of the affair it appears that the young man was standing on a bundle of steel. He reached up and took hold of the electric light globe to turn on the light. In some manner his hand came in contact with the brass work of the globe and a circuit was completed through his body and the steel upon which he was standing.

One agonizing cry was all he uttered as he fell over dead.

Physicians were hastily summoned by telephone.

Dr. McLennan was the first to arrive, but the young man was past aid.

Mr. Stevens was a relative of Mr. Clark for whom he worked.

He was unmarried and lived at 7 Prospect Hill. He was very popular among the young people. His sudden death cast a gloom over his fellow workmen.

SOCIAL REALM.

The Smart Set whist club held its eighth meeting Tuesday evening with Miss Grace Batson of Upland road Quincy. Originally framed pictures of theatricial stars were given as souvenirs the idea being carried out in excellent selections of four pictures for prizes, awarded to Miss Underwood, and Miss Ruth Bassett, Mrs. Charles R. Hendrie and Miss Addie Mae Ruggles. A refreshment table was spread during the evening, followed later by ices and coffee.

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Miss Ethel Babcock has three designs among those being exhibited in Boston before being sent to the St. Louis fair from the Art Museum school. One of Miss Babcock's designs is an architectural interior and another is a stained glass library window representing the nine muses.

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Secretary William F. Hoehn of the Portsmouth, N. H., Young Men's Christian association, formerly of Quincy, is on a trip to the Holy Lands.

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Mrs. Aubrey Hilliard and her sister Miss Alice Morrison, who have been spending a number of weeks very pleasantly in Florida, have turned their travels northward. Mrs. Hilliard will stop a few weeks at Pinehurst, N. C. Miss Morrison will return to her school in Attleboro the fourteenth of this month.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Miller, of Bigelow street, entertained their whist club on Wednesday evening and the participants had a jolly time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hatch of Atlantic were guests over Sunday of Mrs. Hatch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David W. Bates of Weymouth.

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The Compass whist club met Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roger H. Wilde of Billings street.

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Mrs. Harry L. Rice entertained the Friday club at her home on Adams street yesterday afternoon.

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The last entertainment in the course being given by the Cochato club of Braintree will be on Tuesday evening, the fifteenth, and will be a concert and operetta by the Cecilia quartet. The first of the evening the concert will be given followed by Balfe's operetta, "Sleeping Queen."

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Hon. John Shaw was able to attend the minstrel show last evening after being housed up for over a week.

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Mr. Solomon Ford and Mrs. Helen E. Bicknell, both of North Weymouth, were united in marriage on Thursday evening. It was a quiet affair only the immediate families being present.

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MINSTRELS

By Members of First Church Social Club.

Society People in the Circle.

A Take-Off on One of the Social Club Dances.

Dinners were ready early and hurried last evening as every one wanted to get to the minstrel show in time to get a good seat, as the seating capacity of the First church chapel is limited. Ever since the announcement that the Social club course of entertainments end with a minstrel show, every one has been on the qui vive, expecting a good show.

The doors opened at seven o'clock, and the seats filled rapidly so that by quarter of eight there was standing room only.

Mullaly's orchestra played until the rise of the curtain, which was prompt to the minute, the clock just striking eight. The full company was seated on the stage on raised seats.

In the centre was Mr. Emery L. Crane, interlocutor; to the left the tambos: Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Hunting and Mr. George E. Pfaffmann; to the right, the bones: Miss Mollie Rodgers, Dr. E. E. Davis and Mr. Edward Angier.

The soloists were: Miss Florence R. Emery, Miss Schofield, Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann, Mr. E. E. Bullock and Mr. Wheeler. They were in contrast to the chorus, for instead of being black they were white with powdered hair. The ladies wore dainty white muslins and looked bewitching and the men were in evening dress. The chorus was very black. The ladies wore costumes of white duck with red bandanas and kerchiefs and the men white duck trousers and black coats. In the chorus were:

Mr. Gordon Adams, Mr. Thorpe Babcock, Mr. Sydney Carr, Mr. Drake, Mr. William Edwards, Mr. George Follett, Mr. Gilman, Mr. Sidney Hardwick, Mr. Will Howe, Mr. C. A. Howland, Jr., Mr. Brooks Keyes, Mr. Homer Morrison, Mr. Walter E. Packard, Mr. Harry E. Russell, Mr. Clark Saville, Mr. Avord Sproul, Mr. Winslow.

Miss Haskell, Miss Mildred Huston, Mis Louise Lane, Mrs. Wilson Marsh, Miss Minnie Packard, Miss Alice K. Prescott, Miss Edith Randall, Miss Muriel Rogers, Mrs. Harry E. Russell, Miss Saville, Miss Edna Smith, Miss Leila Smith, Miss Grace Spear, Mrs. Henry Tirrell, Miss Beatrice Tisdale, Miss Abigail Waldron.

Part one of the program was as follows:

Opening Chorus.—Coon's March.
Quartette.—"Two Marionettes" Miss Emery, Miss Schofield, Mr. Bullock, Mr. Wheeler
Navajo, Mrs. Hunting
Oh, Oh, Miss White, Mrs. Pfaffmann
Bedelia, Mr. Pfaffmann
Duet, Miss Emery and Mr. Bullock
Watermel', Dr. Hunting
Tenor Solo, Mr. Bullock
I Wa't to Beat that Drum, Mr. Angier, Mr. Davis, Miss Rogers

Of the white ladies, Mrs. Pfaffmann made a great hit with her song, "Oh, Oh, Miss White," and was enthusiastically encored, being twice recalled She was easy, natural and entirely bewitching.

Mrs. Hunting in gorgeous gown of yellow and and black topped with a great big hat of the same colors was a facinating colored lady, and her song "Navajo" was heartily received and encored. Of the colored men, Mr. Pfaffmann made a hit in his song "Bedelia" He was assisted by four little coons, Paul Blackmur, Maurice Blackmur, Jack Plaffmann and Winslow Sears. Their finale brought down the house.

Dr. Hunting also came in for much applause; his light and easy motions captivating all.

Interspersed with the solos were funny talks between the interlocutor and end men and women. The local hits were numerous, and to the point,

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Aunt Clara's Intercession

By WILL N. HARBEN

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OLD Aunt Clara sat in her cabin singing her mistress' baby to sleep. She had nursed all of Squire Howe's children and was proud of saying that none out of three girls and one big boy had ever been ill a day, "'ceptin', maybe," as she expressed it, "w'en dey is et some'n dey ortn't to, lak, maybe, to fill deir se'ves wid green fruit en tek de colic en hat bad squealin' dreams en one thing er nur, but sech as dat might happen to any nigger mammy."

She certainly loved her white charges more than she did her own children, as every one remarked who witnessed her ardent devotion to the former and her indifference to the latter. The infant in her lap was drowsily closing its eyes as her lullaby waxed softer and more soothing:

"Oh, baa, baa, black sheep, has you got
any lamb?
Yes, way down in de valley.
De buzzards en de flies is er pickin' out 'is
eyes,
En de po' li'l' thing cries 'Mammy!'

"Go to sleep, go to sleep,
Go to sleep, li'l' baby.
Pappy loves de baby, en mammy loves de
baby,
En ever'body loves de baby.

"All dem hosses in dat fiel'
B'longst to you, li'l' baby—
De sorrel en de bay, en de dapple en de
gray,
En dey all b'longst to you, li'l' baby.

"Go to sleep"—

She heard a step on the lawn and cautiously looked out, still crooning seductively and keeping her knees gently moving. She saw the tall, slender figure of her young master, a handsome boy of nineteen, pass her door and vanish among the fruit trees that shaded the walk leading to the barnyard.

"Some'n is sho wrong wid dat boy," she muttered, as she fanned the flies from the baby's face with her black hand. "He's actin' mighty curis, en he don't seem easy in his min'. Some'n is gone wrong. Yo' cayn't fool me. He's makin' too many trips to dat barn whar he ain't got no sign er business. I ain't never seed my young marster act dat sneakin' way before, en I'm gwine to see fer myse'."

With the utmost caution she eased the sleeping infant down on her bed and tiptoed to the cabin door.

"Tuskaloosa!" she called out in a stern undertone to a little colored boy who was floating chips in the watering trough near by. The black urchin rose and came toward her, wiping his dripping hands on the only garment he wore, a long shirt reaching to the ground, "Tuskaloosa, yo' go set flat side er Miss Sally's baby en min' de flies off'n 'er. Ef dat chil' cries one time while I's lookin' fer my hen'nest in de barn I'll give yo' sech er bastin' yo' won' know which side is up."

The boy instantly disappeared in the cabin, and she turned down the walk to the barn.

"De do' is shet tight. Now, I wonder whar Marse Melville could er go to," she muttered as she paused before the barn. Perplexed, she turned and looked over the wide reach of meadow land on her right and then back toward the great white house, the gable windows of which could be now seen above the tree tops. She was on the point of going to the haystacks near by when she heard a footstep in the barn. She crept to the door, put her ear to it and listened attentively. The noise was repeated. Stooping lower, she peered through a crack, and in the half darkness within she saw her young master stealthily filling a sack with wheat from a capacious bin.

"My gracious!" she muttered in a troubled voice. "Dat boy is sho takin' his paw's wheat en slippin' heer onbeknownst to anybody lak er nigger at er chicken roos'. What dis worl' comin' to?"

She sat down on the doorstep, trembling all over with excitement. For several minutes she remained motionless, her elbows on her knees, her fat jaws in her hands, listening fearfully and starting at every sound from within. Presently she seemed to have decided upon a course of action, for a look of determination took possession of her face, her bushy brows ran together, and her thick lips became firm and rigid.

"Marse Melville!" she called in a low voice, her lips close to the keyhole. "Marse Melville!"

The sounds within the barn ceased. The boy did not answer. A half bushel measure fell from his hands and rattled down into the bin. After that everything was so still that she could hear the cooing of the pigeons on the roof of the barn and the cows chewing hay under the lean-to shed near by. She applied her eye to the crack again. The boy was standing motionless in a startled attitude, staring fixedly at the door.

"Marse Melville," she repeated, even more softly than before, "let me in. I want to speak to yo'."

For another minute there was no response. Then he said doggedly:

"What do you want?"

"Open de do', Marse Melville," she said. "It des me, yo' ole mammy. Open de do' so I kin see yo'. Yo' got it fas'en on de inside. How yo' spec I kin git throo dese planks? I ain't no rat ner spider."

He hesitated another minute. Then she heard his step on the floor and his trembling fingers as they put the key into the lock. She pushed the door open, and he retreated to the bin, avoiding her furtive eyes, a half rebellious expression on his handsome face. He was in his shirt sleeves. His necktie, collar, coat and vest lay on a feed cutting machine at his side. They were covered with chaff, and he was red, hot and perspiring.

She advanced till her hands touched the edge of the bin.

"Well," she grunted, taken slightly aback by her failure to catch his eye, "dis certney do beat my time. I know what yo' is up to, li'l' marster. Yo' is takin' yo' paw's wheat. What on earth yo' gwine to do wid all dem full sacks?"

"Sell it," he confessed, a reckless, defiant flame in his eyes. His face flushed deeper, and he leaned over the bin with ill assumed indifference and nervously chewed a piece of straw.

"Huh! Yo' say yo' is!" she ejaculated nasally as she filled her fat hand with wheat from one of the bags and slowly dribbled it back into the bin whence he had taken it. She glanced slowly round the room and said:

"Li'l' marster, yo' will sho ketch yo' death o' col' in dis yere room. Dey ain't a speck er fresh air er stirrin'. I don't see how yo' did mek out to fill all dem sacks wid de do' shet so tight. Yo' better come away en let dis yere wheat alone. I seed yo' pony des now a-trompin' down yo' maw's rosebushes. Dat colt got ol' Nick in 'im kase he needs ridin'."

The boy drew himself up.

"I have as much right to this wheat as father has," he said, half apologetically. "Last summer I worked from daybreak till night overseeing the hands while he was down at the sugar plantation. I need pocket money, like other boys, but I have to beg him for every cent I get. I am tired of it, and I won't stand it another day. Every planter's son around here has an allowance except me. I am obliged to get some money right away. We organized a military company in town last week and ordered uniforms. The suits have come, but we can't take them from the store without paying for them, and every member of the company has taken out his but me. I went to father and told him as politely as I could what I wanted, but he cut me off short. He said he had too many other expenses. He wants me to be disgraced before them all. Yesterday old Johnson asked me if we had any wheat to sell, and I"—

The boy's voice broke, and he turned to hide his tearful eyes from her. Aunt Clara had been accustomed to every inflection of his voice since his infancy, and in an instant she was all sympathy, all tenderness.

"Des like yo' paw, li'l' marster!" she blurted out impatiently, and then she grew conservative. "I wouldn't mind," she continued soothingly. "He is got his han's so full wid business dat he don't even notice w'en ol' miss needs er new frock, but yo' paw is er good man at de bottom. He's dat proud er yo', Marse Melville—well! I done seed er heep er men wid boys in my time, but marster certney do count big on yo'. I've heerd 'im talk en brag by de hour. Why n't yo' go en ax er-



"I have as much right to this wheat as father has."

gin, honey? It ain't gwine to do no harm. When I wants anything I des keep peggin' away till it come. Dat my style."

"I have been to him for the last time," answered the boy. "I am no beggar. He can keep his money."

Aunt Clara shook her kinky head in deep perplexity. She found it hard to keep from openly condemning her master's treatment of his son, for the boy was her particular pride, but she readily saw the inexpediency of encouraging him in his present undertaking. She was not a great stickler for honesty among her own race, for she argued that little better could be expected of slaves, but she would not have any of her "white folks" do the slightest thing beneath the highest dignity of well born women and men. With a sudden grunt which showed the presence of all the courage she possessed she bent down, lifted one of the bags of wheat to the edge of the bin and emptied it.

"Yo' is got blue blood in yo' veins, li'l' marster!" she panted. She did not look at him as she shook out the bag and laid it on the edge of the bin. "None er de Howe stock er people ain't never yit sneak to do anything, en I ain't gwine to let de one I nussed up begin it. Yo' is heerd yo' maw tell about de Smiff family er white trash dat begun stealin' from de home folks tel de fus' t'ing anybody knowed dey wuz landed in jail fur hoss stealin'. Dat so, yo' is wuk mighty hard last summer to he'p mek er crap, en yo' paw ort to tek dat into cawnsideration w'en he figgerin' up, but even ef pawt er dis yere wheat is yourn by rights it looks lak po' white trash doin's to slip yer dis away en dirty up yo' nice shut en collar dat Black Lucy tuck so much trouble to do up."

She was shaking the last empty bag over the bin as she, out of breath, came to a stop. She looked at him steadily for a moment, but he did not speak. She reflected a little while. Then, as she wiped her perspiring face on her apron, she asked:

"How much money yo' need fur dat newniform, li'l' marster?"

"Twenty-five dollars!" he said gloomily. "I wish I hadn't gone into the company. I'll simply have to tell them the truth and resign."

"Too bayd, too bayd!" Aunt Clara grunted. "I heerd de slaves say you was p'inted captain, de haid one er 'em all. Yo' de right one, li'l' marster. De Howes al'ays do git on de top rail er de fence somehow. None er dem ur boys is fittin' to lead er army." For a moment a certain race instinct caused her to look down at the wheat with a covetous glance, but she shook her head vigorously, as if a temptation had lodged on it. "No, no!" she said, more to herself than to him. "I was wonderin' ef I couldn't sell dat wheat, but what is mean fur yo' would be mean fur me, en ef I tried it I'd be reported quick." She drew a step nearer to him and said firmly: "Lock de do', li'l' marster, en hang de key on de nail whar it b'longst. Now yo' has my bes' 'vice, en yo' gwine sleep better fur it too."

Without a word or sign of opposition he picked up his coat, vest, collar and necktie and followed her out. She stood silent, thoughtful and disturbed as he hung the key up on the nail and slowly drew on his coat. She brushed the chaff from the garment and smoothed out the wrinkles with her hand. All at once a thought occurred to her. She started suddenly and put out her hand impulsively to his arm.

"Marse Melville, I is got some money saved up in my house. I reckon I got twenty-five dollahs in all. Yo' wait yere. I'll git it fur yo'. I ain't got no use fur money. I des laid it by, little by little, fur a rainy day. Dey ain't nuffen I could buy w'en marster gives me all me en de chillun need." He flushed deeply. His lip curled proudly, and his figure became more erect. He seemed on the verge of making an angry retort, but her attitude of expectation disarmed him.

"I could not take your money, mammy," he said, with emotion. "You are the best friend I have. I am glad you stopped me just now. I have never deceived father, and I never shall. Keep your money. I don't care for the uniform."

She stood and watched him as he walked across the meadow toward the river in the distance. Then slowly and thoughtfully she went up the walk to her cabin. Looking about to see that she was unobserved, she went into the room adjoining the one where the baby lay asleep. Lifting a plank in the floor, she took out a rusty oyster can half filled with coins. She counted them out slowly on the table.

"Twenty-six dollahs en sixty cents," she said. "But, bless yo', he wouldn't tek it fum me, he so proud. I done tried 'im too many times w'en he is need er li'l' pocket change. Most white chillun would, dough, mighty onconsarned, but Marse Melville ain't dat sort. Well, I reckon marster is sho 'nough hard up fur money, but ain't he des d'other day buy Marfy! En what dat lazy wench hatter do sence we got 'er but fan 'erself en listen fer de dinner hawn! Seem lak he is set 'isse'f to own mo' darkies dan any other man in dis county."

She held the coin thoughtfully in her fat palm. "Now, I wonder," she went on, "ef I wuz ter give dis yere money to marster, ef he wouldn't give it to Marse Melville to buy dat newniform. Seem lak he al'ays did want me to be good to his chillun. He might do it sly-lak en not let Marse Melville know whar he got de money fum. Dat would be er funny joke on young marster, en I'm gwine to try it."

She broke out into a long, subdued laugh as she clutched the money in her hand and waddled around to the front of the great house. Softly she tiptoed across the veranda and down the long, old fashioned hall to the door of the library. Squire Howe sat before an open window smoking and reading a newspaper. He had noticed her approach.

"Come in, mammy," he said kindly as she stood at the door. "What is wrong today?"

"Nothin', marster," she replied as she came in and stood irresolutely at the mantel, awkwardly concealing her coin filled hand beneath her apron, "but I des want to ax er favor er yo', suh. My young marster"—

Her voice broke, and she could go no further.

"Well, what about him, mammy?" the old man asked reassuringly.

"Nothin', 'cept he in er sight er trouble, marster. De young men in town, all de quality boys, is got up er li'l' army er suppen nur, en Marse Melville is jine um kase he want ter be long wid de res' um. Well, dey is up en 'lected 'im captain, de haid man, kase he de most' knowenes' one en de bes' lookin' one dey got. Well, dey is all done paid fur der newniforms 'cep Marse Melville en is all raidy en waitin' to put um on en march erbout to show off, but dey cayn't move er peg kase Marse Melville ain't got de money fer his'n, en so he is in er heap er sho 'nough trouble. I found out 'bout it en offered Marse Melville dis yere money, but he wouldn't tek it fum me, so I 'lowed I'd ax yo' to give it to 'im en not let 'im know it fum me, so's he could git his suit all right. Dere is mo'n 'nough."

As she finished she stepped anxiously nearer and laid the money on the window sill near the squire. His features were an interesting study for a moment as his eyes wavered between the pile of coins and her expectant face. He fumbled awkwardly with his newspaper and then struck a match on the sole of his boot and lighted his pipe. Finally he pushed the money toward her.

"Take it back, mammy. You are a good old soul," he said, smiling to hide his emotion. "You have always been as true as steel to him. He does not need your money. He shall have all he wants. He asked me for it, but I was so worried about other matters that I did not think how important it was to him. I shall talk to him tonight. It will be all right. You say he was elected captain? I did not know that. He did not say anything about it."

"He didn't tell me, nur, but de darkies was all braggin' roun' 'bout deir young marster, en I heard um. Dey seh dat ever' las' one er de young men wuz in fur Marse Melville fum de start en dat dey cheered lak wildcats w'en he got de place."

The squire could not conceal his pride and gratification.

"He is a good boy, mammy, if I do say it. He attended to business like a thorough planter while I was away. Samson says he can get more work out of the hands than I can. I suppose it is because they like him so much. Now, take your money and go back to the quarters. I shall see him tonight."

At dusk that evening the squire sat on the front veranda looking on the green lawn that extended from the house down to the road. The sun had left a blood red stretch of sky beyond the shadowy hills. The air was filled with the melodious songs of the blacks as they sat in front of their cabin doors in the negro quarter. The old man saw his son walk dejectedly across the lower part of the lawn and lean against the fence.

"Cynthia," he said to a little colored girl who lay half asleep on the floor, her bare legs thrust under the bottom rail of the banisters, "go tell your master I want to see him."

Melville received the message and came rather reluctantly up the walk and sat in the vacant chair at the squire's side.

"Did you want to see me, father?" he asked.

The squire put his hand caressingly on his son's knee. "Yes, I want to talk to you," he said softly. "I heard today of your election to the captaincy of your company. I am very glad of it, and—and I am proud to know that they thought so much of you."

"I was the only one that knew—that had studied military tactics," stammered the boy.

"Well, that may be, but if they had not wanted you they would have selected some one else. I don't know when I have felt so good over anything. It has made me a boy again. I have been thinking of my young days ever since I heard of your success. I could never have taken such an honor as calmly as you do." The squire was silent for a moment. Then he pressed his son's knee a trifle nervously and went on: "I am afraid, son, that I have neglected you a little lately; that I have not been in sympathy with your aims and plans, as was my duty. I have let my own affairs run away with my better judgment"—

"Why, father"—

"No; wait till I have finished. When you spoke of your uniform the other day I was busy and did not realize its importance to you. I am sorry I did not listen. Jake brought the suit from town this afternoon. It is very nice. It is in your room. I have put something in the pockets for you. You will need money. As captain of your company it would look well for you to entertain them here often. I should like to see you drill your men on this lawn. I like all those boys—the last one of them. They are a fine, manly set. You ought to be proud to be their commanding officer."

The young captain's eyes were downcast. He started to speak, but hesitated. The squire looked at him in surprise and laid his hand affectionately on the boy's shoulder.

"Why are you so quiet, son?"

"You are too good to me, and I don't deserve it after"—

The words were spoken almost with a sob. Melville rose abruptly, walked to the end of the long veranda and stood half hidden from his father's sight by the low hanging honeysuckle vines. From the negro quarter came on the gentle breeze the soft, faraway twang of a banjo, the jingle of a tambourine, the clatter of dancing feet. Mrs. Howe sang softly as she came down the broad stairs and went into the parlor.

"Son, come to me."

Slowly the boy retraced his steps and stood beside his father's chair.

"I want you to tell me what is the matter with you," said the squire.

The boy sank on to the railing of the baluster and swung his foot nervously to and fro. Mentally he was fighting something, and he soon conquered.

"Father," he began, "I must make a confession. If I don't I shall not go to sleep tonight. I was ashamed to acknowledge to the boys that I could not raise the money to pay for my uniform, and I was going to sell a load of our wheat. Mammy saw me when I was filling the sacks in the barn and persuaded me not to do it."

The boy paused. His father started suddenly, and an expression of bewildered pain darted across his fine face. He seemed unable to speak for a moment. Then he leaned forward and clasped his son's hand impulsively. His eyes were moist, and his voice quavered.

"Thank God that you did not do it!" he said fervently. "It would have been unworthy of our name. I am very glad you did not do it; very glad. You would not have been tempted so far if I had been more thoughtful. There; I hear your mother at the piano. Don't think any more about it. I'll tell you something. Go put on your uniform and come down and surprise her. It will be a good joke. Hurry up, before she leaves the parlor.

"Mammy saved him!" said the old man to himself as the boy turned away. "She has had more to do with forming his character than I have. God bless her dear old soul!"

He went round the house and down through the bustling negro quarter to



"Thank God that you did not do it!"

Aunt Clara's cabin. She was sitting at a table in the dim candlelight piecing a quilt.

"Why, bless me, ef it ain't marster!" she exclaimed as she looked up and saw him at the door.

"Come out here a minute, mammy," he said. "I want to see you."

Suddenly grown suspicious, she dropped her work at her feet and awkwardly shambled out to him.

"So you knew that Melville was planning to sell that wheat?" he said introductively.

Her eyes went down. She did not speak at once. Then she looked at him closely, carefully weighing his tone of voice and trying to read the expression of his face in the half darkness.

"Huh!" she grunted evasively. "I hain't said nothin' 'bout no wheat, marster."

"Oh, I understand that," he said quickly, reading her fears. "But Melville told me all about it, and how you advised him not to do wrong."

She continued to stare at him in mingled perplexity and distrust, wondering if he were setting a trap for her and his son. She could understand how one could, out of principle, avoid doing an improper thing, but to take the trouble to confess to only a temptation seemed an unnecessary proceeding.

"Well, dat do take de rag off'n de bush sho!" she laughed. "But ef yo' say my young marster tole yo' I ain't gwine to 'spute wid yo', but I des would lak to heer Marse Melville own it wid his own mouf, so I would. It seem mighty funny!"

"You saved him from temptation, mammy," said the squire as he turned away. "I shall not forget it soon."

Aunt Clara went back into her circle of candlelight and drew her work into her lap again, but her needle remained inactive. She sat for a long time deeply perplexed. Finally she rose and began to arrange her bed.

"I cayn't mek head nur tail er it," she said to herself. "Seem lak marster was tryin' to ketch me ersleep 'bout young marster en dat wheat, but I reckon he ain't so sneakin'. De Howes ain't much dat way. Well, Marse Melville will hab his newniform anyhow, kase marster done promised it. I'm gwine to sleep en not bother my head about it any mo'."

Truant Children's Tricks.

One of the Philadelphia truant officers was talking about malingering in school children. "It is a common thing," he said, "and I guess it will always be a common thing. For my part, when I was a boy I pretended two or three times every year that I had a headache or toothache when I hadn't and loafed about the house all day instead of going to school. I guess you and every other man did the same thing in your childhood too. Such simple malingering as that I meet with often, but now and then I meet with cases of a complicated, serious kind. Last spring a boy rubbed poison ivy over his face, poisoning himself horribly, so as to escape school for awhile. Another boy the winter before hit his foot with an ax for the same purpose, but the ax came down harder than he had intended and the boy just escaped limping for life. A little girl was laid up for a week through taking an overdose of castor oil. She confessed that she had wanted to make herself sick for a day so as to escape the examination that she knew she would fail in, but she didn't know the amount of castor oil to take, and it was only by luck that she didn't put herself to death."

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SIX INDICTMENTS

Grand Jury Reports In Smuggling Conspiracy Case

A NUMBER OF SURPRISES

Two Suspended Examiners and a Well Known Boston Custom House Broker Are Named--Glasgow Company Men Held

Boston, March 12.—Though it made only a partial report, the federal grand jury returned several surprises in the custom house smuggling cases. Six men are named in the first indictment, with numerous counts against each, but they are all confined to the operations involving the Glasgow Manufacturing company.

The men who are indicted are William Munroe, president of the firm of Stone & Downer company, custom house brokers; Samuel Grunberg, Charles A. Baitler and Simon Burman, constituting the Glasgow Manufacturing company; John W. Trafton and James A. Shedd, the examiners of merchandise who were suspended from the customs service four months ago.

Pleadings to the indictments were deferred unti next Wednesday, and Munroe, Shedd and Trafton were held in $5000 each. Munroe and Shedd furnished bail, but Trafton was not in court, and the other defendants did not offer any bail.

They are all charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States of large sums of money to become due and payable as customs duty accruing upon diverse importations to be brought by the said Grunberg, Baitler and Burman from Switzerland. As described in the indictment, the scheme was that Grunberg, Baitler and Burman were to import the goods from Switzerland, consigned to Stone & Downer company, a firm engaged in the business of making entries at the custom house; that Grunberg, Baitler and Burman should and would cause false and fraudulent papers, purporting to contain true statements as to the kind, quality, quantity and weight of the merchandise to be delivered to the company in order that goods of greater value might be imported. It alleged that Munroe, an officer of the said Stone & Downer company, should and would present to the collector of customs the said false and fraudulent papers, together with certain false entries.

Trafton and Shedd, examiners of merchandise, are charged with having knowingly, falsely and fraudulently certified and reported that the false and fraudulent papers named before were true and correct statements of the kind, quality, quantity, weight and value of the merchandise to be imported and entered, with the intent that the appraiser should report to the collector of customs that the statements contained in the false papers were true and correct, and that the said collector should thereupon ascertain the value of the goods and liquidate the entries.

The remainder of the indictment specifies the particular items or entries which have passed through the custom house by means of the alleged conspiracy.

Other specific charges were made against Munroe, but they relate to the entry of the goods specified in the counts against Trafton and Shedd. But the finding of a bill against Munroe was a great surprise, as it is generally conceded that in his capacity as president of the firm he represents he does not see the invoices, nor the appraisements. It is a matter of detail carried out by employes of the firm. Custom house brokers say that they have no evidence of the correctness or incorrectness of the invoices sent to them for entry, and in none of their ordinary transactions with importers are they placed in any position to know if the importer is presenting false papers.

No grand jury report for some time past has occasioned so much general interest, and it is anticipated that when the cases are called next week there will be a large attendance. It was even rumored around the courts, when the jury came in, that Secretary Shaw had come to Boston. Some of the inspectors who conducted the custom house investigation were in the building, and occasionally in consultation with the district attorney.

Rich Man Dies From Poisoning

Digby, N. S., March 12.—Arthur Gorham, a retired business man, formerly of Boston, died at his summer residence at Joggin Bridge. Death resulted from drinking poison, but whether the poison was taken accidentally is not known, as he was alone when death came. He was 61 years of age and possessed of considerable wealth.

Big Snowslide Caught Miners

Baker City, Ore., March 12.—Two men were killed and six injured in a snowslide at the Queen of the West mine. The slide razed the building and swept the occupants down the canon, hundreds of feet below.

American Missionary Killed

Urumpia, Persia, March 12.—News has reached here that Dr. Labori, an American missionary, has been killed on the road to Khoi. Details of the occurrence are lacking.

A RUSSIAN STATESMAN.

Count Lamsdorff, Russia's minister of foreign affairs, is a veteran diplomat



COUNT LAMSDORFF.

and has been very conspicuous in the negotiations between his country and Japan.



THE FOUR PRINCIPAL ROLES IN "MRS. WIGGS OF THE CABBAGE PATCH" AT THE PARK THEATRE, BOSTON.

KNIGHTS OF THE PEN.

An Old Joke of the Poet Riley Recalled—Gossip About Authors.

[Special Correspondence.]

Boston, March 1.—Mr. Alfred Russel Wallace announces in the current Fortnightly Review that he has just unearthed a new poem by Edgar Allan Poe. The story of how he came by it is interesting. He tells us that his brother, who died in California in 1895, sent to him before his death his own manuscript copy of the poem in question. The initials E. A. P. suggested that it was written by Poe, and the



M. FREDERIC MASSON AND HIS DOG.

internal evidence of style seemed conclusive to Mr. Wallace's mind. Here is the poem:

LEONAINE.

Leonaine angels named her, and they took the light
Of the laughing stars and framed her in a smile of white,
And they made her hair of gloomy midnight and her eyes of bloomy
Moonshine, and they brought her to me in a solemn night—

In a solemn night of summer, when my heart of gloom
Blossomed up to greet the comer, like a rose in bloom,
All foreboding that distressed me I forgot as joy caressed me—
Lying joy that caught and pressed me in the arms of doom.

Only spake the little lisper in the angel tongue,
Yet I, listening, heard the whisper, "Songs are only sung
Here below that they may grieve you, tales are told you to deceive you,
So must Leonaine leave you while her love is young."

Then God smiled, and it was morning, matchless and supreme;
Heaven's glory seemed adorning earth with its esteem;
Every heart but mine seemed gifted with a voice of prayer and lifted
When my Leonaine drifted from me like a dream.

—E. A. P.

Alfred isn't up to date. In 1876 James Whitcomb Riley, who was having no success in breaking into the magazines, wagered that he would write a poem and sign it with a big name and that it would be copied far and wide. As a result of this wager there appeared in the Kokomo (Ind.) Sentinel a copy of verses entitled "Leonanie," with the following explanatory introduction:

"In the house of a gentleman in this city we saw a poem written on the fly leaf of an old book. Noticing the initials 'E. A. P.' at the bottom, it struck us that possibly we had run across a bonanza.

"The owner of the book said that he did not know who was the author of the poem. His grandfather, who gave him the book, kept an inn in Chesterfield, near Richmond, Va. One night a young man who showed plainly the marks of dissipation rapped at the door, asked if he could stay all night and was shown to a room.

"That was the last they saw of him. When they went next morning to call him to breakfast he had gone, but had left the book, on the fly leaf of which he had written these verses."

The verses which followed are identical with those given by Mr. Wallace, save that the title name is "Leonanie," and not "Leonaine," thus furnishing the extra syllable necessary to the metrical scheme in the first line.

Mr. Riley won his wager. The poem was widely copied by the newspapers, it was eagerly commented upon as a genuine Poe treasure, and even William Cullen Bryant thought it was the work of the author of "The Raven."

Thomas Nelson Page, the author, will in the near future establish a technical school in Hanover county, near his home in Virginia. It is said his plan is to teach young men and girls the different manual callings, such as carpentering, mechanics, cooking, sewing, etc. A competent northern teacher is to be employed, it is said.

M. Frederic Masson, who was recently made a member of the French academy, is the famous Napoleonic authority who has many books about the first consul to his credit, among them "Napoleon, Lover and Husband." M. Masson did not begin writing about Napoleon until ten years ago. He owns an almost priceless collection of Napoleonic relics. When M. Masson was made one of the "forty immortals," M. Brunetiere, in addressing him, said, "Through you we know the exact number of shirts Napoleon wore."

BERTHA MILDRED NIXON.

How to Put on New Gloves.

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r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
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c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

There is danger that the town of Weymouth may vote for license one of these years. One of the six precincts did this year and another was close. Of the 1,714 who voted, only 871, a bare majority expressed themselves against license, while 576 voted yes and 267 were silent.

Now it is reported that the Quincy trains will use the tracks in the Boston South Terminal now used by the Midland division; this is that the Plymouth and Midland divisions will exchange places to make less switching. People have become quite accustomed to going out on track No. 17, and will not relish the longer walk to Nos. 25, 26 or 27.

The High school problem is becoming complicated. The City Council Committee on Public Buildings is reported to favor enlargement, but the proposed enlargement will not provide proper accommodations for all the present pupils. Again, the Master Builders' Association have endorsed the move for a second High school on School street, and claim that it will cost no more and that the extra cost of maintenance will be offset by savings in car fares.

Drift of Opinion.

☞In the time of reconstruction three counties in Mississippi were named Lincoln, Summer and Clay. A proposition to change the names of all these involving the substitution of Jefferson Davis for Lincoln, has been negatived in the legislature, by a vote of 22 to 18. The close vote shows more than anything else the division of sentiment.—New Bedford Standard.

☞President Roosevelt has no rival for the nomination. He is the only person mentioned in connection with it in any actual sense. His administration will necessarily be the chief issue in the campaign, and the Republicans will welcome the issue. Naturally, under these conditions, Roosevelt is the proper man to lead the party. The party can poll more votes with him as a standard bearer than it can under any other leader. All the politicians see this, though a few of them are personally unfriendly to them. The Wall street interest, but only in part, is hostile to him, and this hostility is an asset of the party. It means that the trusts hate the president for fairly enforcing the anti-trust act. For every one vote that Wall street can take away from him five votes will come to him from Democrats and independents on account of Wall street's antagonism. He will be elected regardless of Wall street's attitude and as a rebuke to it. —Leslie's Weekly.

Will Remain a Mystery.

The question of who had shot Winfield S. Pote at the Fore River works some weeks ago will probably never be cleared up. At that time James Reiley, one of the workman, who it was alleged made threats against Pote, was arrested and arraigned in court upon a warrant charging him with threatening Pote. The case was heard and then continued until this morning, the understanding being that before that time Reiley should disappear from the state.

This he has evidently done for nothing has been heard from him since that time. He did not answer to his name when the case was called in court this morning, and it was placed on file.

A Snake Abroad.

A few days ago toward evening a live snake about two and one-half feet long was seen on the concrete walk on Sagamore street, and none of those seeing it had been drinking either. He was semi-torpid and had probably crawled from his hole during the warmth and brightness of the day, and had become too benumbed to return. The customary shriek was heard from the female observers.

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Quincy Man Tells of His Experience in Japan.

The Unity club experienced a very enjoyable meeting last evening.

The programme opened with a vocal solo by Mrs. Follett, accompanied by Mrs. Moorhouse at the piano. Mrs. Follett, as usual, received great applause, and responded to an encore.

Next came a paper on "Picturesque Japan," written by Mr. Preston which was beautifully read by Miss Mollie Brown. It was an artistic portrayal of Japanese life, and the audience was fortunate in listening to so fine a discription of the country from one who had personally visited Japan.

After the intermission Mrs. Follett contributed again to the enjoyment of the audience with a vocal selection.

Mr. F. E. Parlin followed on "The religious life of Japan." He gave a comprehensive and logical, as well as thorough knowledge of the religion. He began with the mythology and ancient story of the Japanese down to the present time. He referred to the teachings of Confucius and Mencius but dwelt more on the Shintoo and Buddhist beliefs.

Of the Shintoo religion he spoke of the high places assigned to woman; that the two highest deities are women—the "Sun Goddess" and the "Goddess of Abundance." He thinks the teaching of future punishment will not be accepted in Japan and that no religion will gain any foothold in Japan that does not begin at the top and work down. In conclusion he said "The Japanese may be annihilated but never conquered.

At the previous meeting a nominating committee was appointed with Mr. Frank Page as chairman and Mr. Charles Harper and Mrs. Charles Crane. The following new officers were elected for 1903—1904:

President,—Winthrop H. Crocker.

Vice Presidents,—Rev. Frank W. Pratt and Mr. F. W. Plummer.

Secretary, Mrs. Wellington Record.

Executive Committee, Mrs. Henry G. Fay, Mrs. E. G. Cummings, and Mr. Wendell G. Corthell.

Music Committee, Mrs. Mira Moulton and Mr. Herbert J. Gurney.

Capt. McGrath's Vessel.

A Nome paper reports the names of the 28 passengers who embarked from Nome on the ill-fated steamship Discovery, Joseph McGrath of Quincy captain, on Oct. 16, which has not since been heard of, as follows:

Carl W. Larsen, D. A. Seaberg, E. C. Weaver, H. Logan, Gene Glum, X. B. Jones, Anne L. Jones, August Foster, Otto Manie, N. M. McLaughton, H. Vetner, O. B. Vaugh, E. J. Stewart, Miss Caton, Miss Christemon, B. M. Christemon, F. Anderson, J. North, George A. Schrack, L. M. Davis, Oxear Graff, D. Journey, H. Steider, C. Langton, H. J. Hicks, H. Roreboy, H. Herman, A. E. Johanson.

Some of these have not been lost, as it was their intention on leaving Nome to disimbark at way ports.

Rates to St. Louis Exposition.

Preliminary announcement is made of $28.25, fifteen days; $35, sixty days, and $42 for season tickets from Boston via. the New York Central Lines. For full particulars send for circular and descriptive folder, A. S. Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt., Boston.

He Caught Fire.

The New York Sun extends its condolences to the man from Quincy who got into a New York street car, and injudiciously brought his coat pocket, containing a box of matches, into juxtaposition with the stove in one of those metropolitan conveyances, being unfamiliar with the craft. He caught fire, repeating an experience frequent in a former age, but denied to trolley-riding moderns. He was a victim of archæological inexperience. He did not know this ancient type of vehicle still survives in Gotham.

Registry Furnishings.

The committee of the Legislature will report favorable on the bill authorizing Norfolk county to borrow $100,000 for interior fitting of the new Registry building at Dedham. The largest item of the estimates was $74,661.00 for metal cases and tables, roller top desks and type writing tables, umbrella racks, clothes trees, coat room fittings, etc. For electric light fixtures $4,820; for furniture, $3,500; for rubber trackings, rings and door mats, $2,500; for screen doors and window screens, $1,200; architects' commission, $5,000; etc.

Another Trial.

Charles L. Prescott announces that he intends to press his suit against Henry H. Faxon, and that it will be marked for trial at the May term of the Supreme court.

TODAY'S COURT.

The case of James Reiley, for threatening Winfield S. Pote, was called in court this morning and the case placed on file.

Rev. Thomas S. Barbour of Wollaston mourns the sudden death of his daughter, Mrs. Randall T. Capen, who died at Madison, Wis., on Wednesday. A baby daughter born the day before survives.

Mrs. Capen, who was the wife of the pastor of the First Baptist church of Madison, was married only last spring at her father's home in Woll aston.

She was born in Brockport, N. Y., and graduated from Vassar College in 1903. She lived in Fall River and Brookline during her father's pastorate in those places. When Mr. Barbour became secretary of the American Baptist Missionary Union the family moved to Wollaston. Mrs. Capen was a woman of lovable disposition, ready sympathy and bright mind. Her husband, the Rev. Randall T. Capen, was called to Madison two years ago from Boston, shortly after his ordination.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of Mr. Barbour at Wollaston on Monday at 1 P.M. The interment will be at Forest Hills.

The Cochato Club.

Tuesday evening was the appointed time for the annual election of officers and a larger number of members than usual gathered. Judge Albert E. Avery called the meeting to order and the business session was short.

F. Edgar Norris, who has been an ideal secretary, continually laboring in the interests of the club as did his predecessors, made the following report:

The fourth year of the existence of our club shows an increase in membership. There are 150 resident members, the limited number, 45 non-resident, 8 junior and 9 special, a total of 212 paying members. To this number add 138 and we have a total of 350 which includes the wives, sisters and lady friends who are privileged to enjoy the games, entertainments and the comfort of the house in general. Death has claimed a larger number than ever before, five during the year.

William A. McKean, treasurer, rendered an excellent report of the club finances for the past year to March first. The dues amounted to $3117.60 and entrance fees $225.00. Cash on hand March 2, 1903, $323.61; March 1, 1904, $378.23.

It was voted that the chairman appoint a committee of three to sort and count the ballots for officers for the ensuing year. Edwin L. Emerson, Atherton N. Hunt and C. Frederick Howe served.

The following officers were elected:

Treasurer, William A. McKean
Secretary, F. Edgar Norris
Executive Committee (15)
Albert E. Avery
William H. Dam
Willard E. Dow
Albion C. Drinkwater
F. Eugene Dyer
Frederick R. Griffin
George H. Hamblett
Aubrey Hilliard
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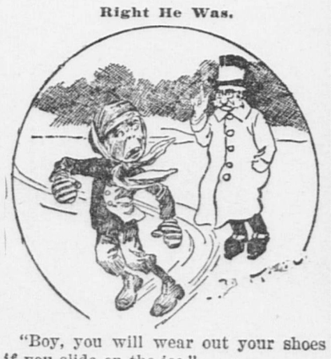
Mr. Joseph H. Lord a long and well known resident of Wollaston died at his home on the corner of Brooks and Fayette streets yesterday at 1 o'clock after a long illness, aged 73 years.

Mr. Lord was born at West Lebanon, Me., Sept. 4, 1830, and was educated in the public schools and at Lebanon Academy. He learned the shoemaker's trade, and worked at it in his native town until 1858, when he went to Holderness (now Ashmont), N. H.

In 1870 he took the management of the Swan Lake House at Ashland. In 1872 Mr. Lord, became proprietor of the Wollaston hotel, Quincy, and latterly had conducted a livery stable. He was a Mason and Odd Fellow.

He leaves a widow, a sister of ex-President O. P. Cheney of Bates College, and two daughters. Mr. and Mrs. Lord celebrated their golden wedding two years ago.

Right He Was.



"Boy, you will wear out your shoes if you slide on the ice."

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General Charles Dick, Who Succeeds the Late Mark Hanna.

General Charles Dick, the successor of the late Mark Hanna as United States senator from Ohio, is known as a great political organizer and, although only forty-six years old, has made his way to the front by ability, energy and perseverance.

While General Dick's life has been a busy one, it has not been devoted to money getting, and he is the first man of moderate means to represent Ohio in the senate since the days of Allen G. Thurman. Fifteen years ago Mr. Dick was the proprietor of a small flour and feed store in his home city of Akron. While he did not prosper in business, his time was not wasted, for he supplemented his common school education by studying law and history at home.

He was admitted to the bar in 1894 and soon thereafter entered actively in-



GENERAL CHARLES DICK.

to local politics. He was elected county auditor and served two terms, in the course of which he became a power in the Republican politics of his section of the state. His organization work soon attracted Hanna's attention, and in 1897 he was made secretary of the Republican state executive committee and in 1902 became its chairman, which position he now holds.

It is said that General Dick can quote the exact election returns in any county or city of the state for the past dozen years, and the perfection of the organization he has developed is shown by the wonderful accuracy of his ante-election estimates. He always guesses the results within a few thousands—sometimes within a few hundreds.

In 1896 General Dick served as secretary of the national Republican committee and was closely associated with Mr. Hanna in the preliminary canvass for the nomination of McKinley in 1896 and in the subsequent campaign. He has been a member of congress since 1898 and is a major general in the Ohio national guard.

In personal appearance General Dick is rather striking, being tall and somewhat spare. He is even tempered, kindly, warm hearted and a pleasant man to meet. He is a strong partisan and has a genius for organization and for work. Toward the end of hot campaigns in Ohio he has been known to go for days without sleep. He has an infinite capacity for details, and his friends say that if he devotes the same energy to the work of the senate that he has given to politics he will make his mark as one of the most useful members of the upper house of congress.

HENDRICK OF CEBU.

American Prelate Who Is the Head of a Philippine Diocese.

Right Rev. Thomas A. Hendrick, who was appointed bishop of Cebu by the late Pope Pius XIII. just prior to the latter's fatal illness, has been eminently successful in the administration of the diocese, which until his advent had been in charge of a Spanish prelate.

Bishop Hendrick is a native of Penn Yan, N. Y., and received his early education in the public schools. He studied at St. John's college, Fordham, and finished at Seton Hall college,



BISHOP HENDRICK OF CEBU.

South Orange, N. J. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1873. From 1891 until last June Bishop Hendrick was pastor of St. Bridgid's church, Rochester, and was one of the best known men in the city. He was active in public and charitable work, and was for years vice president of the Society For the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. He was also a member of the board of regents of the University of the State of New York.

CITY BREVITIES.

A fair Sunday is predicted.

Samuel Hayden, who has been quite ill, is slowly recovering.

The hurdy gurdy made its first appearance of the season today.

The W. C. T. U. will meet in City hall on Tuesday next at 3. P. M.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Tennis club will be held next Saturday.

Thomas Parker was slightly injured while at his work yesterday at the Fore River Ship yard.

The First Unitarian church will hold its annual parish meeting, Monday evening, Mar. 14.

Peter F. Sullivan and Charles H. Martell of Weymouth, have opened a law office in this city.

Most people are just as well pleased that the snow did not amount to anything yesterday afternoon.

The many friends of Mr. Bennett are glad to hear that he is convalescing. He was removed to the Quincy hospital some weeks ago for a serious operation.

Judge Emmons of the Police Commission, Boston, speaks at South Braintree Town hall tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Walter McKenzie will talk on the "Metropolitan Park System," at the meeting of the Bethany church Brotherhood next Monday evening.

The conference year of the Methodist Episcopal church closes with Easter Sunday. The conference will be held in Springfield. Mr. and Mrs. Heath are invited to spend the week with one of their old parishioners.

Paul Revere Post, 88, G. A. R., received another gift from Mrs. Paul J. Revere and its meeting Thursday evening of a sword captured by the late Henry Lunt, who was a paymaster in the navy.

The Juniors Friday club is preparing for their annual gentlemen's night, invitations having been sent out this week. The club will receive their friends this year at the home of Miss Florence R. Emery Adams street.

Walter P. Pinel of this city will speak at the Christadelphian service at 7 Park square, Boston, at 7.30 Sunday evening; subject "The coming rulers of the earth and what will they accomplish during their reign.

All members of the Young People's Religious Union are requested to attend the meeting Sunday evening, March 13 at seven o'clock. The program for the evening is an interesting one, and in charge of Miss Walker, Mr. Drake and Mr. Gilson.

Many who are interested in voice cultivation, physical culture, oratory and stage training do not always know where to go for reliable instruction. The advertisement in this issue of the Bickford School of Oratory, may help them solve the difficulty especially as Miss Elsie Russell receives pupils at her home if they do not care to go to Boston.

The second in the course of Women's Alliance lectures will be given in the Unitarian chapel Tuesday evening, March 15, at 7.30 o'clock, by the Rev. John Snyder of Wellesley Hills. The subject will be The Evolution of the American Humorist and will be illustrated by humorous selections. The public is invited to subscribe to these lectures.

The concert given at Livermore hall, Quincy Mansion school, Wednesday evening by Mr. R. S. Newton Cutler and Mr. William Howard, for pianoforte and violin, gave great pleasure to the audience that was present. The program included numbers by Dvorak, Cesar Cui, and Cesar Franck. The performers efforts were artistic in every way.

The First Church Sunday school is to celebrate Association Sunday at 12 M. March 13, in place of the usual session. This service is suggested by the Unitarian society for increasing the interest of the young people in the Unitarian cause. An interesting program is to be given, and it is earnestly hoped that all parents and friends of the school will show their interest and co-operation by being present.

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and fully appreciated by the audience. The church organ, and furnace, the Board of Health, High school, Adams ball team and Woodward Institute were all hit up a bit.

The High school joke was particularly timely, and was to the effect that it was queer that multiplication, subtraction, addition, etc., were taught there, yet they had been working two years on a problem of addition and the City Council said they had not got the right answer yet.

Part two was more vaudeville in character. As the curtin rose a huge box was noticed in the center of the stage. The lid lifted and disclosed Mr. Emery Crane in grotesque costume. He gave a humorous talk, full of hits, keeping the audience laughing from the opening to the closing of the box.

A take off on a social club dance came next and was in two parts: the first, a street scene, showing people going to the dance. The hurdy gurdy man and the monkey were there. Part two was at Faxon hall where the committee were getting ready for the dance. Lemonade was made in a gallon pan out of one lemon, a spoonful of sugar and ten gallons of water. The audience was convulsed as pail after pail of water was poured into the pan and still it did not run over. Soon the dancers began to arrive and considerable merriment was caused when the first comers were asked to show their tickets. It was too heavy for one person to bring so was brought in by four boys After the owner swore that he was the person named on the ticket, and the coupon had been sawed, he was allowed to enjoy the dance.

Mr. Angier followed with a topical song and the show ended with a cake walk which was admirably done by: Mr. Sidney Carr and Miss Louie Lane; Mr. Alan Arnold and Miss Abigail Waldron; Mr. Thorpe Babcock and Miss Mollie Rogers; and Mr. Robert Hardwick and Miss Grace Spear.

Regimental Reunion.

On Thursday evening of next week, at the Quincy House, Boston, the winter session of the old 42d Mass regiment will be held. It is the desire of those having the affair in charge that all surviving members of the nine and three months men of the regiment come together on this occasion, and fraternize as one organization. A banquet will follow the business meeting.

Life Guards.

The Life Guards are two regiments of cavalry forming part of the British household troops. They are gallant soldiers, and every loyal British heart is proud of them. Not only the King's household, but yours, ours, everybody's should have its life guards. The need of them is especially great when the greatest foes of life, diseases, find allies in the very elemen's as colds, influenza, catarrh, the grip, and pneumonia do in the stormy month of March. The best way that we know of to guard against these diseases is to strengthen the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla—the greatest of all life guards. It removes the conditions in which these diseases make their most successful attack, gives vigor and tone to all the vital organs and functions, and imparts a genial warmth to the blood. Remember the weaker the system the greater the exposure to disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the system strong.

— The Australian colonies have a greater railway mileage, in proportion to population, than any other part of the world.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 11, 1904. The Committee on Election Laws will give a hearing to parties interested in House bills Nos. 356 and 601, for legislation to provide for direct nominations of candidates for elective officers in counties, and to repeal the law allowing ballots to be removed from ballot boxes before the closing of the polls, at room No. 438, State House, on Tuesday, March 15, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. JAMES H. McKINLEY, Chairman. GEORGE A. TURNER, Clerk of the Committee. 12-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE BOSTON, March 10, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the Governor's address (Senate bill No. 1) as relates to eminent domain, the census, and to executive responsibility; also House bill No. 414, for legislation relative to the liability of telephone and telegraph companies; also Senate bill No. 107, for legislation relative to foreign corporations; also message from His Excellency the Governor, transmitting the thirteenth annual report of the Board of Commissioners for the Promotion of Uniformity of Legislation in the United States; and the sixteenth report on the custody and condition of the public records of parishes, towns and counties (Pub. Doc, No. 52), at room No. 227, State House, on Wednesday, March 16, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 12-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 11, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in the following petitions:—(House bill No. 1000) for legislation to give to persons sentenced for contempt of court a right to trial by jury in certain cases; (House bill No. 966) relative to the assumption of risks by employees; (House bill No. 994) for legislation to limit the meaning of the word "conspiracy" and the use of restraining orders and injunctions as used in disputes between employers and employees; (House bill No. 894) for legislation to limit the effect of attachments of real estate made against persons by names other than their true names; (House bill No. 892) for further legislation relative to the recovery of costs in civil actions; (House bill No. 890)) for legislation to revise the law relative to trustee process; at room No. 227, State House, on Thursday, March 17, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 12-2t

SOCIAL REALM.

(Continued from page 1.)

Miss Georgiana Lane of Goffe street has been confined to her home for nearly a month with a severe cold. She contracted a cold early in February and added to it at the Social club dramatics, in which she participated and has been quite ill since. She is not yet well enough to meet the March winds although able to go to the Woodward school a few days this week and to attend the minstrel show last evening.

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The Philergians will meet March 15, at the home of Mrs. W. C. Harding, Braintree. Mrs. Florence V. R. French will talk on "South Shore Types."

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The young married set were entertained at supper after the minstrel show last evening, by Mr. and Mrs. Henry I. Hall, of Russell park.

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The next meeting of the Study club, scheduled for Tuesday evening, March 22, will be postponed until Thursday evening, March 24, when a Shakesperian reading will be given by Mrs. Alden assisted by two Boston soloists. The reading will be given in the Parish House of Christ church and the members and their friends are very cordially invited to be present.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Rice, of Adams street, entertained friends most delightfully on Wednesday evening.

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Miss Lucy Crane of Quincy avenue, Braintree, has gone on a trip to the Holy Land by way of the Mediterranean. She sailed from New York la t Saturday.

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Mr. Kent got forty or fifty of the boys together in the parish room of St. Chrysostoms church last evening to meet Mr. J. O. Hall, Jr., of Quincy, who told them about his summer in Europe. The programe included music and refreshments.

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Maurice Blackmur was sure 'nough red headed coon last night, when he took part so finely in the minstrel show.

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Nowland & Thompson is the name of a new law firm having an office in the Adams building. Both men are well known, Mr. J. M. Nowland having been principal at the Adams school for several years and Mr. William P. Thompson, until recently resided at Alleyne terrace. Their friends wish them every success.

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Prof. J. B. Sewall, formerly head master at Thayer academy, South Braintree, returned yesterday from abroad where he has been for the past three years.

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Mrs. Frederic Allison Tupper of Brighton, entertained the Friday club at her home on Monday afternoon at luncheon. The ladies were seated at small tables and the serving was from the dining room table which was prettily decorated with flowers. Later the club were guests of Mrs. Tupper at a special meeting of the Brightbelmstone club, of which she is a member. The reception and entertainment was held in the Brighton Congregational church and was given to the officers of the Massachusetts Federation of Women's clubs. It was one of the most brilliant social functions of the year in Brighton. Following the entertainment a reception was held in the church parlors. The rooms were beautifully decorated and an orchestra discoursed sweet sounds. In the dining room a ladies' orchestra furnished music. The decorations here were in pink and most elaborate and artistic; the tables being dressed with pink satin ribbon and lighted with pink shaded candles. The Friday club reached home in the early evening, feeling that the occasion had been a red letter day.

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Wedded Bliss.



Smith (entering during the storm)—Hello, Brown! I was just coming to ask you to dine with me tonight.

Brown (cheerful, in spite of his trouble)—You're too late, old man. As you see, I'm just getting up from the table.

FOR YOUNG FOLKS

AN AMUSING TOY.

The Way to Make and Use the Trick Blowpipe.

Take an ordinary tobacco pipe and stop the bowl with a tightly fitting cork. The pipe may be either a wooden or a clay one, but it should be new and clean.

Bore a small hole through the cork, near one side, just big enough to hold a straw. The straw should be a little longer than the cork, and at the top it should be slit down an inch or so and the pieces spread out in the form of a funnel.

Or you may use a small glass tube with a little paper funnel pasted to the top of it. If the straw or tube does not



BLOWPIPE AND GALLOWS.

fit the hole exactly a little wax at the top will make the joint air tight. Now take another cork, cut it down to a round ball as big as a small marble, "a miggle," and pierce it through the center with a long hairpin from which you have broken off the greater part of one leg. The straight end should stick farther out of the ball than the other, so that the hooked end will be higher and will stay on top. Now in the other side of the large cork nearest the stem of the pipe stick a long wire, bent over and above and ending in a hook exactly over the little funnel and three or four inches above it.

Then drop the cork ball into the funnel, put the pipe to your lips and blow.

Your breath rushing up the little tube will lift the light ball and keep it dancing in the air for a second or two. When it falls the funnel catches it, and your breath sends it up again.

The trick is to make the hook attached to the ball catch on the hook above so that the ball remains suspended; that is all.—New York Mail.

SPELLING GAMES.

A Good Way For Girls and Boys to Amuse Themselves.

There are several kinds of spelling games which can be played in the same way, one of the most amusing being as follows: A long word, such as "catastrophe," is given out, and each player writes it down at the top of his paper. Five minutes are given in which to write down any words which can be made out of the letters in catastrophe which begin with the letter C (such as cat, cot, cast, cate, cater, cap, cape, cost). When this is over the same thing is done with the next letter, and all the players write down A, with at, ate, ape, etc., underneath.

When the word is finished one of the party reads aloud the words he has found, and every one runs a line through any word of which he has the duplicate. Each player reads aloud in turn, and a mark is allowed for words which no one else has thought of. If possible, the selected word should be one in which no letter occurs twice.

Another variation of the spelling game is called the "cate" game. A quarter of an hour is given, in which all the players have to write down as many words as they can think of ending in "cate," such as delicate, advocate, vacate, and at the end of the time one of the company reads the words aloud. If more than one person has thought of a word it does not count. The prize is given to the person who has found out more words than any one else.

A Soap Bubble Party.

Did you ever give a soap bubble party for your little friends? It is very amusing, and this is how you set about it:

Have five rings made of cardboard and wound round with tissue paper of bright colors in a doorway, suspended in a row by strings.

Each ring should measure about seven to nine inches across, but they need not all be the same size.

Have ready some bowls of strong soapsuds in which a teaspoonful of glycerin has been dissolved and as many clay pipes as will be needed for yourself and your guests.

The players take turns in blowing their bubbles through the rings, and the one who succeeds in getting the most through without breaking them is declared the winner and gains a prize. —Exchange.

The Shortest Day.

A little day ran past
Without a word from me;
I thought it ran too fast,
But that could hardly be
Because a little boy next door, they say,
Found time to speak a happy word that day.

A little day was spent
Almost before I knew;
I wondered where it went,
And so, indeed, would you
If, of a sudden, at the set of sun
You found how very little you had done.
—Frank W. Hutt in Youth's Companion.

It Is Every Woman's Duty to Make the Best of Herself.

Of course there is nothing new in the cult of beauty—the only novelty lies in the extravagant fashion in which new inventions are applied to it. Electric baths and vibration treatment may be innovations, but cosmetics and medicated baths date from the earliest ages. Women have always aspired to be beautiful and have painted their faces and "tired their heads" since time immemorial and in all countries.

Mixed bathing in tubs of water thickened with scented bran and salutary herbs was the fashion in mediæval France and recalled the days of Roman luxury. Vapor baths date from an even earlier period.

The question is, Are women really any more admired today for being steamed and smeared and electrified? Is any attraction worth having which is obtained by the painful and expensive methods we read of? I doubt it. Nobody is really taken in by the artificially manufactured beauty.

It is the duty of every woman to make the best of herself. Certain defects of complexion and figure can be easily remedied. Physical exercises, fresh air and good diet will work wonders with those, and by the addition of a smart dressmaker, milliner and clever hairdresser many a plain girl has been transformed into a pretty one. If a woman's nose is inclined to absorb too much color and her cheeks too little, no doubt a few judicious dabs of powder and rouge in the right places may be excusable.—London Outlook.

CHILDREN'S EARS.

Those That Protrude Can Be Corrected With a Little Care.

Small, shapely, pretty ears are, of course, in a minority, but nature shows such a remarkable capacity in varying her original design that you must pardon her for occasionally turning out some rather grotesque specimens. "How are his ears?" murmured a pale young mother when her firstborn was laid beside her. And this was the same particular parent who, when the child was older, made him wear at night a tiny cap to correct the winglike ears he had inherited from his grandfather. This gentle hint was taken in good part by Dame Nature, for the boy's handsome head is not disfigured by "gig lamps," as he irreverently terms the ancestral excrescences. Few mothers ever think of thus improving their children physically, but it would be an excellent scheme if they did. It is not so much the size of the outer ear as its relation to the other features that makes or mars personal appearance. Ears that protrude can always be rectified in youth, when flesh and gristle are pliant, and one of these days, when mankind determines to be wholly beautiful, art and science will be invoked to aid in improving youthful misfits and even remodeling maturer defects.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

To clean lacquer work rub with lemon juice, then with clean cloths till dry and polished.

Cutlery that is not in everyday use should be wrapped in coarse brown paper to keep it from rusting.

Unused table linen should be well washed, thoroughly dried and refolded once a year to keep it from getting yellow and the folds wearing.

Glass which has grown dull can be restored to a bright condition by washing with diluted hydrochloric acid and afterward rubbing with moistened chalk or whiting.

When cleaning the bars of a new or rough stove, if they are first rubbed over with a cloth dipped in vinegar and water the black lead will be found to adhere and a brilliant polish be the result.

To clean water bottles and decanters mix together half a gill of vinegar and a handful of salt. Shake well in the decanter to be cleaned, and, no matter how discolored, this treatment has been tried and found successful.

That Daily Rest.

Housework is not drudgery unless it is made so. No work is, for that matter. Cheer up, go at it wholesomely, and the wrinkles will smooth out of your face, while your mouth ceases to droop at the corners. Nine out of ten houseworkers make their work far harder than it need be. Perhaps you find no time to lie down except when night comes. There are very few women, however, who can honestly say this. Almost every one can take at least fifteen minutes in the middle of the day, when the lunch dishes are put away, for a quiet rest flat on the back. If you think there are no such fifteen minutes to spare, hunt for them.

For the Nervous Woman.

Onions eaten raw, with bread and butter, make a capital complexion clearer and nightcap, especially for the nervous woman, who is generally inclined to lie awake of nights and to wake up at dishearteningly early hours of the morning. Slice the onions thin and sprinkle lightly with salt to take off the raw, crude taste, and have the bread thin and a good deal of butter. Talking of nervousness, there is no better nerve food than good butter.

Creamed Liver.

Wash in cold water a pound of liver, then sprinkle it with salt and pour boiling water over it. Throw it into the colander and cut it into small cubes. Prepare a cream sauce well seasoned with pepper and salt and a grating of nutmeg. Add the liver and two or three drops of lemon juice. When the meat is heated add one egg well beaten. Simmer for two minutes, then serve on crisp buttered toast.—Cooking Club.

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BRAINTREE.

At a meeting of the school committee Wednesday afternoon, five of the six members were present and the regular monthly business was transacted. Rev. C. F. Hill Crathern was elected chairman in place of Mr. W. C. Harding resigned. Mr. Harding has officiated four years as chairman and served the town faithfully, giving freely of his time for the benefit of the school department.

The fund for the new church building is steadily growing. A special meeting of the committee will be held next week, at which time full reports to date will be expected of the members.

The King's Daughters met with Miss Nellie Potter of Tremont street, Thursday afternoon.

Miss Helen A. MacDonald of Pond street celebrated her seventh birthday, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Hayden of Thayer Place has been spending the week in Worcester.

Mrs. Whitney, who has been staying with Mrs. Mathews of Tremont street has returned to her home in Duxbury. Miss Tibbets of Portland, Maine, is spending the remainder of the winter with Mrs. Mathews.

Master Fred and Miss Nellie Belyea of Mt. Vernon avenue entertained the Sunday school classes of Mr. W. A. Harvey and Mrs. H. S. Bates, of which they are members respectively, Tuesday evening. The time was very pleasantly spent in music and games. There were also a few friends present.

Prof. Otis B. Oakman was on Saturday reelected secretary of the Harvard Teachers' association.

Mrs. George W. Stevens of Braintree will read a paper on "Habits" at the grange meeting at Stoughton Saturday, March 6.

Selectman Woodsum was on Wednesday elected on the board of directors of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society.

John F. Eaton of Washington street has accepted a position with the Quincy Beef Co.

There will be no afternoon service at the First church tomorrow, so as to give all a chance to hear Judge Emmons at the Town hall.

The Thayer academy girls' basket ball team played their last game of the season Friday afternoon. They defeated Weymouth High girls 12 to 4. The game was won through the brilliant playing of Miss Faxon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hadley of 258 East River street, Hyde Park, who recently moved from Braintree, are receiving the sympathy of their friends at the death of their infant daughter, Mildred, on Wednesday.

Mr. John Barbour has gone to St. Louis and other large cities in the west on a week's business trip.

Rev. F. R. Griffin has been confined to his home this week by illness.

Last Tuesday, Mrs. J. B. Allen of East Braintree observed her eighty-first birthday anniversary with her daughter Mrs. G. H. Arnold, Middle street.

The many friends of Mrs. William Bowditch are pleased to hear of her convalescence.

Town Treasurer Resigns.

Henry S. Bunton, for thirty years town treasurer of Hyde Park, resigned on Wednesday, because the new selectmen refused to accept the same bondsmen as in the past. His salary was $600 last year, although he handled $400,000.

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J. T. SMALL SUED.

Miss Louise M. Cook Plaintiff in a Civil Action.

Joshua T. Small, a well-to-do citizen of Provincetown, was arraigned in New Bedford Thursday evening, before United States Commissioner Goodspeed says a dispatch to the Herald, on a charge of having deposited an indecent letter in the United States mails. Mr. Small was represented by Otis S. Cook as counsel, and pleaded not guilty, and the case was continued for a hearing until March 19 at 11 o'clock. His bail was fixed at $500, and he was released on his own recognizances.

Besides the criminal charge against him in the federal courts, Mr. Small has been made the defendant in a civil action brought by Louise M. Cook or Louise N. Cook of Natick, who has attached his property for $20,000.

Miss Cook at one time worked for Mr. Small at Provincetown. The warrant on which Mr. Small was arrested was issued on complaint of Postoffice Inspector Elmer L. Kincaid, and charges that, on Jan. 9, at Provincetown, Small deposited and caused to be deposited in the United States mail intended for mailing, an indecent letter. The government's principal witness will be Miss Cook, the plaintiff in the civil suit.

Joshua T. Small is a well known citizen of Provincetown, where he conducts a bakery business and is the owner of considerable property. Miss Cook formerly lived on Bennington street, Quincy.

School Attendance.

The average daily attendance at the High school for the four weeks ending Feb. 26 was over 500, and the school led the other buildings of the city in percentage. The Gridley Bryant had but eight cases of tardiness, and ten of dismissals. The report:

	Whole No. at Date.	Av. Daily Attendance.	Per cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissal.	Truancy.
High	535	500.1	94.1	62	28	0
Adams	454	385.6	87.2	41	14	0
Coddington	389	340.7	87.9	20	13	2
Cranch	291	250.4	86.9	28	19	0
Gridley Bryant	315	292.4	92.5	8	10	0
John Hancock	353	325.8	90.0	13	24	1
Lincoln	429	389.5	90.1	30	18	4
Mass. Fields	392	316.2	87.8	11	30	0
Quincy	467	380.9	83.2	29	33	0
Washington	416	352.3	85.7	49	11	4
Willard	841	731.9	86.7	12	17	2
Wollaston	367	332.5	89.3	33	70	0
	5,259	4,628.3	88.3	336	287	13

The Magazines.

The new magazine, the Twentieth Century Home, makes an attractive appearance, and has leaped into popular favor. It deals with the affairs of the household, but in a scientific manner; with dress, but not with gush. The illustrations are capital and well printed. Some of the subjects of the March number are "The story of women who achieve," "Investing a woman's savings," "The bachelor girl," "For the woman who reads," "The month's work," "The cult of the chafing-dish," "Home exercise for women" "Home life in Japan," "The true relation of husband and wife," etc. Fully half of the thirty-four articles are illustrated. Published at Irvington, N. Y.

—If the eldest of several daughters the calling cards should read "Miss Douglass" without the Christian name.

DIED.

CAPEN—At Madison, Wis., March 9, Mrs. Louise H. B. Capen, wife of the Rev. R. T. Capen of Madison and daughter of the Rev. Dr. Thomas S. Barbour of Wollaston, Mass.

HUMPHREY—In East Weymouth, March 11, Mr. Thomas H. Humphrey, of 431 Middle street, aged 73 years, 4 months and 24 days.

MAHONEY—In Braintree, March 11, Mr. James J. Mahoney of Cain street, East Weymouth.

LORD—In Wollaston, March 11, Mr. Joseph H. Lord, aged 73 years, 6 months and 8 days.

FORD—BICKNELL—In North Weymouth, March 10, by Rev. T. H. Vincent, Mr. Solomon Ford to Mrs. Helen E. Bicknell.

MAKAROFF IS A FIGHTER

He Inaugurates a Change of Tactics at Port Arthur

A FIGHT WITH JAPANESE

Torpedo Flotilla Leaves the Harbor and Sinks One of Enemy's Torpedo Boats, Russia Losing One In So Doing--Reports of Japanese Invasion of Manchuria Lack Confirmation--Chinese In United States Offer Funds to China to Assist Japs

London, March 12.—Although there is some confusion of dates in the official messages from the far east regarding recent attacks on Port Arthur and other engagements, which is probably due to the fact that these affairs occurred during the night time, it would appear that no fresh action took place on Friday, or, if it did, it has not yet been reported

A correspondent of The Daily Telegraph at Seoul describes these Japanese attacks on Port Arthur as "successful preparatory bombardments," thereby undoubtedly intimating that a greater attempt to reduce Port Arthur is imminent.

Admiral Makaroff seems to have infused some life into the officers of the Russian fleet at Port Arthur. On Thursday he sent out a torpedo flotilla to attack the Japanese fleet, which appears to be closely investing the port, and succeeded in sinking one of the enemy's torpedo boats, though he himself lost a torpedo boat destroyer in so doing. The principal significance of this fight is the fact that the Japanese fleet is still close to the port.

St. Petersburg explains the assault on the theory that it was to cover operations elsewhere. The fact that the Japanese ships stood behind the Liaotishin promontory and threw shells into the harbor also bears out the statement that the Japanese were seeking to injure the Russian ships and town rather than delivering any assault on the defenses of the port.

There is still no confirmation of the report that the Japanese troops have seized Fung Wang Chang in Manchuria and it probably is untrue by reason of the difficulty of reaching such a position without serious trouble. Chinese reports insist, however, that the Russians are retiring from the Yalu, burning and destroying all towns on their route.

The official announcement from Mukden that the Russian army corps which has arrived at Harbin will be held there because of the landing of Japanese troops at different points and the various reports of the intentions of the Japanese commanders is an unintentional tribute from Viceroy Alexieff to Japan's extraordinary success in concealing her plan of campaign and mystifying the enemy as to her movements.

A correspondent at Che Foo of The Daily Mail gives alleged information of the Japanese landing movements up to March 9 and says that disembarkation is proceeding at Chemulpo and points to the northward with marvelous rapidity. During the last 10 days 16 transports have landed 10,000 men at a town the Japanese call Maishoe, 12 miles by sea from Chemulpo.

Dispatch boats have begun to run between Chemulpo and Chenampo, and the correspondent calculates that up to the present 70,000 Japanese have been landed in northern Korea.

The correspondent says also that a torpedo boat destroyer and a transport are aground off Chemulpo; the former is slightly damaged and the latter, which has the appearance of a cruiser, is completely wrecked.

Cabling from Yin Kow, the correspondent of The Daily Mail says the British and American gunboats at New Chwang have received orders to leave immediately the river opens. The Russian force on the Yalu river now amounts 20,000 men.

As an example of the terrible power of the Japanese "Shimose" powder a correspondent of The Standard at Tokio relates that a Russian sailor who was hurt in the naval fight off Chemulpo has been brought to Matsuyama, Japan. The man has 160 wounds.

The Tien Tsin correspondent of The Standard reports that influential Chinamen living in the United States have telegraphed the Chinese foreign board urging that the emperor be made head of the army, and that China join Japan against Russia. The Chinamen in question offer to raise the funds necessary for this.

No further news has been received of the reported Japanese movements at Feng Wang Cheng, but a correspondent of The Daily Telegraph who is now at Chemulpo maintains that the most striking developments will occur on the Liao Tung peninsula.

Report From Makaroff

St. Petersburg, March 12.—The emperor has received a message from Viceroy Alexieff which says Admiral Makaroff, commanding the fleet, reports from Port Arthur as follows:

"Six torpedo boats which went out to sea the night of March 10, four of them being under the general command of Captain Mattoussévitch, encountered the enemy's torpedo boats, followed by cruisers.

"A hot action ensued, in which the torpedo boat destroyer Vlastini discharged a Whitehead torpedo and sunk one of the enemy's torpedo boats. On the way back the torpedo boat destroyer Stereguschtchi, commanded by Lieutenant Sergueieff, sustained damages; her engine was disabled and she began to founder. By 8 o'clock in the morning five of our torpedo boat destroyers had returned. When the critical position of the Stereguschtchi became evident I hoisted my flag on the cruiser Novik and went with the Novik and the cruiser Boyarin to the rescue, but as five of the enemy's cruisers surrounded our destroyer, and as their battleship squadron was approaching, I did not succeed in saving the destroyer, which foundered. Part of the crew was made prisoner and part was drowned.

"On the ships which participated in the night attack one officer was seriously and three others were slightly wounded, two soldiers were killed and 18 were wounded.

"At 9 o'clock 14 of the enemy's ships assembled before Port Arthur, and a bombardment was begun with the heavy guns of their battleship squadron at long range.

"This lasted until 1 o'clock in the afternoon. It is estimated that the enemy fired 154 12-inch shells. The damage to our vessels was insignificant, and they are again ready for battle. Our losses were one officer slightly wounded and one soldier killed and four soldiers wounded.

"The illumination of the sea at night by the searchlights mounted at our batteries was most satisfactory and several times isolated shots from our batteries forced the enemy's torpedo boats to retire.

"With the commencement of the bombardment at dawn the guns of the fortress replied to the enemy's fire.

"The crews of all the ships engaged gave proof of remarkable coolness in action. Below decks the work of the day followed its ordinary course, in spite of the shells falling between the vessels and covering them with fragments.

"A bombardment at such a distance must be considered ineffective, but the Japanese cruiser Takasago is reported to have been seen to suffer serious damage, the extent of which, however, it was impossible to ascertain at a distance of five miles. Many shells were fired at a range of 7½ miles.

"I have the honor to report the foregoing to your majesty. Alexieff."

"There's Many a Slip," Etc

Paris, March 12.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Echo De Paris quotes General Kuropatkin as follows: "I know I am impetuous, but I will not sacrifice the life of a single man uselessly. In order to teach the Japanese a lesson we will walk through their islands after crushing them in Manchuria and Korea. If I have voice in the matter the treaty of peace will be signed in Tokio and not elsewhere."

Cause of Darlington Collapse

New York, March 12.—Henry Parsons, an expert on building construction, retained by District Attorney Jerome to investigate the collapse of the Hotel Darlington, in which over a score of workmen lost their lives, reported that the collapse was caused by improper assembling of ironwork, resulting in the entire weight of the structure being thrown upon the flanges of the columns instead of on their centres. The flanges were never intended for this purpose.

Opposition to General Wood

Washington, March 12.—With the exception of half an hour devoted to the consideration of routine business the senate spent the entire day in executive session, devoting most of the time to the nomination of Brigadier General Wood to be a major general. Speeches were made in opposition to Wood's confirmation by Senators Scott and Blackburn. The latter had not concluded when the senate adjourned.

Settled Bills With Stamps

Philadelphia, March 12.—Harry T. McMinn, postmaster at Buck Run, Chester, is held in $500 bail, charged with having improperly used postage stamps by buying merchandise at various times from a Chicago firm and in each instance payment being tendered in stamps. This is said to be the first prosecution of the kind on record.

Can't Do Business In Illinois

Chicago, March 12.—The campaign by Attorney General Hamlin against co-operative home-buying associations doing business in Illinois has resulted in Judge Mack barring the American Home Assurance company from the state. Judge Mack also appointed a receiver for the concern.

A Naval Relief Society

Washington, March 12.—The Naval Relief society has been organized here to undertake the important work of affording such relief as may be practicable to widows and orphans of deceased officers, sailors and marines. Auxiliaries will be organized throughout the country.

Mine Destroyed by Fire

Throop, Pa., March 12.—The Brice-Pancoast company's coal breaker here was destroyed by fire of unknown origin last night. Fifty mules in the lowest vein of the mine were suffocated. The mine employed 920 men and boys and was the only industry of the village.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Sunday, March 13.
Sun rises—6 a. m.; sets—5:48 p. m.
Moon rises—4:02 a. m.
High water—8:45 a. m.; 9:15 p. m.

The eastern storm has moved off to sea, although the weather continues cloudy and rainy in south New England and the middle Atlantic states. It will be fair and cold in New England.

Famous Military Leaders

Noted Russian and Japanese Generals Who Command the Opposing Armies

THAT Russia is fully awake to the formidability of Japan as an opponent on land, if she ever had any doubts on the subject, is shown by the appointment of General A. N. Kuropatkin, the foremost soldier of the empire, to the chief command of the army in the far east. Already the pick of the generals of the Russian army are at the seat of war or under orders to go, and General Kuropatkin will be accompanied to the front by the Grand Dukes Michael Nikolaievitch, Boris, Cyril and Nicholas.



GENERAL A. N. KUROPATKIN.

Among the famous Russian generals now in command of troops in or near Manchuria are Lieutenant General A. Stoessel, Lieutenant General Linevitch and General Cierpitsky, all men who have won promotion and honor on the field of battle and who have over and over again proved that they possess all the qualities which go to make successful military leaders. Some one has said that Manchuria, like South Africa, will prove the graveyard of many military reputations. Perhaps, but time alone can verify or disprove this.

With the possible exception of General Dragomirof, ex-governor of Kiev and late member of the council of state, General Kuropatkin is the most popular man in the Russian army. As a bluff soldier who has fought his way up from the bottom to be minister of war he is the ideal of the enlisted man.

General Kuropatkin has been minister of war since 1897. He is a man with a remarkable military record, having fought in the Pamirs, in Turkestan, in Africa and in the war with Turkey, distinguishing himself especially at Plevna, where he was chief of staff under the renowned Skobeleff. General Kuropatkin entered the Turkish war a lieutenant and came out a colonel, and from that time his advancement has been rapid. He engineered the usurpation of Finland and has been prominent in promoting the Transsiberian railway. He is credited with being a master of the science of war, and his history of the Balkan campaign is considered to be a military classic. Kuropatkin comes of a noble family and is fifty-five years old.



GRAND DUKE BORIS.

Grand Duke Cyril Vladimirovitch, who, with his brother Boris, is going to the far east to fight the Japanese, is a son of the Grand Duke Vladimir, uncle of the czar. The Grand Duke Cyril was born in 1876, is a captain of the Fifty-second regiment of infantry and wears the order of the Black Eagle. The Grand Duke Boris, his brother, is a lieutenant in the hussars and is considered a daredevil soldier.

The Grand Duke Nicholas is forty-seven years of age and is considered the foremost cavalry expert in the Russian army. He is tall and fair, with a pleasant face, and as the occupant of the responsible post of inspector general of cavalry he will be able to advise General Kuropatkin.

Another sprig of royalty who may fight for the czar is Don Jaime, only son of Don Carlos, pretender to the Spanish throne. Don Jaime is carried on the reserve list as captain of the Russian regiment of the Grodno hussars of the guard, and at the time of the Boxer insurrection in China he distinguished himself while on the staff of the Russian commander. It is said that Don Jaime will join the cavalry under Prince Louis Napoleon in Manchuria.

Senator Beveridge, in his book "The Russian Advance," has this to say of General Cierpitsky, whom he calls the Kitchener of Russia: "This commander in 1901 suppressed brigandage in Manchuria and was in the field in person at the head of his troops. Three thousand robbers were killed in less than six weeks, 2,000 were captured and the rest scattered and hunted like beasts into the caves and fastnesses of the concealing mountains."

Japan, too, has many able and experienced generals who have proved their skill and efficiency on many occasions, and they have fought over the very ground where they must now meet the Russians. First of these in order of service is Field Marshal Yamagata. When the war started with China in 1894 Yamagata was given command of the first army that invaded Manchuria. His health failed, however, and the emperor, fearful of losing the services of his ablest officer, called him back to Tokyo to act as his chief military adviser. After the war Yamagata was made marquis and the new military rank of field marshal was established, to which he was promoted. Several officers in the army and navy were raised to the rank of field marshal and organized into a supreme council of war. Of this Yamagata was made chief, a position he still holds.



GENERAL NODZU.

If there is any one to divide honors with Yamagata, it is Field Marshal Oyama, who is associated with him in the council of war. Oyama has steadily risen in the military organization of Japan. In the war with China he had command of the second army of invasion and conducted the campaign which resulted in the capture of the two great Chinese strongholds, Port Arthur and Weihaiwei.

After Yamagata and Oyama the most conspicuous military man in Japan is General Nodzu, who succeeded Yamagata in the command of the first army of invasion in the war with China. For his conduct in this war General Nodzu was decorated, made a count and honored in various ways. Later, when the army of Japan was divided into three grand military divisions, General Nodzu was given command of the eastern division. He was very conspicuous in the relief of Peking during the Boxer troubles.

Next in order comes General Katsura, the present prime minister of the empire. He is a man of great ability and a thoroughly trained soldier. Other notable generals of the mikado's army are Sakuma, who commands the middle division; Kurogi, who commands the western grand military division, and Oku, who commands the Tokyo army of defense.

These share with Nodzu and Katsura the rank of full general. They all commanded divisions during the war with China. Lieutenant General Kodama is a warrior of proved ability, as is Major General Fukushima, who is an authority on Manchuria. Besides these, there is a group of officers who were major generals during the war with China and proved their skill on many fields. Among them are Lieutenant Generals Nogi, Yamaguchi and Terauchi, who is now secretary of war.

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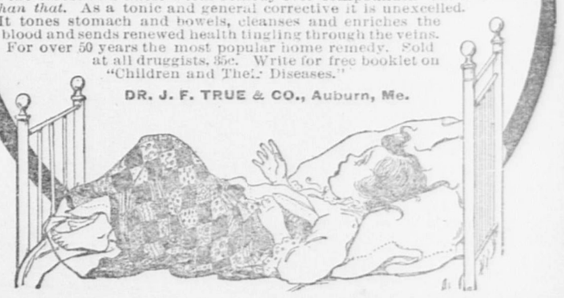
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A STORMY SESSION

House Greatly Excited Over the Postal Controversy

A PARLIAMENTARY FIGHT

Minority Demand For Investigation of Whole Postoffice Department Voted Down by Party Vote--Call For Cannon as a Candidate For Presidency

Washington, March 12.—The house of representatives indulged itself in nearly seven hours of explanation, accusation and vituperative denunciation, and then ordered, with only two negative votes, an investigation of postal affairs, as far as members of the house are concerned, by a special committee of seven members to be appointed by the speaker, who, likewise, are to examine into the origin of the Bristow report so far as it concerns members of the house. The demand of the minority for a sweeping investigation of every branch of the postoffice department was not granted. The test on this question came on a vote which resulted 144 to 125, a strict party vote.

The climax of the day was reached when Representative W. A. Smith of Michigan condemned every executive department of the government for its arrogant treatment of the only branch of the government in direct touch with the people of the country—the house of representatives—and shouted out the nomination of Speaker Cannon for President of the United States. The house thundered its acquiesence, members rose to their feet and fairly shrieked their assent; Democrats waved whatever was in their hands, Republicans pounded their desks and the packed galleries took up the enthusiasm and echoed the applause.

When the speaker bent low over his desk and wielded his gavel vigorously for order his raps only served as an impetus for a fresh outbreak of enthusiasm. Meanwhile Mr. Smith's time ran out, and when he endeavored to continue, in opposition to the ruling of the speaker, he was urged on by the cries of members on both sides, but without avail.

The parliamentary struggle between the Republicans and Democrats came late in the day. The recommendation of the committee that the Hay resolution lay on the table was brushed aside unanimously. The Democratic demand for a full investigation finally came to a vote in the shape of an appeal from the decision of the chair, and was defeated, 144 to 125, a strict party vote. A resolution for an investigation of the connection of members with the department, offered by Representative McCall of Massachusetts, was then agreed to, only Representatives Lund (Dem., Minn.) and Gillespie (Dem., Tex.) opposing it.

Would Sever Old Marriage Ties

Denver, March 12.—A petition for divorce filed in the district court of Big Horn county, Wyo., Jan. 9 last by Colonel Cody (Buffalo Bill) has just been made public. The complaint charges cruelty and alleges that on Dec. 26, 1900, Mrs. Cody attempted to poison the plaintiff, who declares that the marital relation has been intolerable to him by his wife's refusal to entertain his friends at his former home at North Platte, Neb. Mrs. Cody denies her husband's charges and will contest the suit. They were married 38 years ago.

McClellan's Broad View

New York, March 12.—Mayor McClellan has declared himself in favor of state legislation to prevent the transmission of racing news by telegraph or that those who so furnish it shall be consideed guilty of felony. "I think that telegraph companies are even more liable to condemnation than common citizens," he said, "as the men who control them are men of greater intelligence and of larger responsibilities."

Threats of Dynamiting

Springfield, O., March 12.—There is considerable uneasiness here lest the withdrawal of the troops from this city result in further outbreaks from the lawless elements among both negroes and whites. Nine companies of state militia have been removed. Threats to dynamite public buildings after the departure of the troops has created no small degree of apprehension.

Business Shows Improvement

New York, March 12.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says that more seasonable weather has brought increased activity in business, normal conditions existing for the first time this year at many points. Manufacturing returns are favorable as to steel and footwear, but textile mills are not active and a further curtailment of cotton spinning is probable.

Tillman Has Turn For Worse

Washington, March 12.—Senator Tillman is much more uncomfortable than at any time during his illness, though his condition is not necessarily worse. His throat is distressing him greatly and his suffering is most acute. The physicians again found it necessary to open the abscess and a second abscess appears to be forming.

City Officials Alleged Bribers

Green Bay, Wis., March 12.—Eighteen warrants have been served as a result of true bills returned by the grand jury. Eight city officials were arraigned and pleaded not guilty. Most of the bills returned were for bribery.

DEFENDS POLYGAMY

Mormon Speaker Declares It to Be the Doctrine of God

Salt Lake City, March 12.—As illustrating the intense feeling existing among the Mormons in some parts of the state as a result of the Smoot investigation in Washington, The Telegram prints a dispatch from Logan, Utah, describing the regular monthly fast meeting held in the temple at that place. The meeting crowded the hall. Heber Carlisle declared with great emphasis that congress and the entire country were the persecutors of the Mormon church. He defended polygamy, declaring it to be the doctrine of God and the revelation that had been given to the prophet, Joseph Smith. He approved of the conduct of Joseph F. Smith in Washington, declaring: "If it ever comes to a difficulty, I will be ready to die for President Smith."

W. S. Lamoreaux, amid much excitement, declared that he believed in loyalty to the United States government. It was dangerous, he said, to say such things as the preceding speaker had given utterance to.

Counsellor Isaac Smith, the presiding officer, ordered Mr. Lamoreaux to take his seat, which he did.

Church Officials Are Masters

Washington, March 12.—The only witness on the stand yesterday in the investigation of the Smoot case was E. B. Critchlow, who continued his history of the Mormon church, detailing instances where the high officials of the church have manifested their power over the members in order to compel obedience in all matters, and where excommunication has been the price of an independent spirit.

"Judgment" In Massacre Case

Kishineff, March 12.—The trial of prisoners charged with participation in the massacre of Jews here last April is closed. In the case of 58 persons, of whom 18 were charged with homicide during the anti-Jewish rioting, and 40 with creating disorders, two were found guilty of the murder of a Jewish couple. One was sentenced to four years' imprisonment and the other to 20 years. Fifteen persons accused of rioting were each condemned to a year's imprisonment and three others to four months. Thirty-six of the accused were discharged. Two damage suits were not considered and 64 were disallowed.

Many Years' Task Completed

New York, March 12.—Begun 30 years ago and twice abandoned for long periods because of accidents and financial difficulties, the driving of the bore of the Hudson river tunnel, connecting Fourteenth street, Jersey City, with Morton street, on Manhattan island, has been finished. So great has been the accuracy of the plans of Chief Engineer Jacobs that when the ends of the tunnel met there was not the variation of a hair in the course of the Jersey section and the New York heading.

War Veteran an Embezzler

New Orleans, March 12.—General George Baldy, a former Union soldier, was sentenced to six months in the penitentiary. Baldy was the attorney of John Spraule, a Confederate veteran living in California, in the settlement of a small estate, and was charged with embezzling the proceeds. Spraule came from California to prosecute him.

Woman Shot by Insane Count

Vienna, March 12.—Count Csaky, vice secretary of the Hungarian ministerial bureau here, while insane last night, jumped from a street car in a crowded section of the city, and shot a woman, wounding her dangerously. He was immediately arrested. He was not acquainted with the woman he shot.

Jiminez Forces Gaining

St. Thomas, D. W. I., March 12.—Private advices received here from Santo Domingo are to the effect that the troops of President Morales are being defeated all over the republic. Porto Plata is again in possession of General Jiminez, and it is expected that the capital will surrender soon.

Jenkins Got the Only Fall

New York, March 12.—Tom Jenkins, world's champion wrestler, defeated John Piening in a match here last night. The first fall, catch-as-catch-can, was won by Jenkins in 28m. 10s. The second bout, Graeco-Roman, went the limit of one hour, neither being able to secure a fall.

Sidewalks For White People

Johannesburg, March 12.—Yielding to the pressure of public opinion, the commissioner of police has prohibited colored persons, including coolies, from using the sidewalks of Johannesburg. The better class of colored persons are exempted from this ruling.

Double Tragedy Over Love

Doylestown, Pa., March 12.—Miss Mary Wyker, schoolteacher at Erwinna, who was shot by Paul Weaver, died from the effects of her injuries. Weaver was Miss Wyker's rejected sweetheart and after shooting her he committed suicide.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Reports presented at the annual meeting of the New Hampshire Y. M. C. A. show that the association owns property valued at $137,500, with an indebtedness of $12,300. The membership is 2626.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is very weak from an attack of the grip, but he is improving steadily and is not confined to his room. He will go to Florida next week.

The senate committee on public buildings and grounds ordered a favorable report on a bill for the purchase of a square of land south of the present postoffice in Washington at a cost of $750,000

STRUCK A LAMP POST

Accident to Bobsled May Result In Death of Two Coasters

Lenox, Mass., March 12.—A double-runner carrying five high school students crashed into a lamp post at the foot of a hill on Main street, causing serious injuries to four girls. Hazel Crosby, aged 17, had both legs broken and received internal injuries. She will probably die. Cressey Henry, 18, had her skull fractured and is not expected to live. Lucy Brown, 16, had her right leg broken and received body bruises, and Kate Spencer, 17, has a dislocated hip and body bruises. The fifth member of the party, Mansuitt Smith, was not seriously injured.

The accident occurred after the double-runner had plunged down the hill at a terrific speed. Just before reaching the bottom of the incline Miss Crosby, who was steering, lost control of the steering apparatus and the big sled ran into a lamp post. Miss Crosby, being in front, struck the lamp post. Behind her was Miss Henry, who struck on her head, while Miss Brown and Miss Spencer and young Smith were thrown in a heap together.

All of the girls were unconscious when picked up and taken into a near by store. Miss Brown and Miss Spencer soon recovered their senses, but the condition of Miss Crosby and Miss Henry was so serious that they were removed to the Pittsfield hospital.

The hill is the favorite coast in Lenox, starting opposite the Curtis house and extending down a very steep incline and then along a flat for a distance of a quarter of a mile. Several minor accidents have occurred during past seasons, but no attempt has been made to stop the sport.

Death Charged to Lack of Care

Portsmouth, N. H., March 12.—County Solicitor Kelley and Medical Referee Lance are investigating the death of an infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Davidson of Rye, after a Christian science treatment by Ada G. White of this city. Miss White said she was called on Sunday, and went down to the Davidson house. She found the infant, 6 weeks old, suffering with a cold, and, as she was busy, she gave him "absent treatment" until Wednesday evening, when she went to Rye and found that the child had died. Dr. Lance found that the child had evidently died of pneumonia and for want of proper care.

Strikers Reject Compromise

Boston, March 12.—Despite the compromise reached by the master printers of this city and the striking job compositors, none of the strikers have returned to work because they are dissatisfied with the terms of the compromise. The chief objection is that it provides for a scale of wages precisely as offered by the master printers when the typesetters struck. This scale includes 38 cents per 1000 ems for piece work, $17 for time work and $18 for machine operators. A meeting of the strikers has been called for Sunday.

Debts Said to Reach $500,000

Boston, March 12.—The New England Brick company, a Boston concern, which was placed in the hands of a receiver on the application of the Old Colony Trust company, has been petitioned into bankruptcy. It was alleged in the bill brought by the Old Colony Trust company that the firm owed them about $500,000. The bankruptcy proceedings will take the affairs of the company out of the hands of the receiver.

Weavers to Return to Work

Woonsocket, R. I., March 12.—The weavers at the Dunn Worsted company's mills here voted last night to end the strike which they declared seven weeks ago. The weavers went out because they objected to the double-loom system on fancy mercerized goods. The management will give the strikers their old positions as fast as places can be made for them. The end of the strike is regarded as a victory for the mill.

Big Fire In Vermont Town

Richmond, Vt., March 12.—Brigades from Waterbury and Winooski checked a fire here and saved the business section of the town after a damage of $25,000 had been done. The fire destroyed George Green's furniture store and undertaking rooms in a large two-story building, Green's barn in the rear, a dwelling, and partially wrecked the Park hotel. It is not known how the fire originated.

Lovers' Quarrel Ends In Murder

Springfield, Mass., March 12.—Estelle Taylor, 19 years old, was shot and killed late last night by Joseph Seaton, aged 19, her lover, who then tried to commit suicide with chloroform. Both the girl and Seaton are negroes. They had been keeping company for some time, but had quarreled lately. At police headquarters Seaton recovered, but refused to tell the motive for the crime.

Man With a Bad Record

Providence, March 12.—Having completed an eight months' sentence for burglary in this city, Daniel Devlin was held in $5000 for appearance in Washington. In Washington he will be tried for alleged larceny of $1600 worth of jewelry. He was wanted on a similar charge in Boston, but that claim was waived.

Trace of Kidnapped Boy

St. Catharines, Ont., March 12.—According to a private dispatch received here Frank E. Rogers, the boy kidnapped from his home in Evalston, Ills., in 1901, is supposed to be in or near this city.

Ballot Forgery Alleged

Denver, March 12.—Judge Johnson has bound over six election judges, charged with forging ballots at the November election for justices of the state supreme court.

GIBRALTAR OF ASIA.

PORT ARTHUR, THE RUSSIAN STRONGHOLD IN CHINA.

How It Gets Its Reputation For Strength—Captured by the Japanese, Who Were Robbed of Their Prize—Why Dalny Was Built.

[Special Correspondence.]

San Francisco, Feb. 24.—While the cable brings prompt report of all that happens of importance in the war stirred orient—and a good deal that doesn't happen—many interesting side lights on the situation are obtained from returning travelers, who are arriving at this port in considerable numbers. An observing traveler who was in Port Arthur a few days before the opening of hostilities gives some glimpses of that Russian stronghold which may serve to amplify the telegraphic reports of the momentous events taking place there.

Port Arthur has been has been not inaptly termed the "Gibraltar of Asia." The height which holds the main fortifications is a high, towerlike hill, somewhat less rugged than Gibraltar in its outlines, but equally commanding in its position. From here the land slopes down to the protected shores of the harbor, affording opportunity for successive tiers of earthworks and galleries. In the rear the place is surrounded by a semicircle of hills up which no foe could make its way against the frowning lines of great guns that look out from the earthworks along their sides. The stronghold, therefore, is so located as to defy attack from every quarter. In this respect it is like Gibraltar.

Port Arthur is without doubt the strongest and most strategic point in the east. Upon its possession depend very largely the issues of the war between Russia and Japan. Its possession likewise in time of peace is essential to the power that shall dominate the orient.

It was for this reason that Russia had long had her eye on Port Arthur and that all the subtleties of Russian diplomacy were brought to bear to obtain possession of it. Situated at the southwestern point of the Liautong peninsula, which divides the gulf of Pechili from the Yellow sea, Port Arthur is designed by nature for a military stronghold. The town is situated on an almost completely landlocked bay, which is connected by a narrow strip of land with the peninsula proper. From seaward the port is reached by a winding channel not more than 300 yards across in its widest part and narrowing to less than 200 in some portions. This channel runs northward from the open sea for three-quarters of a mile and for nearly the entire distance is enfiladed by a fort carrying a heavy battery, which is located on a curving point on the western shore.

The naval dockyard at Port Arthur was begun by the Chinese authorities in 1881; but, the native contractors being unequal to the task, a French company was employed and finished the work in three years, so that by 1890 it was China's chief dockyard, possessing a large refitting basin and two docks capable of receiving ironclads, with



PORT ARTHUR.

foundries and workshops constructed on the most improved models, with modern machinery.

Then came the war with Japan which was practically ended by the capture of Port Arthur by the Japanese, who pretty thoroughly demolished the fortifications. As a condition of peace Japan demanded the possession of Port Arthur, but Russia, backed by France and Germany, protested in such a formidable manner that the Japanese were compelled to relinquish it, along with the rest of the possessions they had demanded on the continent of Asia, and so the port reverted to the Chinese, who did little to repair the ravages wrought by the Japanese assault.

In pursuance of its aggressive eastern policy, Russia acquired possession of Port Arthur in 1898 on a twenty-five year lease from China, making it practically one of the termini of its Transsiberian railway on the Pacific ocean, the other terminus being Vladivostok, which is icebound a considerable part of the year. The harbor of Port Arthur is practically free of ice the year around, and its importance to the Russians both in peace and war is patent.

The Russian plan has been from the first to make Port Arthur a purely military and naval center. With that plan in view the Russians several years ago began the construction of the wonderful city of Dalny, thirty miles north and ten miles east of Port Arthur, which they hope to make the commercial capital of the far east. The plan contemplates that all commercial ships shall be barred out of Port Arthur and sent to Dalny and that the former fortress shall be barred to civilians, where, indeed, they are now allowed only on sufferance.

FRED L. CUMMINGS.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

Their Use at Weddings the Survival of an Ancient Custom.

Authorities speak of the use of orange blossoms at weddings as due to the fact that the orange tree, bearing its ripe golden fruit and fragrant flowers at the same time, is a symbol of fruitfulness, and this, we may take it, is the main reason of the pleasing custom.

In Crete the bride and bridegroom are sprinkled with orange flower water, and in Sardinia oranges are attached to the horns of the oxen which draw the nuptial carriage. Dr. Brewer says that Saracen brides carried orange blossoms at weddings and suggests that our modern custom is a survival or revival of theirs.

The custom appears to have been introduced from France into England about 1820-30. According to Littre, "Women at their marriage wear a crown of orange buds and blossoms; hence the orange blossom is taken as a symbol of marriage."

In "Vanity Fair" Thackeray speaks of orange blossoms as "touching emblems of female purity imported by us from France." This happy thought, however, is merely a fancy of his, for orange blossoms, according to French scholars and writers, simply indicate that "mademoiselle" has attained the status of "madame."

IT WON HIS CASE.

The Incident That Brought About the "Stovepipe Verdict."

It was a characteristic of a certain Tennessee colonel that when once his oratory had begun to flow before the jury nothing could stop it till the fount was exhausted. On one occasion he had just finished tearing his opponent's argument to tatters when the courtroom stovepipe fell with a crash.

"There!" cried the colonel as the clouds of soot arose. "There is a simile furnished by nature herself! Just as that stovepipe has come unjointed and fallen useless to the ground so my adversary's argument has fallen with as loud a crash. One is not more hollow than the other, not more in need of polish.

"And, gentlemen of the jury, what do those clouds of soot and smoke resemble—those black masses smutting all they light upon—what do they resemble more than the malicious libels, the black scandals, which my adversary has poured into your ears and with which he has endeavored to blacken the character of my client?"

His case had seemed hopeless, but when he had finished the stovepipe comparison the jury was converted and returned what became famous in western Tennessee as the "stovepipe verdict" in favor of the colonel's client.

WATERSPOUTS.

What They Are and the Conditions That Generate Them.

A waterspout is a miniature tornado originating in a strong upward draft of air which occurs above the surface of a body of comparatively warm water. Its effect first becomes visible in a circular motion at the point in the clouds to which it ascends. This becomes a whirl, which condenses the vapor at its center, causing the portion of the cloud there to drop downward in the shape of a gigantic jelly bag. At the same time the continuing upward draft increases the rapidity of its original swirl and of the condensed vapor caught within it until the ascending and descending masses join to form the waterspout.

Necessarily by this process the air beneath the spout is rarefied, and thus where the phenomenon occurs at sea the water always seems to be sucked up into it, although this is not really the case to any considerable extent. For similar reasons where a waterspout or tornado passes over a building it does most of its damage by exhausting the air outside, causing what is within to expand and blow the structure to pieces.

Infantile Development.

It is wonderful enough that infants of a few weeks or months should make unmistakable manifestations of the simpler emotions of fear, affection and anger, but that an emotion so complex as jealousy should appear so early as at the age of ten months is especially remarkable and indicates a degree of development at this age which in the absence of observation might justly be deemed incredible. Darwin observed jealousy in an infant of fifteen and one-half months, but adds, "It would probably be exhibited by infants at an earlier age if they were tried in a fitting manner."

Truffles.

Whether plainly boiled, like the humble potato, served in a snow white napkin and eaten with shavings of cold butter, or inlaid in tiny blocks like miniature black dice into goose liver, turkey's breast or pigs' feet, or, again, shredded delicately over the creamy surface of supremes de volaille, the truffle, despite its costliness, is deservedly a favorite esculent throughout the civilized world—London Telegraph.

A Recipe From the Forest.

When the oak leaf is the size of a squirrel's foot take a stick like a crow's bill and make holes as big as a coon's ear and as wide apart as fox tracks; then plant your corn that it may ripen before the chestnut splits and the woodchuck begins his winter's sleep.—Ernest Thompson Seton in Century.

Economical Stroke.

"I'm afraid I'll have to buy my house," said Subbubs.

"Why so?"

"I can't afford to rent it."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	31	35	46	38	50
Monday,	48	39	47	46	26
Tuesday,	57	38	52	43	40
Wednesday,	43	43	45	40	44
Thursday,	32	48	45	48	51
Friday,	36	27	54	45	51
Saturday,	40	30	55	64	49

New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearings.
Probate Notice.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

The public schools will close Wednesday, March 23, for the spring vacation, opening, Monday, April 4.

The Baker Yacht Basin Company is the name of the firm succeeding the Hanley Construction Company.

The Wollaston Ladies' Aid Alliance are making preparations for a "Mother Goose" entertainment to come off next week.

Rev. E. N. Hardy is to preach at the Wollaston Congregational church, Sunday morning in exchange with the pastor.

The annual meeting of the Wollaston Cooperative bank is to be held on Tuesday evening, March 15th, in the rooms of the bank.

The Christian Endeavor society of Memorial Congregational church, Atlantic, will run a bakery in the church annex the last two Saturdays of this month. The proceeds will go for the society's needs.

The people of Quincy Point have now an excellent opportunity of reading all the latest books at the low price of one cent a day. Through her usual kindly interest in her patrons, Miss E. M. Freeman has started a circulating library.

There have been more deaths in Atlantic this year than for many years past. It is hoped that the motto "It is always darkest just before dawn," will come to pass. In a small community the individual griefs become general.

The West Quincy Improvement society will hold a meeting next Monday evening to consider the advisability of locating the proposed new High school on School street. Other business will be in order.

Mrs. Thomas Hewson of Newcomb place entertained the Brownie Whist club yesterday afternoon. Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, having a score of 56, took the first prize, six linen handkerchiefs. Mrs. Emma Newcomb came in second, and received a china pitcher. Mrs. Longhead was awarded the consolation, a handsome match safe.

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WOMAN'S WORLD

MRS. EVA SCHUMANN.

A Chicago Woman Who Makes a Business of Raising Mice.

Between women and mice, as is commonly supposed, exists a natural antipathy; between women and mice, according to Mrs. Eva Copeland Schumann of Chicago, who knows more about the tiny creatures than any woman on this side of the Atlantic ocean, exists rather a natural affinity. Mrs. Schumann loves all kinds and varieties of mice, from the despised rodents of the barnyard, pantry and cupboard to the pedigreed aristocrats that win prizes, sell for large sums and are accounted among the valuable and highly valued possessions of their owners.

The blue mice—softest, loveliest cadet blue in tinting—are the hardest to obtain, but the highest prices are paid for the cream and orange specimens. The coats of all these dainty little creatures are marvelously fine and glossy, and they spend fully half their time, so says their devoted owner, in keeping themselves in the pink and prime of well groomed condition. No smallest



MRS. EVA COPELAND SCHUMANN.

speck of dust or dirt is allowed to remain in their spotless home and cages, and they must be fed, if the best results are expected, on dainty fare.

"The ordinary white mice," said Mrs. Schumann, who keeps her varied pets in and about her home at 1693 Kenmore avenue, "will thrive and flourish anywhere—in a box of sand if nothing better offers—provided only that they are allowed sufficient nutriment of almost any character. But their more dainty Himalayan relatives must be supplied with warm, clean and comfortable quarters, fed on bread and milk daily, given plenty of light, fresh air and sunshine and barred from indulgence in meat or water when the best and finest specimens are desired. No animal could possibly show the sad results of neglect or unintelligent treatment more quickly than do these tiny creatures. But, given the few and simple requisites mentioned, they are less trouble than any other kind of pets I have ever seen or heard of. They are almost human in point of intelligence and affection, they require little room and less attention, and the business of rearing them for sale I can recommend as easy and profitable for any woman who has animal sympathies or loves pets."

Room Colors and Nerves.

It is a great mistake to live in rooms papered with dark wall paper or tinted in somber hues. True, the dark colors hide the dirt, but they depress the spirits and are most disastrous to the health. Few people seem to realize the effect that color surroundings have upon the temperament. A warm yellow or a good rose pink looks cheerful and reminds one of sunny days, while a pretty green, not too vivid in tint, suggests the delicate hues of spring. A paper covered with a large pattern in dark colorings somehow seems to lend a gloomy effect to even the largest room, while there are certain schemes of coloring that hurt the eyes and tire one to look at. Green papers have the reputation of fading sooner than any others, while blue becomes a dirty sort of green if exposed to the sun, pink a terra cotta and yellow a sort of whitey brown—none of them very attractive, perhaps, in this stage, but on the whole a faded pink is the least depressing shade.—American Queen.

Difficulties In the Home.

It is not essential, of course, that a woman should be a culinary chef or a distinguished expert in any department of the care of a house, but that she should know, and take pride and pleasure in knowing, how to do every kind of domestic work well enough to lend a hand whenever necessary it is only right to expect, says the Indianapolis Journal. Then she should reflect that as she looks to her husband to bear the brunt of the battle with the outside world and bring her only the fruits thereof, so she should be ready to bear the brunt of the difficulties in the home and try to keep it during the few hours of his active occupancy a place of peace and rest, which all day long he will have in mind, as the storm tossed sailor thinks of the smiling harbor toward which his ship is headed. Let the husband continue as devoted as ever, say we, but let the wife return measure for measure, and we shall hear less of marital troubles among the young.

The Mirror Pincushion.

The convenience of a pincushion which can be hung at the side of a mirror or in some similar position is self evident. A novel and useful one can be made from a large size doll's parasol. To get the best results one of some bright colored silk should be used. It must be closed and the cover tacked to the stick at each rib; then each of the sections becomes separated from every other and can be fitted at the top and stuffed either with bran or wool wadding picked into bits. When the cushions are slipped into place they can be tacked firmly into position and the parasol further ornamented with bows of ribbon tied on wherever fancy indicates. To make the best foundation the parasol should have a hooked handle by which it can be hung, but should such not be obtainable a ribbon loop can be attached to a handle of any sort.

The Hat and the Face.

Unless a woman knows the relation between her hat and her face all the milliners in Paris can do nothing for her. A seventy-five dollar imported creation may be an utter failure if it is not suited to her particular style. She may be outdone by her own chambermaid in a dollar and twenty-nine cent factory made hat that is the proper shape for her. The hat question is a vital question where beauty is concerned. No part of the costume affects the face as much. The lines of the gown mean everything to the figure, but face and hair depend for their offsetting upon the headpiece. Choose it carefully. Study yourself carefully before you buy.—Chicago News.

Baby's Feet.

The feet of small children should be attended to most solicitously. Remember that the cuticle is most sensitive and provide your little ones with fine hosiery, which they should not wear badly mended, for the roughness and unevenness of the darns will cause corns and blisters. Every mother should personally supervise the cutting of her children's toe nails in order to avoid ingrowing nails and see that the feet are wiped dry between each toe so as to prevent that terribly painful affliction known as soft corn. A little powder should be dusted between the toes to insure absolute dryness after the bath.

Process For China Painting.

There is a process of china painting which is within the reach of every one. It is called mineral decalcomanie, and by this method pictures are transferred to china, porcelain and terra cotta. When burnt in they are durable as if hand painted on the object instead of transferred.

Sheets are sold which contain from 10 to 200 designs which are prepared for this work. These embrace flowers, figures, scenery, landscapes, fruits, buds, classical statuary, and even monograms.—New York Press.

The Knee Chest Position.

If the small of the back persists in aching and there is a feeling of heaviness about the hips devote five minutes at least once a day to what a physician calls the "knee chest position." It is ridiculous, but miraculously soothing. Get right down on the floor on your knees. See that the line from knee to hip is perpendicular; then force your chest to touch the floor. This is no easy matter, but practice will accomplish it. Kneel in this position as long as you can do so without discomfort.

Dishwashing Hints.

It is a saving of time to wash egg, milk, potato and flour dishes in cold water, as hot water only hardens and bakes on these materials, while cold water tends to loosen and dissolve them. A tiny scrubbing or vegetable brush is almost indispensable for potatoes, turnips, carrots, etc., as the dirt can be removed much more quickly and effectively with a brush than simply by washing in water.

A Writing Paper Suggestion.

If you have your address stamped on your note paper, remember when ordering a supply to buy also a few quires of the same paper to use unstamped. When writing a friendly letter you will often need more than one sheet, and the address on the second is not merely unnecessary, but is quite a blemish, and your unstamped paper will save the repetition and effect a slight economy.

The Writing Desk.

A much used writing desk sometimes becomes ink stained. An application of niter is said to do wonders in removing these stains. Mix six or eight drops of niter to a teaspoonful of water, drop on the stains and rub quickly with a damp cloth. Unless the niter is removed at once it leaves a white spot.

For Blackheads.

A beauty doctor recommends the use of the following lotion for blackheads: One ounce of spirits of rosemary and half a dram of boracic acid added to three ounces of water. She says that this should be rubbed into the skin thoroughly. There is nothing in it to injure or inflame the skin.

When you get a new cookbook cover it neatly with plain white oilcloth sewed at the corners inside the lids. It can then be cleaned after a chance drop into the batter.

You may not be able to remove a wrinkle, but you may remove a frown and so change your wrinkles into rivulets of laughter.

To wet the skin all over once a day and set the blood in action by rubbing is essential if you would have a perfect skin.

To remove finger marks from photographs rub lightly with diluted alcohol. About half strength is right.

Good Arguments.

Representative Andrews of Holyoke, the son-in-law of Mrs. James H. Slade, who is stopping at Wollaston during the season of the Legislature, made his maiden speech in the house this week. It was an argument against the bill to tax the commonwealth flats and was so clear and logical that it was applauded even by opponents. Speaker Frothingham has always been quick to check demonstrations, but this time his gavel lay unheeded. Andrews is an Amherst '95 graduate, has been a teacher, and is now in the insurance business, but his argument was so laid down on legal lines that several members in referring to it, after adjournment, spoke of him as a lawyer.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

PARK THEATRE.

No one should fail to make the enjoyable acquaintance of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," at the Park Theatre, Boston. All the familiar and famous characters, of Alice Hegan Rice's two little masterpieces of "Mrs. Wiggs" and "Lovey Mary" pass in front of the spectators, in this most happily made dramatization, as realistically and sympathetically attractive as they have hitherto been for New Englanders in the original stories. The Liebler & Co. cast is, in truth, so admirably fitted to these odd types throughout that almost every one of the twenty-six players receive a special demonstration of approval. Laughter reigns supreme, and yet every now and then a little situation of heart interest, or some other characteristic speech of Mrs. Wiggs, touches the tenderer and deeper chords of feeling. After living with all the quaint Cabbage Patch people in their queer Shantytown settlement throughout the three acts of the play the audience feels as though it had truly seen all of Mrs. Rice's delightful creations in the flesh. Mabel Taliaferro, who makes a winsome and charming Lovey Mary, has several deliciously exquisite scenes with Mrs. Wiggs. The juvenile element is quite strong in the play, and there are some charming scenes in which the children figure notably that of Mrs. Wigg's Sunday school class in the second act. No New England playgoer who wishes to be cured of the blues or to be better braced up for the common worries of life can afford to miss this unique treat.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

Annie Abbott, the far-famed "Little Georgia Magnet," a young woman weighing but 110 lbs., who can lift 10 men, while 10 men cannot lift her, is the feature of a sensational vaudeville bill to be offered at Keith's the week of March 14. Miss Abbott is a psychological marvel and is bound to attract a tremendous amount of attention during her brief engagement. In the same program will be Clayton White and Marie Stewart, in one of their clever character and specialty sketches; Charlotte Delmar, the noted "queen of the bicycle;" Martini and Maximilian, in straight and burlesque magic; Tim McMahon and Edythe Chappele, in singing and dancing specialties; Wartenburn brothers the greatest six foot jugglers in the world; John Donahue and Mattie Nichols, in acrobatic comedy, eccentric dancing and singing specialties, and Mr. and Mrs. Perkins D. Fisher, in a rural comedy sketch, "The Half Way House." As usual, a complete change of pictures will be made in the biograph. The much advertised comedy melodrama, "Rals," will be the feature of the "anniversary week" bill, March 21.

COLONIAL THEATRE.

The most successful productions presented in New York during the past three years have been Klaw & Erlanger's Drury Lane spectacles, the greatest of which, "Mother Goose," comes to the Colonial Theatre, Boston, for a run Monday, the 21st inst. The secret of the success of these remarkable attractions, if it be a secret, is that each has given the auditor his money's worth of wholesome, novel amusement. "Mother Goose" fairly teems with merit and presents the unique idea of relating a series moral theme in an entirely comic way, interpolated with numerous musical specialties of a very interesting character. The music is particularly fascinating and possesses an unusually strong popular interest. The great art ballet, "L'Art Nouveau," at the end of the first act, the ballets "The Land of Frost" and "Heartsease" in the second, and the beautiful transformation, "Contentment," shown at the end of the third act, represent the most artistic conceptions in ballet and transformation features ever seen on the American stage. Its presentation at the Colonial Theatre will undoubtedly attract many people to Boston to see it.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

The Castle Square theatre management has arranged an elaborate production of Augustus Thomas' adaptation of the story by Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, "Editha's Burglar," called in this dramatic version simply "The Burglar" as the attraction at this theatre next week. It will be remembered that Mr. Thomas first prepared a short sketch for the stage from the story so interestingly told by Mrs. Burnett, and subsequently this sketch was elaborated to make the play announced for next week. The remarkable experiances of the child, Editha, are all retained in Mr. Thomas' play and the story of the book has been enlarged upon very skilfully in this dramatic creation. The cast is as follows: William Lewis, Howell Hansel; Paul Benton, Thomas MacLarnie; John Hamilton, John F. Webber; Edward Bainbridge, Mortimer Weldon; James, William J. Hassen; Alice, Isabelle Fletcher; Fanny, Mary Sanders; Mamie, Alice Riker; Martha, Mabel Colcord; Editha, Ruth Frances. The usual distribution of boxes of choice chocolate bonbons will be made at the Monday matinee.

—A New York daily states that there have been more than one thousand applications for the position of pastor of the Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian church in Brooklyn, whose pastorate Rev. David Gregg recently resigned in order to become president of the Western Theological Seminary.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

4TH SUNDAY IN LENT.

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FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the Rev. E. A. Chase of Wollaston. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Address "Memories of Galilee," illustrated by beautiful stereopticon views. Two illustrated songs will be sung, "Love Divine" and "Galilee." Free seats and every one invited to the services.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. Service of divine worship at 3.30 P. M. Sermon by Rev. Mr. Conklin.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 25 Pleasant street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 9.45 A. M., holy communion at St. Chrysostom's church. 10.30 A. M., morning prayer and sermon. 12.05 M., Sunday School. 7.00 P. M., prayer and address.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by pastor. Subject: "The Victory of Faith." Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Troublesome Thoughts." Reception of members before sermon.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH, at Keating's hall, 137 Washington street near Canal street,—Service at 7 P. M. Subject: "Nebuchanezzar's Image." All are welcome. Seats free. No collection.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. 9.45 A. M., the holy communion. 10.45 morning prayer and sermon 12.20 P. M., the Sunday School. 4.30 P. M. prayer and address.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Bargaining in Religion." Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor meeting at 3.30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7.30 P. M. All heartily invited.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Abbott Chase, minister. Morning worship with sermon at 10.45. Preaching by Rev. E. N. Hardy of Quincy. Sunday School service at 12.15. Vespers at 4 o'clock. Preaching by minister. Subject: "The hymns of Horatius Bonar." Senior Endeavor society meeting at 6.30.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Morning service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock. You are cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue. — Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Matter." Golden Text: "Where are thy gods that thou hast made thee? let them arise, if they can save thee in the time of thy trouble." Jeremiah, 2: 28. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings. All are welcome.

Vesper Music.

The music at the vespers at the Wollaston Congregational church at 4 o'clock Sunday will include:

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of

ROGER E. SUMNER,

late of Braintree, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, J. Frank Perry, the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of a certain parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County, on the twenty-third day of March, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

March 12. 3t—12-14-21

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BAGGAGE.—The usual baggage allowance and regulations will apply.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Archimandrite Raphael of the Syrian (Greek Orthodox) church was nominated vicar bishop of Brooklyn at the Russian cathedral at New York with elaborate ceremonies.

The war department has decided to send the full body of cadets from the West Point military academy to the St. Louis exposition for a period of 10 days.

While skating on the Connecticut river near Hartford David Callahan, aged 10, and William Barnard, aged 11, broke through the ice and were drowned.

Three new shoe factories, which will give employment to 1000 hands, are to be established at Manchester, N. H. The factories will be operated by the W. H. McElwain Shoe company.

Colonel Jacob J. DeForest, an intimate associate of Horace Greeley during the abolition movement, died at Rotterdam, N. Y., aged 83. He was a colonel of volunteers during the Civil war.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain have started from Cairo on their return to London. They are in excellent health after their three weeks' sojourn in Egypt.

Manchurians In Great Distress

Pekin, March 14.—Private Chinese reports received here state that the whole of Manchuria is in a state of utter confusion owing to the Russians having seized all food supplies and other commissariat necessities. The natives are streaming south toward the ports and are suffering great hardships. The late military governor of Kirin has committed suicide, owing to his inability to relieve the people's distress or stop the Russian depredations.

Hard Times In Harbin

Harbin, March 14.—Harbin is threatened with a food and wood famine because of the increased prices of these necessaries. In view of the cold weather the scarcity of wood is serious. The price of wood has increased tenfold.

"A Railroad Beautiful"

Is the title of an interesting critism by Charles Mulford Robinson of the Boston & Albany R. R. artistic suburban stations and landscape gardening. It is reissued in pamphlet form and may be secured by addressing A. S Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt., Boston.

EVACUATION OF PORT ARTHUR

Several Reports That the Place Has Become Untenable

THE LATE BOMBARDMENT

Unconfirmed Reports That Forty Russians Were Killed and a Hundred Wounded--The Place Said to Look Like a City of Death--Dalmy Reported Almost Destroyed--Japs May Delay Great Land Movements Until Ice Breaks Up

London, March 14.—The rumor of the evacuation of Port Arthur is repeated from many different points, but it is absolutely without confirmation.

According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Telegraph vague rumors are current there that later telegrams describe the bombardment of Port Arthur as much more serious than has been admitted officially.

Special dispatches from Tokio and Yin Kow also give reports of heavy Russian casualties at Port Arthur, amounting to 40 men killed and 100 wounded, but they are so conflicting in details that it is not wise to give them much credit.

In a dispatch from Tokio, a correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says that in the latest attack on Port Arthur two Russian torpedo boat destroyers were sunk and great damage was done to the docks, forts and arsenals, including the explosion of a powder magazine. Dalny is reported to have been almost entirely destroyed; several guns there were dismounted, and the crews of four torpedo boats in the inside harbor are said to have deserted.

In a dispatch from Che Foo, a correspondent of The Daily Mail describes an inspection of Port Arthur made on the 11th instant from a boat. The city seemed to be on fire, as three columns of smoke were ascending from it. The Bread Hill fort appeared to have suffered terribly. The defenses were shattered and the earthworks torn up. No guns were visible. The line of forts on the Tiger's Tail also appeared to have suffered damage. At sunrise no sign of life could be seen anywhere and Port Arthur looked like a city of death. The torpedo boat destroyers inside did not appear to have steam up.

The Daily Telegraph publishes a dispatch from a correspondent at Yin Kow who reports that the Russian battleship Retvizan, at Port Arthur, was hit five times by Japanese projectiles and that there were 20 casualties on board. This correspondent declares further that the presence of Japanese at Feng Huan Chang, a Manchurian town about 45 miles northwest of Wiju, has been confirmed.

The Yin Kow correspondent of The Daily Mail reports that serious disputes occur daily between the Russian naval and military officers at Port Arthur, the latter reproaching the former with incompetency and cowardice. The correspondent describes the floating of the battleship Retvizan and says the dock at Port Arthur is too small to repair her. General Stoessel (in command at Port Arthur) has been ordered to the Yalu, the correspondent concludes, and he will be replaced by General Smirnoff.

Special dispatches from Port Arthur say there are rumors among the Chinese population that the projected Japanese descent on the Liao Tung peninsula is imminent.

The Tien Tsin correspondent of The Daily Chronicle reports that 10,000 Japanese are nearing New Chwang.

The Times publishes a dispatch from Seoul, in which the correspondent confirms previous reports that it is the intention of Japan to wait until the ice breaks up before making large disembarkations, in order to avoid difficulties on the roads. Transports are still arriving to make good the deficiencies on the Seoul-Chemulpo line, which has been denuded of troops, but some time is likely to elapse before any great achievement is attempted.

A correspondent of The Times at Tokio says the latest news received there shows that the Korean coast between Gensan and Congchin (on Plaksin Bay, south of Cape Bruet) is entirely free from Russian troops.

DID NOT ESCAPE.

Edward Collins Shows Fight But It Proves Expensive.

Edward Collins gave Officers Murray and Goodhue quite a tussle in City Square Saturday night, and it was only after he had been knocked out that he was subdued.

Collins who is a very heavy man came out from Boston loaded with rum. By mistake he landed in West Quincy. He took a street car for City Square. On the way down he struck terror into the conductor and passengers. When the car reached Quincy the conductor called Officer Murray who placed him under arrest. While Officer Murray had him at the box waiting for the wagon, he struck the officer a blow on the jaw which knocked him end over end into the street. Collins started after the officer to kick him.

Just at this moment Officer Goodhue appeared on the scene and landed Collins one on the jaw, which not only knocked him down but put him out of business.

When the wagon arrived Collins was like a dead man. He revived after reaching the police station and made another attack on the officers. Here again Officer Goodhue was too quick for the fellow, who was again knocked out. Before he recovered he had been stowed away in a cell to sober off.

Collins was arraigned for drunkenness and for assault on an officer. He was fined $15, on each complaint.

TODAY'S COURT.

William Neimi was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

George Fader and John Furningham, Jr., were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Cases continued until March 28.

Frank Anger was arraigned for drunkenness at Randolph. Case continued until March 21.

M. J. O'Connell was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Randolph.

Clarence C. Chandler was arraigned for non support of his wife and children at Holbrook. Case continued until April 27.

Antonio Cavada, Domingo Otis, Mignel Zoineer, Adolfo Ontis, Augustin Canales and Videl Gomez were arraigned for gaming on the Lord's day at Quincy. They were fined $1 each.

Ceirione Garea and Jose Gomez were arraigned for being present at a game of cards on the Lord's day at Quincy. They were found not guilty and discharged.

On the Lord's Day.

Inspector McKay and Officer Goodhue made an Emmon's raid Sunday night at 9 Brook road, and scooped in eight Spaniards. Six were placed under arrest for gambling on the Lord's Day, and two for being present at the game. The place is one where a number of Spaniards keep house. There were no women in the place. When the officers arrived the men were having a high old time, singing, dancing and playing cards. The men arrested were: Ceirione Garer, Jose Gomez, Antonio Cavada, Dominge Otis, Mignel Zoineer, Adolfo Ontis, Augustin Canales and Videl Gomez. They were arraigned in court.

New State Detective.

A Quincy born man is now on the State police force, John H. Scott of Milford being sworn in today. For thirty years he has lived in Milford and for ten years was on the force of the fire marshal. Detective Scott will make his headquarters at Braintree, and will work in conjunction with Detective George Pratt of Abington.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
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—Andrew Corthell of Hingham, arrested for alleged larceny, escaped from the Hull lockup early Friday morning.

A MYSTERY.

Death of William Stevens Is Unexplained.

He Made No Outcry of Any Kind.

The House Lighting Current Not Regarded as Dangerous.

The death of William Stevens Saturday noon, as a result of an electric shock received while handling an ordinary electric light globe, has raised the question if danger lurks in the wires and fixtures used in the house lighting system.

The current used on the lighting wires is what is known as an alternating current, and is the most dangerous. The voltage of the outside wires is very heavy, and much too powerful for house lighting. The current is reduced by means of transformers, so that the current that enters houses is supposed to be but 104 volts.

A current of this strength is far from being dangerous. While a person might receive a shock from the inside wires it would not ordinarily be strong enough to do any injury to a person. Another safeguard is the fuse which is placed on the house circuit just outside the building.

These fuses are set to burn out and break the circuit when the current goes above a certain number of amperes which is the strength of the current.

With these safeguards it is a question what caused a current strong enough to kill a man to pass these safeguards and enter the building.

The only theory is that there must have been a short circuit somewhere, either in the transformer or the fuse box. Just what the trouble was, Medical Examiner Jones will endeavor to find out.

At the shop of Messrs. Clark Saturday afternoon the correct version of the sad affair was learned.

It appears that the men returned to work at 1 o'clock. Mr. Stevens was at work at a forge. In order to give himself better light he tied a string to the cord leading to the lamp, intending to suspend it over his work. With the string in one hand, he grasped the globe in his right hand, and received the deadly shock.

He made no outcry of any kind. It was but shortly, after when fellow workmen noticed him leaning against the wall with the globe held firmly in his hand. In an instant a workman saw that something was wrong, and he knocked the globe from Stevens hand. As he did so Stevens dropped like a log.

Word was sent to Dr. McLennan who lives near by, but when he arrived the unfortunate man was dead. On his right hand where he held the lamp a hole had been burned large enough to put a finger in.

When Medical Examiner Jones arrived, he telephoned the Electric Light Commission at Boston, but as it was Saturday they could not be reached. He was also unable to reach Supt. Austin of the Electric Light Company at that time. Later, however, he visited the premises and made an examination of the wires.

—Finger prints for the indentification of children have been used in Chinese founding asylums since the eleventh century.

STEPHEN E. WILSON, - - Auctioneer.
Office: 1126 Hancock Street, Quincy.

Household Furniture at Auction,

THE Contents of House will be sold at Chubbuck's Storehouse, Mechanic Street, Quincy, on THURSDAY, March 17, 1904, at 2 o'clock P. M., consisting in part as follows:

1 Five-piece Parlor Suit, Easy Chair, Extension Dining Table, 6 Dining Chairs, 3 Rockers, 1 Child's High Chair, 1 White Iron Bedstead, Sewing Machine, Chamber Chairs and Table, Bureau, Commode, Marble Top Table, 6 Feather Pillows, 2 Bicycles, 1 Rug, 2 Woolen Carpets, 2 Barrels of Crockery and Glass Ware, Small Range and all Kitchen Utensils, Tinware, 2 Wooden Bedsteads, etc., and in fact everything usually found in any Household.

The above are in good condition. Sold only to pay storage. Don't miss this Sale. Within two or three minutes of City Square where all cars stop.

Sale, Rain or Shine. Goods to be removed at once. Quincy, March 14 3t

FOUNDER'S DAY OBSERVED.

Pupils of Woodward Institute Present Tennyson's Princess.

Also A Fine Musical Program Under the Direction of Mr. J. D. Buckingham.

Dramatis Personae:

GAMA, Father of the Princess		ARABELLE W. CURTIS
ARAC, Two Younger Brothers	Sons of Gama	ELSIE C. PHILLIPS, HELEN L. CURTIN, LOUISE W. HINKLEY
THE KING, Father of the Prince		HELEN KING
THE PRINCE, Lover of the Princess		ELSIE M. PATTERSON
FLORIAN, CYRIL	Friends of the Prince	GERNA SAVILLE, CATHERINE LARKIN
IDA, the Princess and head of the College of Maidens		BEULAH C. HATCH
BLANCHE, PSYCHE	Ladies of the Court and Tutors in the College	MARY E. HARRIS, ALICE L. CLAFLIN
MELISSA, Daughter of Lady Blanche		MARY A. GEARY
COLLEGE PORTRESS		ELIZABETH FREEMAN
WOMAN POST		ANNA H. MONAHAN
WOMAN GUARDS		RUTH P. GARDNER, GEORGIANA C. WALDRON
MAIDS		MARGARET A. CRAIG, ESTHER W. SIDELINGER
ATTENDANTS		CARLENA WALKER, HELEN L. BAKER

GIRL STUDENTS: Isabel G. Jilbert, Esther A. McDonnell, Corinne Babcock, Josephine G. Elcock, Avah R. Gilson, Alma M. LeClair, Jessie D. Gardner, Lucy L. Hennigar, Margaret Hill, Muriel A. Rogers, Helen M. Sprague, Helen M. Tirrell, Rubina M. Bates, Mary E. Boyle, Grace I. Burch, Marguerite Davis, Eva A. Hubert, Miriam N. Marsh, Lela I. Smith, Grace F. Spear, Mary C. Beliveau, Mary F. Courtney, Gladys R. Pinel, Maud E. Read.

The most difficult program ever undertaken by the young ladies of the Woodward Institute in observance of Founder's day was that of Saturday evening, March 12, when "The Princess," the classic poem of Alfred Tennyson, the poet laureate, was presented with great success to an audience which filled Woodward hall to overflowing. It was the 113th anniversary of the birth of Dr. Ebenezer Woodward, the beloved old physician of Quincy, who died in 1869 and endowed the school with a fund which on Jan. 1 amounted to $290,147.78, together with an institute building free from debt.

It is at occasions like this that Quincy people realize the good work of Mr. F. W. Plummer, the principal, and his efficient corps of teachers, and can congratulate the pupils that they have Mr. J. D. Buckingham as director of music.

Music opened the program and the school gave three pleasing numbers:

a. The Chorister	Arthur Sullivan
b. Cradle Song	Franz Ries
c. Bridal Chorus	Cowen

Music was also interspersed between the acts, the following selections being rendered by a selected chorus:

"Sweet and Low,"
"The Splendor Falls on Castle Walls,"
"Home They Brought Her Warrior Dead."

The dramatis personae of Tennyson's Princess was wholly by young ladies of the school, and called for seven male parts, yet there was little embarrassment. All the actors entered into the spirit of the play, and share in the success. We will mention but few.

Miss Patterson, the Prince, was much admired as an ardent lover and carried her part well, which also included a pleasing solo. Miss Hatch, the princess, was just such a personage as one would expect to preside over a college of maidens in ye olden time. Misses Harris and Claflin, as tutors, maintained the dignity of the college. Miss Claflin looked like a quaint old picture in her white gown and was a most dainty Psyche.

Miss King was true to her name, a king; good in make up and regal in bearing. Miss Curtis, father of the princess, was bowed down with grief at the absence of his daughter.

The clash at arms between the Prince and his friends and the sons of Gama, in act four, was a scene of particular interest.

As a finale, Miss Beliveau sang, "Ask Me No More. She has a rich soprano voice, whose clearness and quality surprised every one, being unusual in one so young. She is to continue her musical studies and will probably be heard from in the future.

The play was exceedingly well done and all the details were carefully carried out. The stage groupings, the color effects, and good acting called forth praise from every one and many pronounced it the best of any given by the Woodward girls and they have always excelled in their Founder's day programs.

"And one said smiling, 'Pretty were the sight
If our old halls could change their sex and flaunt
With prudes for proctors, dowagers for deans,
And sweet girl graduates in their golden hair.
I think they would not wear our rusty gowns,
But move as rich as Emperor moth or Ralph
Who shines so in the corner; yet I fear
If there were many Lilias in the brood,
However deep you might embower the nest,
Some boy would spy it.'"

DIVIDE BY COURSES.

If Two Buildings, an English High and a Latin High.

A gentleman who has always taken an active interest in our public schools, but who does not desire his name quoted, said to a representative of the Ledger.

The city will make a great mistake if it builds another High school building, and confines the pupils of a certain district to that school. Few cities in Massachusetts have more than one High school and the city will make a grave mistake to erect a building at South Quincy, or in any other section, and then say that the pupils in that district shall attend this, and in another district that school.

There is bound to be disatisfaction for there will always be a feeling that one school is a little better than the other.

If two buildings are to be erected, one should be devoted to English courses, and the other to classical courses. Then when a pupil reaches the High school, let him elect which course he desires to take up, and attend the school in which that course is taught.

—Thomas H. Humphery, a well-known citizen of Weymouth, dropped dead on the street at East Weymouth Friday. He was a member of South Shore Commandery.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 11, 1904. The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 912, to prevent harvesting ice on waters controlled by the Metropolitan Park Commission; and Senate bill No. 217, to provide for the rebuilding of Boylston Street Bridge over Charles River, at room No. 436, State House, on Friday, March 18th, at 10 30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 14-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 11, 1904. The Committee on Election Laws will give a hearing to parties interested in House bills Nos. 356 and 601, for legislation to provide for direct nominations of candidates for elective officers in counties, and to repeal the law allowing ballots to be removed from ballot boxes before the closing of the polls, at room No. 438, State House, on Tuesday, March 15, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. JAMES H. McKINLEY, Chairman. GEORGE A. TURNER, Clerk of the Committee. 12-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 10, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the Governor's address (Senate bill No. 1) as relates to eminent domain, the census, and to executive responsibility; also House bill No. 414, for legislation relative to the liability of telephone and telegraph companies; also Senate bill No. 107, for legislation relative to foreign corporations; also message from His Excellency the Governor, transmitting the thirteenth annual report of the Board of Commissioners for the Promotion of Uniformity of Legislation in the United States; and the sixteenth report on the custody and condition of the public records of parishes, towns and counties (Pub. Doc. No. 52), at room No. 217, State House, on Wednesday, March 16, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 12-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 11, 1904. The Joint Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in the following petitions:—(House bill No. 1000) for legislation to give to persons sentenced for contempt of court a right to trial by jury in certain cases; (House bill No. 966) relative to the assumption of risks by employees; (House bill No. 999) for legislation to limit the meaning of the word "conspiracy" and the use of restraining orders and injunctions as used in disputes between employers and employees; (House bill No. 894) for legislation to limit the effect of attachments of real estate made against persons by names other than their true names; (House bill No. 892) for further legislation relative to the recovery of costs in civil actions; (House bill No. 890)) for legislation to revise the law relative to trustee process; at room No. 227, State House, on Thursday, March 17, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. WILLIAM F. DANA, Chairman. WILLIAM A. KELLEY, Clerk of the Committee. 12-2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of
ROGER E. SUMNER,
late of Braintree, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, J. Frank Perry, the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of a certain parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County, on the twenty-third day of March, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
March 12. 3t—12-14-21

J. H. DINEGAN, - - Auctioneer

Mortgagee's Sale.

PURSUANT to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George Chrystall of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Quincy Co-operative Bank, dated February 1st, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 838, Fol. 155, will be sold on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on TUESDAY, the twenty-ninth day of March, 1904, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and herein described substantially as follows, namely:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Quincy, called West Quincy, and being lot No. 110, on a "Plan of house lots situated in West Quincy, Mass., owned by Swithin Bros. and Jones, dated November, 1891." Said lot is bounded as follows, viz: Southwesterly by lot No. 111 on said plan, one hundred and eleven (111) feet; northwesterly on a proposed street as laid out on said plan, fifty (50) feet; northeasterly by lots numbered 108 and 109 on said plan, one hundred and ten (110) feet; northeasterly by land now or formerly of Townsend and Clements, fifty (50) feet.

Being the premises conveyed to George Chrystall by William R. Thomas, by deed dated October sixth, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 826, page 83.

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Drift of Opinion.

☞Oom Paul Kruger is physically broken. But then when one has reached the age of 81 he need have no complaint to make. He is eleven years beyond the span of life allotted by the Scriptures. Some have imagined that his defeat in the Transvaal is a cause of his decline, but even had he been victorious the result would not have been different. The infirmities of age would have crept over him just the same.—Cincinnati Tribune.

☞Avon is not to have a saloon. That has been decided by the Aven selectmen. It is a very proper thing that the selectmen have done. It saves the people who wanted the license and who might have had it from considering the theory of placing on one small township a saloon big enough to accomodate all the drinkers among 75,000 people. The parable of the loaves and fishes among the multitude would have been brought right before some contractor and builder if this move had been made. One saloon for all that mob—think of the murdsr that would have been done by the thirsty in the endeavor to get into that saloon along near closing-up time.—Brockton Enterprise.

☞One of the strangest incidents in America politics today is the support given by a few Democratic newspapers to the presidential ambitions of a man whose only claim to distinction lies in the fact that he is a multi-millionaire, especially when many of these same newspapers are bitterly antagonistic to all forms of wealth. There is absolutely no consistancy in such policy. The pretense that this candidate, who is making a bold effort to buy the nomination, has been a friend of labor and the so-called common people, is not deserving of notice. His alleged friendship has a purpose—to advertise his properties and enchance his own fortune at public expense. At no time and in no place has he ever shown the ability to fill this high office. His nomination would be not only a reflection on the intelligence of the party, but it would result in another overwhelming defeat, and no sincere Democrat wants to see the party defeated this year.—Nashville Tenn., American.

New Cruiser Awaiting Orders

Charleston, March 14.—The new protected cruiser Cleveland arrived here on her maiden trial trip in charge of Commander Southerland. Aboard was a naval board of inspectors. The Cleveland is awaiting orders. The trip from Norfolk was uneventful and a member of the board said unofficially that it was satisfactory.

Tracks In Bad Condition

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 14.—The vast deluge of water in the Susquehanna river has passed. The steam railroad companies and various street car lines expect to resume running on schedule time some time today, though it will take weeks to put their tracks in good running order.

Fighting In San Domingo

San Domingo, March 14.—San Pedro De Macoris, after severe fighting, which lasted two days, has been recaptured by government forces. Many men were killed or wounded on both sides during the fighting, but the rebel leader, Rodriguez, escaped.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Tuesday, March 15.
Sun rises—5:57; sets—5:51.
Moon rises—5:06 a. m.
High water—10:15 a. m.; 10:45 p. m.

The southwest area of low pressure has made but slight progress northeastward. The rain area will spread slowly northeastward to New England.



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BOW-TO-BOW FIGHT

Latest Attack on Port Arthur Was a Fierce One

CLEAN VICTORY FOR JAPS

Long Range Duel Between Cruisers Followed by Deliberate Bombardment of Inner Harbor, Which Wrought Havoc

Tokio, March 14.—Official and private reports both indicate that Vice Admiral Togo's fourth attack on Port Arthur, on March 10, was the most effective since the first assault of a month ago. One Russian torpedo boat destroyer was sunk and several Russian torpedo boat destroyers seriously damaged.

The fortifications and city were subjected to a heavy bombardment lasting nearly four hours. Naval bombardments of land works have generally been ineffective, yet the peculiar topographical conditions of Port Arthur make immunity from serious loss from bombardment almost impossible.

Vice Admiral Togo's torpedo flotilla opened the action by boldly steaming in under the batteries and successfully placing a number of mechanical mines at the mouth of the harbor. Following that there was a desperate bow to bow encounter between the torpedo boat destroyers, in which the Japanese appear to have scored a clean victory. Then followed a long range duel between the cruisers, ending in the retirement of the Novik and Bayan, the only Russians engaged.

The closing action was the bombardment of the inner harbor by the Japanese battleships. The latter took a position southwest of Port Arthur and used only the 12-inch guns. There were 24 12-inch guns in the squadron of six battleships and each gun fired five rounds, making a total of 120 projectiles that were fired at the city.

The bombardment was deliberate and carefully planned. In order to aid in perfecting the firing, Togo stationed the cruisers in a position due east of the entrance to the harbor and at a right angle to the battleships. The cruisers observed the range and effect of the firing and reported the results and suggestions by wireless telegraphy. These observations and reports greatly aided the gunners in their efforts to make every shot count.

Vice Admiral Togo was unable to definitely learn the results of the bombardment, but later reports indicate that much destruction was caused in the city, where a series of fires broke out. There also was damage to batteries.

Captain Asai, commanding the flotilla of torpedo boat destroyers which engaged the Russian destroyers, is the hero of the attack. He had only three destroyers, but attacked the six Russian destroyers, ordering his craft to close in with the enemy. He steamed so close to the enemy's destroyers that they almost touched and a most desperate conflict ensued, from which the Russians retired badly disabled.

Engineer Minamisawa of the destroyer Kasumi received a small wound. The engineer participated in the first torpedo attack on Port Arthur as well as in the attempt to bottle up the harbor by sinking commercial steamers. He was commended both times for gallantry.

The Japanese flotilla which sunk the mines at the mouth of the harbor later engaged two Russian destroyers. This flotilla was commanded by Commander Tsuchiya.

Vice Admiral Togo's object in sending cruisers to Talien Wan bay was to encompass the destruction of a signal station mine depot at Samshantao. This object was achieved and the buildings were demolished.

Rear Admirals Dewa and Uriu participated in the operations under Togo, the details of which operations had only just become known in Japan, and the news created intense enthusiasm. Togo is permanently numbered among the heroes of the empire.

The latest reports place the Japanese loss at 9 killed, 5 seriously wounded and 17 slightly hurt. The Japanese fleet was not damaged in the fighting.

Missionary Murdered

New York, March 14.—A cablegram confirms the news of the murder of Rev. Benjamin W. Labaree near Khoi, Persia. He was the son of Rev. Benjamin Labaree, for many years a missionary in Persia. The murdered man was born in Persia 34 years ago and was appointed a missionary in 1893. He leaves a widow and two children. Mrs. Labaree is a daughter of Rev. Dr. Schauffler of Cleveland.

Stabbing Affray at Boston

Boston, March 14.—Stabbed in the abdomen and cut so badly that his death is feared, Guiseppe Pinnaiture accuses Giacomo Dianaio of having tried to murder him. The two men have quarreled before, it is said, and yesterday they had some trouble. In an alleyway Pinnalature was set upon and stabbed. Dianaio has fled into hiding.

Pledged to Two Meals a Day

Columbia, Mo., March 14.—A conviction that they will be brighter intellectually, and better physically has led 250 students of Missouri university to pledge themselves to eat only two meals a day for four months. They have dropped dinner, which is served in the middle of the day in the institution.

WERE BADLY SCARED

Passengers on Sinking Ferryboat In a Wild Scramble

Boston, March 14.—While on the passage from this city to Chelsea late last night the ferryboat City of Boston struck a water-logged scow. The shock of the collision threw the passengers from their feet and a panic ensued. Captain Phelps attempted to quiet the passengers, assuring them that no harm had been done, but just at that moment the engineer and fireman came on deck with the announcement that the bow of the ferryboat was smashed in and that the boat was sinking.

Captain Phelps immediately ordered full speed ahead, and steered his craft towards a mud flat. By the time the ferryboat grounded on the flat her deck was awash and the passengers were in a state of terror.

Meanwhile the whistle had been summoning assistance, and when the flat was reached one of the Massachusetts Humane society's lifeboats was alongside and a few of the women and children were taken off. A few minutes later the police boat Watchman came up and the many passengers, with life preservers strapped about them, fought wildly to board her. All were finally removed safely, none having sustained anything more serious than slight bruises.

Counterfeiter In the Toils

Boston, March 14.—Albert Roth, arrested here on the charge of swindling postage stamp dealers and collectors, has been identified by Secret Service Agent Murphy as R. P. H. Wolle, a counterfeiter well known to the secret service bureau. After meeting Agent Murphy the prisoner admitted that he was Wolle. Wolle's presence in this vicinity is attributed to an alleged bogus collection of stamps, which, if genuine, would reach a value of $10,000. Local stamp dealers claim that he tried to swindle them by representing these as rare specimens.

Unique Procedure

Pawtucket, R. I., March 14.—A deputy sheriff attached an electric car in the middle of a street here as it lay before the terminal of the Taunton line. The action was taken in a civil suit against the Bristol County Street Railway company, brought for alleged negligence in allowing persons to board cars marked for Taunton and then obliging them to transfer, thus subjecting them to such delay that they claim they were obliged to proceed by rail.

Man Found With Throat Cut

Milford, Mass., March 14.—An unknown man, apparently 40 years old, was found in an old barn on the swamp road from Mendon to Blackstone with his throat cut from ear to ear. His body was frozen stiff and there was nothing on his clothes or person to indicate who he was when the body was found. Medical Examiner Clarke says that he is not positive whether it is a case of suicide or a man has been foully dealt with.

Church Among the Sufferers

East Douglas, Mass., March 14.—Fire totally destroyed the Central block, the Methodist church, and ruined Mechanics' block before it was extinguished, entailing a loss of $50,000, and practically wiping out the business section of the town. At one time nine buildings were burning at the same time. Only heavy water pressure service from a woolen mill saved the central part of the town from destruction.

Many Printers Lost Jobs

Boston, March 14.—At a meeting of the striking book and job printers Sunday the settlement of the strike arranged by union officials Thursday was ratified, and today those who left work seven weeks ago applied individually for their former positions. At the present time 250 men and women are out, and of this number probably not more than half get their old places back.

New Voters Get Advice

Boston, March 14.—More than 1000 young men who will cast their first votes next fall attended the "New Voters' Festival" in Faneuil hall. Addresses were made by Rev. William Lawrence, Episcopalian bishop of Massachusetts; Thomas J. Gargan, Rev. Fr. Barry, Louis D. Brandeis and Rev. C. G. Ames. "Civic Probity" formed the subject of all the speakers.

Missing Man's Body Found

Taunton, Mass., March 14.—The discovery of the body of George W. Holman in the Taunton river has solved the mystery surrounding his disappearance a week ago last Thursday. It is believed that Holman, on his way home from work, took a short cut, and while attempting to cross the stream on a plank lost his balance and fell into the water. He was 32 years old.

Probable Murder at Boston

Boston, March 14.—The body of Kitty Abbott, living at 149 Ninth street, South Boston, was found late last night in the hallway of a house at 5 Gustin street. Wounds and bruises on the back of the head indicated foul play. A negro was arrested on suspicion of having killed the woman.

Murder Charge Against Woman

Clinton, Mass., March 14.—As the result of an investigation into the deaths of two children, whose bodies were found buried under an abandoned barn in Sterling on Wednesday last, Mrs. Alma A. Loveley of Orange has been arrested on the charge of murder.

Much Needed Water Arrives

Lewiston, Me., March 14.—The recent rains and warm weather enabled the mills here to run on full time last week for the first time in more than four months. No further shortage in the water supply is anticipated.

CITY BREVITIES.

Miss Margaret MacGinnis of Bath, Me., is visiting friends in this city.

W. G. Chubbuck will sell furniture at auction next Thursday on Mechanic street to pay storage.

The girls basket ball team of Thayer academy defeated the Weymouth High school girls Friday 8 to 4.

The students of the Woodward Institute will have a spring vacation from Wednesday, Mar. 23, to Monday April 4.

A special meeting of the Quincy Yacht club will be held Thursday evening to take action on enlarging the club house at Houghs Neck.

Many of the streets continue to be covered with ice from curb to curb. One of these is Chestnut street where there is scarcely a spot of ground.

Mrs. Lawrence of Winchester will speak before the Ladies' Aid Alliance at the Wollaston Unitarian vestry next Wednesday on "The Moors of Spain."

Everybody will want to greet the Old Maids on their return from the conventions, at Bethany church Wednesday evening. The proceeds will go to the Pond Home for the Aged.

The tournament between the Braintree and Merrymount clubs was finished last week. Braintree won the tournament by one point which shows the clubs to be quite evenly matched.

The West Quincy Improvement Society has a subject of great local interest for its meeting this evening—the enlargement of High school accomodations; whether by addition, or by the erection of another building in Ward Three.

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THE QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL.

Headmaster Reports Overcrowded Building Is Working Irreparable Injury to the Pupils.

The annual report of Charles F. Harper, the headmaster of the High school, to the Superintendent of School, is of particular interest at this time, and the Ledger gives it in full:

Mr. Frank E. Parlin, Superintendent of Schools:

It gives me pleasure to submit, in accordance with custom, the following report of the Quincy High School for the year ending December 31, 1903.

The year has been marked by an earnest effort on the part of the pupils and of the teachers to maintain a high grade of scholarship under difficult conditions. The loss of seven teachers and the use of many substitutes during the fall term of 1902, seriously weakened the discipline and reduced the daily attendance during the earlier part of the year. Since that time, however, the spirit of good deportment and of hard work has pervaded the school, producing commendable results.

An interesting as well as pleasing indication of the desire for more education inspired by the school is seen in the increased number of those who enter for a business certificate and remain to graduate, of those who return for graduate work, and of those who enter college. During the past five years, two hundred and forty-eight diplomas and one hundred and eighty-seven certificates have been awarded as follows:

1898-99,	41	diplomas and	42	certificates.
1899-00,	46	" "	41	"
1900-01,	49	" "	42	"
1901-02,	52	" "	33	"
1902-03,	60	" "	29	"

Besides a large number who are taking work in the various schools for domestic science, physical culture and elocution, there are forty-three graduates of this school attending higher institutions of learning. They are distributed as follows: Boston College, one; Boston University, nine; Brown, two; Mount Holyoke, one; Radcliffe, four; Harvard, five; Wellesley, two; Dartmouth, one; Massachusetts Institute of Technology, four; Simmons, eight; and Bridgewater Normal School, six.

The quality of the work at the High School has always compared favorably with that done in other cities. The preparation for college, for business and for other pursuits has met with approval; but the overcrowded buildings and the lack of recitation rooms are working irreparable injury to the pupils. A school of six hundred pupils ought to have, at the least, seventeen recitation rooms, one large study hall or several large classrooms, and a drawing room. In the old and new buildings together, there are but eleven recitation rooms, two laboratories, one study hall and one drawing room—seven rooms less than are required. It will be noted that a gymnasium, assembly hall, library and rooms for manual training and domestic science are not included; and yet, all of these are considered necessary in giving a well rounded secondary education. To meet this lack of recitation rooms, as has been stated in previous reports, corridors, entries and other makeshifts have been pressed into service. These are unhygienic, because they are unventilated, poorly heated, and improperly lighted. One of the chief purposes of the recitation is to develop in the pupil the power to think. If the conditions of the recitation oblige him to waste attention in trying to overcome physical discomfort, then undivided interest, close application and clear thought are impossible, the quality of his work is impaired and the quantity reduced. The school continues to increase rapidly in numbers. The average rate of growth, during the past five years, has been thirty-seven. At present, the total enrolment is sixty-three and the average daily attendance fifty-three larger than last year. All of these facts, as well as those previously stated, prove that the need for adequate accommodations should receive immediate consideration and that additional room should be provided before the opening of another school year.

The science department has been developed and broadened during the past four years. Seven courses, each extending over forty weeks, are now offered. They are known as science I, II-A, II-B, III-A, III-B, IV-A and IV-B. The Roman numeral indicates the year when the course is first open to the pupils.

Science I may be taken by any pupils of the school. During he fall and winter, the subjects are physiology and hygiene. The pupils are taught the functions of the organs of the body, the laws of health, the application of these laws to daily life, and first aid in common accidents and emergencies. In the spring the functions of flowering plants are studied, together with their adaptation to surroundings, and their uses to man. The structure and modifications are examined and the stages in development shown by drawings.

Science II-A, biology, follows in the second year and takes up the anatomy, physiology and hygiene of both animals and plants. The general purpose of the course is: first, to arouse interest in the work by studying and comparing the more simple and less conspicuous forms; second, to study certain divisions for finer relations and for changes in development, working from simple to complex forms; and third, to study animals and plants in their relations to man. Although no regular textbook is used, reference books are consulted frequently throughout the course. The following outline shows in part the specimens studied:

1.—ANIMAL FORMS:

1. Protozoa: amœba and vorticella.
2. Mesozoa: volvox.
3. Metazoa:
   - *a.* Porifera: sponge.
   - *b.* Hydrozoa: hydroid.
   - *c.* Actinozoa: coral and sea-anemone.
   - *d.* Echinodermata: starfish, seaurchin, and sand-dollar.
   - *e.* Vermes: earthworm.
   - *f.* Mollusca: oyster, clam, scallop, snail and squid.
   - *g.* Crustacea: lobster, crab and barnacle.
   - *h.* Myriapoda: centiped.
   - *i.* Arachnozoa: scorpion and spider.
   - *j.* Insecta: locust, cricket, dragon-fly, cicada, beetle, house-fly, butterfly, moth, bee and ant.
   - *k.* Vertebrata: fish, snake, frog, turtle, and common birds of Quincy.

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POLYGAMY PROOF

Judge Hiles of Utah Sees It In "New Crops of Children"

GROWS MORE FLAGRANT

Declaration That Polygamy Has Been More Openly Practiced Since Utah Became a State--Plural Marriages Since 1892

Washington, March 14.—That Reed Smoot could not have been elected to the United States senate without having first been chosen as an apostle of the Mormon church and that, after he was so chosen, he could not have been defeated, was asserted by Judge Ogden Hiles, assistant United States attorney from 1886 to 1890, and later a judge of the district court of Utah, who was a witness in the Smoot case before the committee on privileges and elections.

He told an interesting story of the prosecutions and said the first cessation in the flagrant practice of polygamous cohabitation came after the passage of the Edmunds-Tucker act making adultery a crime and prescribing heavy penalties for violations. Up to that time the people went to jail or paid fines, declaring it preferable to obey the laws of God rather than the laws of man. The heavy fines for subsequent prosecutions for adultery, he said, brought a change of view. Many of those prosecuted were poor and unable to pay the fines and then they accepted the offer of the courts to waive punishment if promise was given not to continue to violate the laws.

Judge Hiles covered much of the ground gone over in the testimony of Mr. Critchlow, but in regard to the cessation of prosecution, until after the manifesto of 1890, he added many interesting details. He said there was a disposition not to prosecute cases when the law generally was obeyed, but that after the manifesto it was seen that the Mormons had returned to their old practices. He said this was evident from the "new crops of children" from polygamous families which continued to spring up.

In the cross-examination Mr. Van Cott brought out a great dal of testimony regarding church influence for the election of Smoot for the senate and Judge Hiles stated positively:

"Mr. Smoot could not have been elected to the United States senate if his candidacy had not been approved by the Mormon church."

The witness said his basis for believing that polygamy was more flagrant since Utah was admitted as a state was that more polygamous children were being born, and that polygamists drive through the streets more openly than before. Witness said he believed that such polygamous marriages had taken place since the manifesto. Counsel for the defense pressed for the names of the persons, but the committee decided that the witness need not disclose them.

Mr. Tayler said they had a great deal of evidence to offer that plural marriages had taken place since the manifesto.

An interesting feature of Judge Hiles' testimony was his declaration that former United States Senator Rawlins was still a Mormon, even though he stood out against the church on the matter of interference in politics. Attorney Van Cott took the witness to task for the statement and the colloquy enlivened the close of the day's hearing.

Chairman Burrows adjourned the session subject to call. It is expected there will be a number of witnesses here within a week or 10 days.

Rawlins Not a Mormon

Salt Lake City, March 14.—Former United States Senator Rawlins has sent a dispatch to Chairman Burrows of the Smoot investigation committee relative to the testimony of Judge Hiles of this city before the committee, saying that Hiles' statement that Rawlins is a member of the Mormon church is unqualifiedly false.

In an interview, Senator Rawlins explained further his past connection with the Mormon church. "It is true that I was born of Mormon parents," he said. "My father was Bishop Rawlins. When I was 8 years old I was baptised according to the Mormon custom, but was never active in church work. At 18 years I entered the University of Indiana. Already I had begun to doubt seriously the doctrines. After I went there and came in contact with other thought, I soon became convinced of the falsity of the doctrines, and have been ever since."

Ostrich Wins $6000 Derby

New Orleans, March 14.—The New Orleans derby, 1 1-8 miles, which marked the close of the Crescent City Jockey club's winter meeting, was won by Ostrich by a length over Auditor. The race was worth $6000. The time was 2:05 1-5.

Father and Children Cremated

Rogers, Ark., March 14.—Fernandino Walters and his three eldest children were burned to death in his home near Garfield. A brother of Mr. Walters, aged 15, was so badly burned that his life is despaired of. The house caught fire while all the family were asleep.

Sealing on the Coast

St. Johns, March 14.—Large herds of seals are being carried against the northern coast line of Newfoundland by the inshore winds, thus enabling the coast folk to kill them.

RUSSIANS MISTAKEN

Appear to Be In Great Hurry to Jump at Conclusions

St. Petersburg, March 14.—A flurry was created here by the circulation of a false report to the effect that the Washington cabinet had decided to support the protest of the commander of the United States gunboat Helena, now at New Chwang, against the action of the Russian authorities in sinking Chinese junks in the channel of the Liao river, and that Washington would notify Russia that the neutrality of New Chwang must be respected.

The Novoe Vremya made this the subject of an editorial article entitled "More American Meddling," in which it was contended that as New Chwang is within Manchuria and is only six miles distant from the railroad to Port Arthur, Russia has a perfect right to take defensive measures there, and that unless the United States is seeking a cause of quarrel it would not insist upon supporting the protest of the commander.

Fortunately a denial of this story reached here last night in time to head off what might have proved a fresh cause of irritation.

A Child's Pitiful Experience

North Adams, Mass., March 14.—After wandering about Hoosac mountain with the thermometer at the zero point, Harold Camp, 3 years old, was found by a searching party, unconscious and terribly frozen. His recovery is hardly expected. The little fellow wandered from his home early Saturday night and his absence was not discovered until some hours afterwards. A searching party was organized, and the entire night was spent in scouring the summit of the mountain.

Resented Reflection on Father

St. Louis, March 14.—John Kiely, son of Chief of Police Kiely, shot a city sanitary inspector, John Silence, who died in a few hours. Kiely surrendered to the police. It is stated that Silence was overheard by Kiely sharply criticizing the efficiency of the chief of police. The altercation that followed resited in Silence shooting Kiely in the hand. Kiely then shot Silence in the abdomen.

Normal Conditions at Springfield

Springfield, O., March 14.—It was decided by the authorities that the remaining seven companies of state militia which were called here by the recent race riots might be safely dispensed with and all the troops accordingly left here this morning. The pastors of practically all the churches in the city preached yesterday on the lessons to be drawn from the lynching.

No News of Missing Craft

Halifax, March 14.—No news having been received from the French steamer Pro Patria since she left St. Pierre, Miq., for Halifax over two weeks ago, fears are now entertained that she has met with disaster. The Pro Patria carried a crew of 20 men, and on board were 40 passengers. None of the incoming steamers has sighted the Pro Patria.

Won't Wed His Cousin

Fredericton, N. B., March 14.—Millie Gee, aged 20, was shot by her cousin, George Gee, at Bath, and is reported to be dying. Gee has been arrested. The two were to have been married and a quarrel arose from jealousy on the part of Gee. The latter pointed a shotgun at the girl, who turned from him as he fired and received the charge in the back.

Glass Men Resume Work

Pittsburg, March 14.—The strike at the plants of the American Window Glass company at Jeannette has been called off pending a conference with the officials of the main office of the company. Work was resumed last night at midnight. The strike was brought about by a demand of 700 men for an increase of 50 cents a day in wages.

Midnight Fire In Academy

Bay City, Mich., March 14.—Holy Rosary academy in Essexville was destroyed by fire at midnight, entailing a loss of $26,000. Thirteen sisters and 45 children were in the institution. Sister Aledia jumped from a second-story window and received injuries that may result fatally. Three inmates were badly injured.

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Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.
f *5 10	abcdefghi	5 47
r 6 12	abc	6 32
r 6 42	abc	7 02
r 7 12	abc	7 32
r 7 13	ad	7 42
7 29	Exp	7 45
r 7 42	abc	8 02
r 7 54	abcde	8 15
r 8 12	abc	8 32
r 8 36	abd	8 45
r 8 46	abcd	9 05
r 9 12	abc	9 32
r 9 42	abc	10 02
r 10 12	abc	10 32
r 10 42	abc	11 02
r 11 12	abc	11 32
r 12 12	abc	12 32
r 1 12	abc	1 32
r 1 42	abc	2 02
r 2 12	abc	2 32
r 3 12	abc	3 33
r 3 42	abc	4 02
r 4 12	abc	4 32
4 59	Exp.	5 15
r 5 12	abc	5 32
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57
r 6 12	abc	6 32
r 6 42	abc	7 02
6 59	Exp.	7 15
r 7 12	abc	7 32
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32
r 9 12	abc	9 32
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02
r 10 08	abcdei	10 32
r 11 12	abc	11 32

FROM BOSTON

Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 58	cba	7 19 r
7 28	cba	7 49 r
8 28	cba	8 49 r
8 58	cba	9 19 r
9 28	cba	9 49 r
10 28	cba	10 49 r
11 28	cba	11 49 r
12 28	cba	12 49 r
12 45	Exp.	1 02
12 58	cba	1 19 r
1 28	cba	1 49 r
1 58	cba	2 19 r
2 28	cba	2 49 r
2 45	cba	3 06 r
3 28	cba	3 49 r
3 45	cba	4 06 r
4 28	cba	4 49 r
4 50	edcba	5 16 r
5 15	dba	5 36 r
5 26	a	5 45 r
5 28	cba	5 49 r
5 43	dba	6 06 r
5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15 r
5 58	cba	6 19 r
6 13	da	6 36 r
6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 58	cba	7 19 r
7 28	cba	7 49 r
8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
9 28	cba	9 49 r
10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
11 28	cba	11 49

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28 cba 6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58 cba 9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16 ihgfedcba 10 46 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28 cba 12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16 ihgfedcba 2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16 ihgfedcba 3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28 cba 4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28 cba 5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58 cba 7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28 fedcba 8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 43 Exp. 9 00
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10 18	Exp.	10 33	10 23 fedcba 10 53 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f Harrison Square, g Savin Hill, h Crescent Avenue, i South Boston, r Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.46 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6.21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

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TIME TABLE

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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M, 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.29 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs)—6.55 7.25, 810 A. M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston)—6.05, 6.35 A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON—7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

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EAST MILTON—Willism Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	34	31	56	35	37
Monday,	43	48	64	45	35
Tuesday,	—	57	43	44	37
Wednesday,	—	43	42	51	26
Thursday,	—	32	61	38	31
Friday,	—	36	55	31	43
Saturday,	—	40	65	55	58

New Advertisements Today.

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NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Pleasant weather.

The City Council will not meet this week.

Herbert Smith of Boston spent Sunday with friends in Quincy.

Some of the yachtsmen started scraping their boats Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sylvester of South Quincy have returned from a several weeks' visit at New Orleans.

John Cleverly, brother of ex-Councilman Cleverly, of Boston, visited friends in Quincy Sunday.

James E. Myers of Franklin street had a handsome little spaniel dog sent him from Maine last week.

Mrs. L. C. Hewson of Newcomb place is entertaining her mother, Mrs. White of Hanover, Mass., for a few days.

The Brownie whist club will be the guest of Mrs. Francis Baxter of Washington street, on Wednesday afternoon.

Hiram W. Phillips, the life long submarine diver, will tell of his experiences at the Park and Downs chapel tomorrow evening.

C. F. Pettengill has had a handsome new awning put up; another sign that spring is coming and the sun's rays are getting warm.

Arthur W. Harris, who has been confined to his home on Saville avenue, with a throat trouble, is improving and able to go out each pleasant day.

George M. Rand is confined to his home on Greenleaf street, with a broken ankle, having had the misfortune to slip on the ice a few days ago.

Mr. James Mundy, who has been the guest of his sister, Miss Sarah A. Mundy of Irving place, for a few days, returned last week to his home in San Francisco, Cal.

Charles D. Fostello has given up his grocery business on Hancock street and entered the express business with his brother of the Boston and Quincy Express company.

The Master Builder's association are making arrangements for their annual banquet and smoke talk to be held in Music hall on Wednesday evening, March 30.

Maple Lodge, K. and L. of H., on Wednesday evening at Wilson's hall, will work the degree on several candidates and also entertain the board of Grand officers, the deputy and suite, and delegations from several lodges. A royal good time is looked for.

At the meeting of the Granite City club held Saturday evening it was voted to hold the annual banquet and theatre party Thursday evening, March 24. The banquet will be served at the United States Hotel, after which the club will see the Prince of Pilsen at the Tremont theatre.

The Bethany church Brotherhood have an interesting program for the men of the church to be held this evening. There will be instrumental music, Mr. Greene will sing, and Mr. Walter McKenzie will give a talk on the Metropolitan Park system, which is becoming famous. Refreshments will be served. Nearly a hundred men attended the sociable last month and as many are looked for tonight. All the men of the church are invited.

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Mr. Peter Gomez of Edwards street is having a vacation.

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Miss Madeline Hall is the guest of her uncle, Mr. Roderick Hall, Stanton street.

Henry P. Hayward, the obliging order clerk at the Consolidated grocery, has been laid up a week or more.

Sunday was the first day for four months that there was a chance to dig clams and a number took advantage of it.

On Wednesday at 8 P. M. the Welcome meeting will take place in the parish rooms of St. Chrysostom's church.

Several changes went into effect on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. today but there are no changes in Quincy trains either way.

The Twenty Associates of G. L. Gill Rebekah lodge, will give a matinee whist, in I. O. O. F. hall on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Etta M. Prescott of Spear street is in Providence, R. I., for a week, the guest of Mrs. George A. Tisdale and other friends.

The singing by the choir at the Wollaston Unitarian church on Sunday was specially good. Mrs. Winthrop Crocker was the soloist.

Ross K. Whiton, who has been ill with pneumonia at the home of his parents on Washington street, is improving rapidly.

Rev. Carleton Mills preached Sunday evening in Christ church, Highlandville. He is conducting a service on Wednesday afternoons in Lent in St. Paul's church in Dedham.

The funeral of Mr. John Cahill was held this morning at 10 o'clock from St. John's church. Mass was celebrated by Rev. John J. Casey. The burial was at St. Mary,s cemetery.

"The Ballad Countries of Scotland," illustrated by stereoption was the subject of the evening service at the Unitarian church at Wollaston and was conducted by Mrs. Herbert Jurney.

The funeral of Timothy D. Moriarty was held this morning of 9 o'clock from St. John's church. Mass was celebrated by Rev. Julian E. Johnstone. The burial was at St. Mary's cemetery.

The Unitarian pulpit at Wollaston was filled Sunday by Rev. John Howland Lathrop, a graduate of Meadville Theological school who is at present doing special work at Harvard Divinity school.

A year ago today Quincy had 64 degree temperature at noon; in fact there were three days in the third week in March last year with temperature over 60 degrees, and the 20th the mercury climbed to 74, the highest in March for seven years.

The second lecture in the Alliance course is to be given in the chapel of First church on Tuesday evening at half past seven. Rev. John Snyder of Wellesley Hills is to lecture on "The Evolution of the American Humorist," and something interesting is promised. The lectures are not confined to the members of the Alliance but any one interested is invited to subscribe.

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II.—PLANT FORMS, Flowerless:

a. Bacteria.
b. Blue green algae.
c. Algae: green, red, brown.
d. Fungi: yeast, moulds, toadstools, and pore fungus.
e. Lichens.
f. Mosses.
g. Ferns.

Science II-A is an elementary course in physics offered to all pupils except members of the entering class. The subject readily divides into three parts: first, mass-physics, treating of matter and energy, from which the pupils learn the properties of matter, the laws of motion and the effect of gravitation upon falling bodies; second, molecular-physics or heat; and third, aether-physics, under which are included light, electricity and magnetism. Individual experiments are performed, simple problems solved, mechanical applications of the laws made and natural phenomena explained.

Science III-A follows in the third year and is open to pupils who have shown special aptitude for science II-A or who are preparing for higher institutions. It is an advanced course in physics, consisting largely of experimental and mathematical work. The experiments require careful manipulation of sensitive apparatus, and close observation for long periods of time; while a thorough knowledge of the physical laws, together with the ability to think clearly are demanded by the mathematical problems.

Science III-B, chemistry, is offered in the third year. It deals with the atom, instead of the mass, and requires some knowledge of the physical laws. A careful study is made of the common inorganic elements, both metallic and non-metallic, and of their compounds. A few of the more prominent organic compounds are included in the work. The fundamental laws of chemical action, electrolytic dissociation and mass-action are explained and simple examples in stoichiometry solved. The laboratory work is mainly qualitative and deals with the preparation and testing of the properties of the elements and their compounds.

Science IV-B follows in the fourth year and is open to pupils who have showed the ability to undertake advanced work in chemistry. The analytical reactions of the salts are tested, the metalic elements are divided into groups, and a system of separating the metals into groups worked out. The pupil is also taught how to determine the metallic and non-metallic parts in unknown salts and to find the composition of various alloys.

Science IV-A, physiography, is open to members of the senior class. In this course, the structure, physical features and climate of the various parts of the earth are studied and the action of the forces which change the surface and make it suitable for the home of man, are discussed. The properties which distinguish rocks and minerals and make them useful and valuable are learned by a study of specimens. Field lessons are conducted to examine structures in natural positions, to study the work of destruction due to atmospheric and other forces, and to note the deposition of various materials by the agency of water. A brief study of historical geology is made.

Science I, II-B, and IV-A are conducted under great dis advantages. The work ought to be done in a laboratory equipped with special desks for the pupils, with apparatus for growing and watching the growth of animal and plant forms, and with cabinets for specimens and instruments. At present, it is necessary to use a recitation room fitted with ordinary desks and with no place for the storage of specimens and instruments. In the near future, a well-equipped biological laboratory ought to be provided for the school.

A school garden, where practical application of the study of plants could be made, would improve the work in science I and II-B. Only a small piece of land and very simple tools would be required to teach the principles underlying the growth of plants, and the elements needed in the soil and air. Such a garden would awaken a greater appreciation of the value of plants to man from an economic as well as from an aesthetic point of view.

The purchase of two or three additional compound microscopes, of a stereopticon and of a three or four-inch telescope would prove helpful and valuable in broadening further the work of the whole science department.

Many pupils who attend school eat little or no breakfast. The reasons they give for not eating are: first, the early hour of opening; second, the distance to school; third, failure to wake in time; fourth, lack of appetite; and fifth, habit. Some bring a lunch to be eaten during the recess; others go to neighboring stores to buy cake, pastry and candy; while a few wait until they return home in the afternoon before eating. The physical condition of such pupils does not fit them for prolonged mental effort. Much of the poor school work is due directly to improperly or poorly nourished bodies. In many cities, some competent person, under the direction of the school authorities, serves a lunch at the intermission. A small price amounting to a few cents to cover the cost, is charged each pupil. On different days are served such dishes as creamed fish or chicken, eggs, soups, sandwiches, crackers, light puddings, fruits, cocoa and milk. Such lunches are easily assimilated and do not require much blood for the processes of digestion. This does not prevent pupils bringing lunches from home nor does it compel them to purchase at school. It simply provides an opportunity, for those who wish, to buy a lunch at a very reasonable price. If it seems wise to take action in this matter, the counter and corridor in the basement can be used for this purpose.

During the past few years, about half of each entering class has taken Latin, while the remainder has omitted language study other than English. For this reason, it seemed best to offer a second foreign language, French, as an elective. The large number who chose the subject in September, has proved the wisdom of the action; for, in addition to the usual number who took Latin, about thirty per cent elected French, making nearly eighty per cent of the freshman class studying both English and a foreign language.

For several years the school has received the benefit of the Rock Island Fund, the money having been expended for reference books. It would be of great help to the pupils, if some room in the building could be set aside where these books could be collected together for reference work. Under the present system, they are scattered throughout the rooms of the building under the care of the teachers of the various departments and they are available only to the pupils of those departments. If a reading room or library were provided, the pupils could use it during study periods for reference work and supplementary reading and learn how to consult books. It would be wise in the addition to the building, to provide a reading room.

The school has received several valuable gifts during the year. The Class of 1903 followed the example of its predecessor and showed its appreciation of the educational advantages it had enjoyed by the generous gift of two beautiful pictures, handsomely framed. They were The Emperor Augustus of Rome and The Theseum at Athens. The Golden Rod Managers of the Graduate Class of 1902 also generously presented the school with two framed pictures, The Colosseum at Rome and The Acropolis at Athens. An illustrated History and Origin of the Stars and Stripes in an ornamented frame was received from the ladies' of Paul Revere Relief Corps No. 103. The school is also indebted to Mr. F. A. Skinner for a large photograph of the Football Team of 1902 and to Mr. H. O. von Schuckmann for a facsimile of the Declaration of Independence.

The members of the class of 1903 are distributed as follows:

Graduate work in High school	9
College	7
Other schools	8
Boston Normal Art	1
At work in Quincy	11
At work in Boston	14
At home	10
Total	60

In closing, I wish to thank the members of the Committee, the Superintendent and my assistants for their continued support and hearty cooperation.

CROWD TURNED OUT.

To Greet Judge Emmons at the Braintree Town Hall.

A large crowd of people from Braintree, Quincy, Weymouth and other places gathered at the Braintree Town Hall Sunday afternoon to listen to an address on "Good Citizenship" by Judge Emmons of the Boston Police Commission.

The lecture was arranged by the Young Men's Union of the South Congregational church. Rev. C. F. Hill Crathern presided and introducing the speaker, said Gov. Bates when he discovered Judge Emmons made a greater discovery than if he had found the North Pole. He deplored the fact that Braintree did not have a Judge Emmons.

Judge Emmons, who is an easy, entertaining speaker, told of the work of the Boston police department. Of the 45,000 persons arrested in Boston in 1903, over 20,000 were for drunkenness.

He told how the evil had been lessened to a large extent. He had no word of censure for the army of newspaper reporters they had assisted in every possible way, and he had found them reliable and trustworthy. He also spoke of his tours about the city.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Thomas Gilrain.

At the regular meeting of Div. 4, A. O. H. held Sunday, Feb. 28th, 1904, the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS,—God, in his infinite wisdom has been pleased to take from our midst, our beloved brother, Thomas Gilrain, therefore be it

RESOLVED,—That we the members of Div. 4, A. O. H., sincerely mourn the loss of an earnest and efficient member of our society, one who at all times had at heart its welfare and advancement and was ever zealous in promoting feelings of brotherly love and affection among its members.

RESOLVED,—That while we deeply deplore the loss of our departed brother, we bow in humble submission to the will of an onimpotent and just God, who doeth all things for the best.

RESOLVED,—That in paying the last tribute of respect to our departed brother, we are all sensible of our loss, and will hold in honored esteem his integrity and fidelity as a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

RESOLVED,—That we extend to the afflicted family of the deceased our deepest sympathy in their bereavement for the loss they have sustained.

RESOLVED,—That as a mark of respect to his memory, a copy of these resolutions be presented to his sorrowing family and that the same be published in the Quincy Patriot and Daily Ledger and Quincy Advertiser and in The Hibernian, and entered on the records of this society.

PHILIP T. EGAN,
JOHN ROONEY,
DANIEL SCULLY,
Committee.

March 14. 1p-1t

DIED.

CAHILL—In Quincy, March 12, Mr. John Cahill of Brackett street, aged 55 years.
STEPHENS—In Quincy, March 12, Mr. William Stephens, Jr., of 2 Penn street, aged 21 years, 4 months and 12 days.
GREEN—In Weymouth, March 12, Mr. Anthony Green, of 71 Essex street.

When Journeying West.

Consult copy of "Westbound" issued by A. S. Hanson, Gen. Passenger Agent, Boston. It gives detailed schedules and train service via. New York Central Lines—the standard highway of travel to the St. Louis Exposition.

— Milk is now reduced to a powder by a new Swedish invention. Five quarts of skim milk yield one pound of powder.

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CHAS. C. HEARN SUCCESSFUL.

Induced Dr. Howard Company to Make Special Price.

After a great deal of effort and correspondence, Chas. C. Hearn, the popular druggist, has succeeded in getting the Dr. Howard Co. to make a special half-price introductory offer on the regular fifty cent size of their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia.

This medicine is a recent discovery for the cure of all diseases of the stomach and bowels. It not only gives quick relief, but it makes permanent cures.

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The old-fashioned idea of dosing with mineral waters, cathartic pills or harsh purgatives will soon be a thing of the past. The best physicians are prescribing Dr. Howard's specific because it really gives the desired results and on account of the small and pleasant dose that is needed.

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Quincy, March 2. tf

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LOST—In Wollaston, Wednesday afternoon, a Lady's Silver Watch. Finder will be rewarded by returning to N. S. ROBINSON, 41 Standish avenue.
March 11. 3t

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WANTED—Boy to learn the printing business; one who has attended the High school preferred. Apply to GEO. W. PRESCOTT. Quincy, March 14 tf

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Feb. 15. tf

TO LET—Stable, 3 stalls, large loft, water, 198 Washington street. Apply C. W. GAREY, M. D., 1247 Hancock street.
Quincy, Jan. 30. tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

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TO ACT ON THE OFFENSIVE

Russian Fleet May Make a Bold Dash From Port Arthur

PLAN TO UNITE FORCES

Idea Said to Be to Meet Vladivostok Squadron, of Which Nothing Has Been Heard, and Inflict Damage on the Enemy--Japanese Marines Reported to Have Taken Dalny--Japan Has Money Enough to Maintain War For Eighteen Months

London, March 15.—A report from New Chwang says Admiral Makaroff has planned to make a dash with the Russian fleet from Port Arthur, in a desperate attempt to unite with the Vladivostok squadron.

This dispatch, which is prominently displayed by The Daily Mail and which the correspondent says is "on Russian information," is, if true, news of the first importance, confirming the idea that Vice Admiral Makaroff will adopt the offensive and make a desperate attempt to bring together Russia's scattered naval forces and endeavor to inflict damage upon the Japanese navy. The story must, however, be viewed cautiously, the only approach to confirmation from any other quarter being in a dispatch from a correspondent of The Daily Telegraph at Yin Kow, which merely says:

"Vice Admiral Makaroff has issued orders to the effect that the saving of coal is unnecessary, but that the big gun ammunition in the forts must not be wasted. Evidently this ammunition is running short."

There is no other news to hand on the subject.

The Daily Telegraph's Tokio correspondent sends an unconfirmed rumor to the effect that Japanese marines have landed and occupied Dalny.

A dispatch from Yin Kow says that the best Russian information obtainable at Port Arthur and New Chwang admits the government's intention to fall back indefinitely until it can complete the mobilization of 300,000 troops for the purpose of assaulting and opposing the Japanese, and probably 200,000 more to oppose the Chinese.

The same opinion asserts that Vice Admiral Makaroff will fight hard. He is determined to weaken the enemy at any cost and make the operations of the Baltic fleet in the far east feasible, though it may be necessary to fight without the Pallada, Czarevitch and Retvizan, which, it is admitted, cannot be fully repaired within six months. On account of the uncertainty of successfully constructing a mud dock in which to repair the Czarevitch and Retvizan, naval experts allow a year for the work.

It may be remarked that the British newspapers all regard Vice Admiral Togo's report that he has laid mines at Port Arthur as a mere bluff, and they say that such a feat would be impossible under fire. The Daily Mail thinks that if Vice Admiral Makaroff closed the channel it was in order to prevent the ingress of the Japanese torpedo boat destroyers, as he did at Wei Hai Wei during the Chino-Japanese war.

It is a subject of unceasing remark and conjecture that nothing has been heard of the Vladivostok squadron and it is beginning to be believed that it is really inside the harbor of Vladivostok.

The Standard's Tokio correspondent says that, according to a dispatch from General San, the Russians are believed to be withdrawing from the northeast frontier of Korea and concentrating at Vladivostok.

The correspondent of The Morning Post at Tokio throws an interesting light upon Japan's financial intentions and says it is estimated that Japan will be able to maintain a war for 18 months without borrowing abroad. The policy is to retain the gold in Japan, and it is believed that it will not be necessary to spend abroad more than one-eighth of the cost of the war, this expenditure being chiefly on coal, cordite and steel. The fact that Port Arthur is completely blockaded permits a great saving, because Japan will be able to charter vessels at peace rates.

It is said that the Hamburg-American line steamer Pennsylvania, which sailed from Plymouth for New York yesterday, has on board several Poles and Finns who are escaping from Russian military service.

The Seoul correspondent of The Times comments on the remarkable civil influence which Japan has brought to bear upon Korea without adopting an attitude of overbearing coercion. The correspondent says that on the contrary, everything is being done to conciliate the Koreans, but he points out that from Chemulpo to Seoul every controlling influence is Japanese—railway, police and telegraph. He adds that Japan must have been laying the foundation for this condition of affairs for many months.

Tillman Is Improving

Washington, March 15.—The condition of Senator Tillman, who has been ill for some time with abscesses in the throat, continues favorable. Since the last operation he has been much more comfortable.



VICE ADMIRAL MAKAROFF, THE "ICE BREAKER."

SALTS IN THE SEA.

The Four Varieties That Are Washed Out of the Earth.

Why should the sea be salt when the lakes and rivers are fresh? This is a question that comparatively few people stop to think about. They recognize the fact, but do not take the trouble to reason about it.

There are four salts in sea water—sodium chloride (common salt), magnesium, potassium and calcium. These are minerals and are washed out of the rocks of the earth by the streams and carried to the sea in a state of solution.

The water of the sea is being constantly evaporated, and it comes to the land as rain, snow, hail or sleet. But this evaporation leaves the salt in the sea, and as the streams are all the time carrying more salt there the quantity is constantly increasing, but so gradually that it is not noticed in the water.

It has been estimated that if all the salt were obtained out of the waters of the sea there would be enough to cover the continent of North America to a depth of half a mile.

In some parts of the world the salt used by the people is all obtained from sea water, but not where there are salt mines or salt springs, for the quality of that obtained from them is much superior to that yielded by sea water.

Roasting Cats as a Sacrifice.

The cat, says Mr. Mill in his "History of the Crusades," was a very important personage in the religious festivals of the times which he describes. At Aix, in Provence, on the festival of Corpus Christi, the finest tomcat in the canton, wrapped like a child in swaddling clothes, was exhibited in a magnificent shrine to public admiration. Every knee was bent, and every hand strewed flowers or poured incense, and grimalkin was treated in all respects as the god of the day.

But on the festival of St. John, June 24, poor Tom's fate was reversed. A number of cats were put into a wicker basket and thrown alive into the midst of a large fire kindled in the public square by the bishop and his clergy. Hymns and anthems were sung, and processions were made by the priests and people in honor of the sacrifice.

Her Edict.



Guest—Madame, I'm thinking of putting up at your house.

Landlady (grimly)—Yes, sir; in advance.—New York Evening Journal.

UNANIMOUS

For Another High School Building.

Resolutions Adopted After Discussion.

New Location Would Better Accommodate the Pupils.

That West Quincy is thoroughly aroused on the High School question, and that its citizens with those of Ward Three will do all in their power to have a new High School building erected in Ward Three was evident from the enthusiasm and unanimity shown at the meeting Monday evening at St. Mary's hall.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the West Quincy Improvement society. It was not only attended by West Quincy residents but by many from South Quincy. In the absence of President Badger, Walter H. Ripley was elected to preside.

Councilmen Reardon and Hughes, of Ward Four and Councilmen Piper and Spargo of Ward Three were present.

Rev. A. F. Roche, for the committee on street railway, reported that the superintendent of the street railway was ready to meet the committee at any time agreed upon, and that a meeting would probably be held soon.

Ex-Councilman Elcock then offered a resolution to the Mayor and City Council, that the citizens in meeting assembled do unequivocally declare ourselves in favor of the purchase of the Lawton lot in South Quincy and the erection thereupon of a new High school building as such a building would accommodate over sixty per cent. of the High School pupils.

Rev. A. F. Roche said it seemed to him that it was not so much the Lawton lot, provided an addition to the present High school building not be made, and provided a new High school is located in Ward Three.

Ex-Councilman Elcock said it was well for the citizens of West Quincy to express their opinion. All know a High school is required in Quincy. The present building is overflowing and 120 are attending the "Old High" school. For the past three years it has been contemplated building an addition to the present building. Plans had been made for a $60,000 addition but he had it on good authority that it would cost $70,000, to say nothing about damage to the present building or new heating apparatus. It would be better to blow up the building than to build wings. He was satisfied a building in South Quincy would take all of Wards Three and Four, and a large share of Ward Two children.

John L. Miller said the school question was an important one. It was important what kind of building and where located. We believe a large per cent of Ward Three is in favor of a new High school in that ward. The Lawton lot is central, high and dry. When we think of the great expense and that $20,000 is to be spent in tearing away, someone is making a mistake.

To build onto the present building would make it look like a Plymouth Rock rooster with one wing cut off. Then it does not look right for Ward Three and Four parents to pay the street railway $20 a year for carrying children. If we have two buildings and anything happens to one the other is going ahead. He was heartily in favor, as the city would save money.

Tobias Burke described the plans for the proposed addition, and went into the figures of the school census which showed a large per cent. of the High school pupils came from Wards Three and Four. We should push all we can with the Council and others to have a building in South Quincy.

Councilman Piper believed it was the best thing for the city. It was a question we are all interested in as taxpayers and parents. There are only two propositions before the Council. Enlarging the present building, and erecting a new building in Ward Three. There was no High school in Massachusetts that had 1000 pupils. It hardly seemed wise for Quincy to erect a building for 1000 pupils.

It was far preferable to build in Ward Three. About 70 per cent. of High school pupils now live south of the present building.

Rev. A. F. Roche said the most of the children from West Quincy go over Common street. It is the coldest street in winter and the last to be broken out. Any location in Ward Three would be a benefit to West Quincy.

It was a good plan to separate, and give us something we are taxed for. Ward One gets about everything that can be got. It was time West Quincy got something. There was no reason in continuing the present system of compelling children to walk over the coldest street in Quincy or taxing them $20 a year for car fares. If we begin other wards will begin to get a just distribution. The whole city does not belong in Ward One.

Councilman Reardon—When we consider the number of pupils in Wards Three and Four, and that from 5,000 to 8,000 of a population of 30,000 lives in this section, no City Council should go against our wishes. We want all the assistance we can get. It will cost less to build new than to build on addition. He saw no reason why Wards Three and Four should not insist on having it. We will have to use our influence and talk about the new High school.

Representative Fallon made one of his characteristic speeches in which he scored those who had charge of public buildings in the past. He did not think the School board had shown the active part they should. They should the people what they want.

Councilman Spargo favored the building in Ward Three. He did not believe in putting all our eggs in one basket. If we build an addition to present building we will have a pig with one ear.

Edward J. Lennon did not believe in putting any more money in the present bulding. It looked bad enough now and should be covered with a blanket. He believed in building in Ward Three. He thought agitation might help it along.

Dr. Ash thought that the work of a body like this could not fail to bring good results. He had served on the School Committee but could never find out when they came to a solution. This meeting will bring out good results. It will be a lesson to the School Committee. If they and the City Council would not be led they would not hesitate for one minute to take steps for a High School in Ward Three.

John L. Miller said a meeting like this will tend to bring Wards Three and Four into harmony. He blamed the voters for not putting more business men on the School board. When Wards Two, Three and Four get together things will be different.

An amendment was then made to the resolution offered by Mr. Elcock, that a copy be sent to the School Board, as well as the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was then passed by a unanimous vote.

It was also voted that the Councilmen from Wards Three and Four have a public hearing before the City Council if thought necessary.

The matter of a new depot at West Quincy was then taken up. It was argued that the present depot was a disgrace, and a place for loafers.

After some further discussion the Committee on Railroads was instructed to confer with the railroad officials to see if a stone depot, one fitting to the locality, could not be built.

WALL PAPER.

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PARK SYSTEM.

Interesting Paper by Mr. Walter S. McKenzie at Brotherhood.

The monthly meeting of the Brotherhood of Bethany church was held Monday evening and attended by nearly 100 men. President W. G. Shaw presided, and led in singing and Scripture reading. Rev. E. N. Hardy offered prayer. Mr. J. E. Greene contributed two solos, with Mrs. J. O. Hall, Jr., as accompanist in the absence of Everett Hayden.

The principal attraction was a paper on the Metropolitan Park System of Massachusetts by Mr. Walter S. McKenzie of the City Engineer's office. It was a very interesting and comprehensive summary of the various takings which have been made by the commission, both for reservations and parkways, being more extensive than many imagine.

Mr. McKenzie exhibited maps, and also circulated among the audience several fine views taken in the Blue Hills reservation, the Revere Beach reservation, Middlesex Fells, Charles river reservation, and other Metropolitan parks.

He answered questions at the close of his talk. The Brotherhood extended a vote of thanks to the speaker.

A committee on the annual banquet was appointed.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

PURSUANT to the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by John Biesty to Joseph A. Harwood, dated April 13th, 1898, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, Lib. 813, Fol. 129, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the premises described in said mortgage, on WEDNESDAY, the thirtieth day of March, 1904, at 12 o'clock, noon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows, to wit:

"A certain parcel of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth aforesaid, and being Lot No. 111, on a plan of house lots on Cranch Hill, drawn by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, dated August, 1897, duly recorded with Norfolk plans, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Whitwell street at the southwesterly corner of lot No. 112 on said plan, and thence running in a northwesterly direction along said Whitwell street, sixty (60) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a northeasterly direction along lot No. 110 on said plan, one hundred and five (105) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a southeasterly direction along lot No. 118 on said plan, sixty (60) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a southwesterly direction, along lot No. 112 on said plan, one hundred and five (105) feet to the point of beginning; containing 6300 square feet, and being the same premises conveyed to me by deed of John Swithin et als, Trustees, dated November 15th, 1897, and duly recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 808, Page 461, and subject to the restrictions therein contained."

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, outstanding tax titles, or assessments, if any, and also subject to said restrictions.

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Drift of Opinion.

There are two arts that the most progressive people of the globe should wish to cultivate in particular. One of the arts is courtesy, the other is architecture.—Worlds Work.

Fortunes are growing rapidly, and men of vast wealth are increasing in number so fast that the limit to available opportunities for establishing new colleges, industrial and preparatory schools will be reached in the near future, unless there is a chance in popular sentiment toward public schools, which is not probable. There is no indication that benevolently inclined wealth will to any great extent turn towards missionary activity. It can easily be attracted toward public schools, at least so far as to provide abundant art, desirable working libraries, and museums. In these the public schools are lamentably weak. To bring this about, friends of the public schools must make their needs known. Vast endowments for other institutions are rarely spontaneous, but as a rule come as a result of skillful promotion. There is no more laudable ambition for promoters than to secure for the children of all the people the best that favored children can have.—Journal of Education.

PATRIOTISM OF ANTS.

The Insects Always Willing to Die For Their Commune.

Many times and in many ways the devotion of ants to their commune has been tested. The rule is well nigh invariable of instant and absolute self abnegation and surrender of personal ease and appetite, life and limb to the public welfare. The posting of sentinels at gateways is customary, and they are apt to know first the approach of danger. With heads and quivering antennæ protruded from the opening, these city watchmen not only dispatch within news of threatening peril, but rush out with utter abandon to face the foe. With ants patriotism is not "second nature;" it is instinctive, inborn, seemingly as strong in the callow antling as in the veteran brave.

It must be confessed, however, that it is rigidly exclusive. Racial catholicity is not an emmetorian virtue. Ants are without that elastic hospitality which embraces and assimilates all foreigners. Even the slave makers hold their domestic auxiliaries strictly distinct.

It may be due to overmastering patriotism that one fails to discover individual benevolence in ants. Friendships and personal affection in the limited and specialized sense familiar among domestic animals are as yet unknown. And thus it is with other social insects.—H. C. McCook in Harper's Magazine.

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IS FOR CLEVELAND

Head of Tammany Still Opposed to Parker Boom

HILL MEN'S SUGGESTION

Would Compromise by Having Delegates Uninstructed, but Want Resolutions Adopted Declaring Parker the Choice

New York, March 15.—Published reports to the effect that Charles F. Murphy has abandoned his fight for an uninstructed delegation to the St. Louis convention and will agree to instructions for Parker are officially denied at Tammany hall. Murphy is still at Atlantic City, but he sent word to his lieutenants that he would fight to a finish any attempt to instruct by the state convention, even if he were convinced that he would be defeated. Frank A. O'Donnell, president of the tax department, who is usually Murphy's spokesman, said:

"Mr. Murphy may not have a majority in the state convention, but he will be a powerful figure at St. Louis. Representing as he does the great majority of the Democratic voters of New York state, he will insist to the end on an uninstructed delegation, and if Hill forces through the convention instructions for Parker it will be made plain to the Democrats of the country that Parker is not the first choice of the New York Democracy. The Murphy-Hill fight is not over yet by any means. Perhaps, before the state convention is held next month, Hill and Parker will conclude that it is not wise to further antagonize Murphy."

It is reported on good authority that Hill has already sent instructions to Murphy that he is willing to make a compromise by which the delegates will not be instructed, but strong resolutions will be adopted declaring that Parker is the choice of the New York Democracy. Hill men say that such a compromise might be satisfactory all around, as that would enable Hill to carry his point and at the same time allow Murphy a victory on the point of instructions.

Murphy has not yet indicated his opinion of this program. He may accept it if he finds he has no chance to control the state convention. His acceptance of the compromise would not prevent him from declaring when he reaches St. Louis that the Parker endorsement was forced and that Cleveland is the choice of the New York Democrats.

The desertion of ex-Senator Edward Murphy of Troy, Richard Croker's old ally, has greatly lessened Tammany's chance of controlling the state convention. Charles F. Murphy may make other combinations by April 18, but just now it looks as if he cannot secure a majority of the delegates unless peace is patched up between him and Senator McCarren, the Brooklyn leader. Murphy has made no move so far to bring about peace.

"Cleveland Like Roosevelt"

New York, March 15.—Robert B. Roosevelt, President Roosevelt's uncle, a life-long Democrat and former minister to Holland, in an interview, gives the reasons why he believes Grover Cleveland should be nominated by the Democrats. Mr. Roosevelt is a Democrat of the old school. "I am not taking any part in the preliminary discussion about Democratic candidates, because my nephew is to be in the race," said Mr. Roosevelt. "I cannot help saying, however, as a matter of practical political truth, that Mr. Cleveland is a wonderfully strong man and would make the strongest kind of a candidate.

"He is very much like my nephew, the president—both patriotic, both impulsive and both absolutely indifferent to their own political fortunes when the right is concerned. Both are decisive, outspoken and, courageous, and, as I said, impulsive. Why, Mr. Cleveland is every bit impulsive as my nephew—look at his Venezuela message. He had that strong quality of courage which the American people admire and which did not count political consequence when he know he was right. He threw away his election in 1892 on the tariff. That is the kind of a man the people like. Mr. Cleveland and President Roosevelt are excellent friends, and respect each other very highly. It would make an interesting race were they to be pitted against each other this fall."

Prohibition Boom For Miles

Oil City, Pa., March 15.—David O. McCalmont of Franklin, chairman of the Venango county Prohibition committee, is in receipt of a letter from General Nelson A. Miles, in which the general announces himself indirectly as a candidate for the nomination for president, subject to that party. At a Prohibition banquet held in Franklin McCalmont proposed Miles as a candidate and read an extract from the letter, in which the general is quoted as saying: "It remains with my friends to say what services I shall render further to my country." McCalmont refuses to quote any further for publication. He has written for Miles' permission to publish its full text.

An Unpopular Arrhbishop

Vienna, March 15.—It is announced that the unpopular Jewish prince-archbishop of Olmuetz, Moravia, Dr. Kohn, has resigned as a result of an interview with the pope which was occasioned by the clergy complaining of his conduct of the archbishopric.

NON-MORMONS AROUSED

Take Exceptions to Statements Made by President Smith

Salt Lake City, March 15.—Non-Mormons, who are indignant at the testimony of President Smith before the Smoot investigating committee at Washington, met last night for the purpose of forming a party opposed to Mormons. A protest against the statements of Smith was unanimously adopted. The protest, as signed by 200 persons, will be forwarded to Senator Burrows, chairman of the senatorial investigating committee, and copies will be circulated for further signature in Utah and adjoining states.

Resolutions adopted declare that law-abiding citizens repudiate the statement of President Smith that his offense in living in polygamous relations is condoned; that, on the contrary, the disclosures made by him at Washington were nowhere received with greater amazement, indignation and disgust than in Utah; that it has been heretofore impossible to get at the real facts of the situation, owing to the wall of secrecy with which polygamists have surrounded themselves and their constant practice of failing to comply with the law in reporting births.

Firebugs' Lives In Danger

Americus, Ga., March 15.—Judge Littlejohn ordered the Americus light infantry to proceed to Preston last night to protect Henry Morgan and Sidney Harrell from lynching at the hands of infuriated citizens. Morgan is charged with burning the town of Preston. It is said he has confessed and has implicated Harrell. The soldiers secured the two men and brought them here for safe keeping. Both are white.

Opposed to Negro Education

Jackson, Miss., March 15.—Governor Vardaman sent to the house his veto of the bill appropriating $2200 for the support of the Holly Springs Normal school, a negro institution. The governor, in his veto message, states that negro education is not the best thing for the negroes. He advanced this view during his campaign for governor. A stiff fight will be made to pass the bill over the governor's veto.

Cannon's Poetical Comment

Washington, March 15.—While Representative W. A. Smith was nominating Speaker Cannon for the presidency in the house on Friday, Mr. Cannon's county convention was endorsing President Roosevelt. This endorsement has reached the speaker and he has forwarded it to the White House with his compliments and this memorandum: "If I was so soon to be done for, what was I begun for?"

Indictments In Shafer Murder

Bedford, Ind., March 15.—A grand jury has returned two indictments against James McDonald, in connection with the murder of Sarah Schafer. One indictment charges murder, while the other charges statutory assault. McDonald, who is in Bloomington, Ind., says he is not guilty and expresses his willingness to return to Bedford to plead to the indictments.

Duel to the Death

Meridian, Miss., March 15.—As the result of a shooting, Dr. W. W. Jones and Roy Eshe, a planter, are dead. Frank Burnett, brother-in-law of Eshe, was mortally wounded. It is charged that Jones circulated stories about one of the Eshe family. Both Jones and Eshe drew revolvers when they met. When Burnett came up to intercede he was shot by Jones.

Cruiser Went Ashore In Fog

Pensacola, Fla., March 15.—The cruiser Montgomery, which ran into Munroe's Point during a dense fog, was floated last night and an examination revealed the fact that she was not injured. The accident is attributed to the fact that the navigator could not see 50 yards ahead, owing to the fog.

Hearst Men Run Convention

Urbana, O., March 15.—Henry McCracken was nominated for congress by the Democrats of the Eighth district. The delegates to the national convention were not instructed. Friends of W.R. Hearst controlled the convention. The Kansas City platform was reaffirmed by a vote of 111 to 83.

Shipwrecked Men Reach Port

Natal, Brazil, March 15.—The captain and six members of the crew of the British brig Gladiola, which was wrecked at Cape St. Roque, off Brazil, have been landed at this port. The mate of the vessel and two others of the crew are expected to arrive here.

Foraker Will Hurry Wood Case

Washington, March 15.—Senator Foraker, in executive session of the senate, gave notice that immediately after the passage of the fortification appropriation bill he would move to take up the Wood case and keep the nomination before the senate until confirmed.

Eggs by the Million

Kansas City, March 15.—A transaction has been closed here for the purchase of 3,000,000 eggs at 16½ cents a dozen. These will be shipped to Chicago, New York and Boston.

Missionary Slain by Robbers

New York, March 15.—The murder of Rev. B. W. Labaree in Persia, it is learned from cables to the Presbyterian Board of Missions, was committed by robbers.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Wednesday, March 16.
Sun rises—5:55; sets—5:52.
Moon rises—5:36 a. m.
High water—11 a. m.; 11:15 p. m.
The eastern disturbance has caused general rains, which will spread eastward into New England.

CITY BREVITIES.

A little more winter.

Rural lodge of Masons will hold a dance at Faxon hall this evening.

Miss Nellie Mitchell of Billings street is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Eva Dingwell of Chelsea is visiting Mrs. R. A. Caspole of Prospect street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Foster have returned from Halifax, N. S. They report less snow there.

The High school orchestra and Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar club are to give an entertainment early in April.

The courage of the Quincy basket ball team is undaunted, and they will go to West Quincy Thursday night to win from the St. Marys.

H. H. Lowe of Washington street has purchased an outfit and starts in the express business to be known as the Lowe Boston and Quincy Express.

The members of the Wollaston Yacht club are anxiously watching the ice thin out, that work may at once be started on the piling of the new clubhouse.

There is but little change in the condition of Henry H. Faxon. He is resting comfortably, and if anything he may be considered as a little better and to be slowly improving.

At the regular meeting of G. L. Gill, Rebekah lodge, to be held in I. O. O. F. hall on Thursday evening several candidates will be initiated and it is expected that the grand officers, and other members of the order will be present.

Miss Abbie Barnes has returned from her visit at New Hampshire, broken up her home on Upland road and in a few days goes to Peabody, for a visit with relatives and later will make her home with her aunt in New Hampshire. She will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends.

There will be a special meeting of the Unity club at the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church, on Friday, March 25, which will be devoted to stereopticon illustrations of Japan. It promises to be an entertaining evening, and it is hoped a large audience will be in attendance.

Teaching with Success.

Mr. Francis R. Boyd, son of the late lamented Capt. William Boyd is teaching with very great success at Mr. Betts' Academy at Stamford, Connecticut. He was recently surprised with the present of a choice silver loving cup, presented by his pupils as a mark of respect and affection. Such gifts are usual when a teacher of a class leaves a school; but as a token of regard in the middle of active service and daily work it must be considered as very exceptional. Mr. Boyd is well known in Quincy; he graduated from Adams Academy in 1898 and Harvard College in 1902, and is very highly regarded by every one who knows him.

William Stevens.

The distressing accident that occurred at South Quincy the other day has removed from earthly scenes a young life that was full of promise. Mr. Stevens possessed in large measure the best elements of Scottish character,—self-reliance, self-respect, integrity and warm-heartedness. He had withal a deep religous sense, without which no life is complete. The esteem in which this young man was held was well attested by the large numbers who left their various employments Monday noon to attend his funeral services.

The Standard Highway of Travel Between New England and the St. Louis Exposition
Is the Boston & Albany and New York Central. Descriptive folder containing maps, rates, etc., will be mailed on application. A. S. Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt, Boston.

—Edmund Hersey, 2d, of Hingham, was attacked by a robber on South street in that town late Saturday evening, but frightened the fellow away.

— A diamond weighing 67 carats and worth about $15,000 was found on the Premier Johannesburg property the other day.

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7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
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r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cda	4 06 r
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r 9 14	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

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TIME TABLE

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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.30 P. M. to Brockville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

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For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M. Sundays: 7.40, A M. then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A.M. then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

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Great Railroad Merger Is Declared to Be Illegal

SUPREME COURT DECISION

Four of Nine Justices Dissent Outright, While One of Majority Thinks Previous Anti-Trust Decisions Much Too Sweeping

Washington, March 15.—In the United States supreme court, an opinion was delivered in the merger case of the Northern Securities company vs. the United States, in favor of the government's contention that the merger was illegal. The opinion of the court was handed down by Justice Harlan and it upheld the decree of the circuit court for the district of Minnesota in every particular. Four of the justices dissented from the five constituting the majority.

The division in the court was due to a difference of opinion as to the right of the federal control of state corporations. The majority opinion proceeded on the theory that congress has a right under the constitution to control inter-state commerce, no matter by whom conducted, while the minority or dissenting opinion was based on the theory that in the present case the effort is to regulate the ownership of railroad stocks by state corporations and that such ownership is not interstate traffic.

Justice Harlan delivered the opinion. The justice read his opinion from a printed copy, which covered 30 pages, and consumed about an hour and a quarter in its delivery.

Very soon after Justice Harlan had concluded his presentation of the case it became evident that the court had divided on the questions at issue, and as other opinions were announced it developed that there not only had been a very close shave for the government, but that Justice Brewer, who cast his vote with the majority, entertained opinions of his own, which fact rendered the division all the more marked and interesting.

While he concurred in the result, Justice Brewer announced, in an independent opinion of his own, that he held the view that previous anti-trust decisions had been more sweeping than was justified. Four of the nine justices, Chief Justice Fuller and Justices White, Peckham and Holmes, dissented outright. The opinions of Justices Harlan and White were long, while those of Justices Brewer and Holmes were comparatively brief. All told, the court consumed 2 3-4 hours in disposing of the case.

The fact was noted by several persons that the argument in the case was begun Dec. 14, just three months previous to the decision. For so important a case this is considered a very brief interim between the arguments and the decision.

The case just decided was brought by the United States against the Northern Securities company, a corporation of New Jersey; the Great Northern Railway company, a corporation of Minnesota; the Northern Pacific Railway company, a corporation of Wisconsin; James J. Hill, a citizen of Minnesota; and William P. Clough, D. Willis James, John S. Kennedy, J. Pierpont Morgan, Robert Bacon, George F. Baker and Daniel Lamont, citizens of New York.

Its general object was to enforce, as against the defendants, the provisions of the statute of July 2, 1890, commonly known as the anti-trust act, and entitled "An act to protect trade and commerce against unlawful restraint and monopolies."

Judge Thayer's Comment

St. Louis, March 15.—Judge Thayer of the United States circuit court, whose opinion in the Northern Securities case was affirmed by the United States supreme court, said: "From what I have seen of the decision it appears that all the points I made in my decision have been affirmed. Justice Harlan holds that the Northern Securities company is clearly a combination in restraint of trade and that it is an attempt to monopolize interstate traffic. The great question in this case was whether corporations could be organized that have no business of their own, save to act as a holding company for other corporations and to be formed solely for that purpose. It is obvious that if this could be done, one corporation could be formed to control all the industrial plants of the United States. The decision of the supreme court is final. Motions for a re-hearing are made in this court, but never granted, especially in a case like this, which has been most carefully gone over time and again."

Further Litigation Predicted

St. Paul, March 15.—The government's victory in the Northern Securities case does not end the litigation. There still remains on the docket an appeal of the state of Minnesota from the decision of Judge Lochren. Attorneys familiar with the litigation say that the case will have to be decided without reference to the federal decision. It may be thrown out for lack of jurisdiction. There are different principles of law involved, however, and the attorneys for the state hope they can secure a decision of their case on its merits.

A VERMONT TRAGEDY

Farmer Found Under Bed With Skull Crushed In by Club

Worcester, Vt., March 15.—The body of Charles McLean, a farmer, was found under his bed at his home on the Elmore road, three miles from Worcester Corners. The skull had been crushed, apparently by blows from a club, and the police believe that the man was killed during a fight which arose from a neighborhood feud of long standing. After a medical examination, State Attorney Senter caused the issuance of warrants for three men, who will be held pending a further investigation.

McLean lived alone. The body was discovered by a chance caller and from the position occupied indicated that it had been crowded under the bed in an effort at concealment. The furniture and other household articles were scattered about in confusion, as though a desperate struggle had taken place.

Frozen Body Found

Rutland, Mass., March 15.—The body of a man was found beside a back road in Rutland. Near the body was found a receipt book of division 2, A. O. H., in which was written John J. O'Brien, East Boston. The body was badly frozen. The features were unrecognizable, apparently having been attacked by some wild animal.

Boston, March 15.—The body found in Rutland is believed to be that of John J. O'Brien, a teamster, who lived in East Boston. He disappeared from his home on Feb. 28.

Immigration to New England

Hartford, March 15.—Tables of figures showing the immigration of foreigners into New England during 1903 have been completed by Rev. Joel S. Ives of this city, who conducted a census of the foreign population of the six states in behalf of the Congregational Home Missionary society. The influx of foreigners last year was as follows: Maine, 1997; New Hampshire, 1861; Vermont, 1611; Massachusetts, 65,757; Rhode Island, 9467, and Connecticut 21,813, a total of 102,506.

Strikers' Agent Badly Wounded

Providence, March 15.—While arguing with a non-union crew of colored sailors on board the schooner S. P. Blackburn of Norfolk, Ernest Frohnhoffer, 41 years old, was shot and perhaps mortally wounded at a wharf in this city. Nine men, three members of the party with which the injured man is associated and the six members of the crew are under arrest. The police are unable to tell who fired the shots.

Strike of Shoe Workers

Lynn, Mass., March 15.—Owing to a difference in the matter of a readjustment of the scale of prices, 20 hand-turned workmen at the Cushman & Cushman factory last night decided to strike. It is said the strike will extend to three other firms. The manufacturers and employes have been trying to agree on a new wage schedule and are said now to be but a third of a cent apart.

Handled Bogus Coupons

Springfield, Mass., March 15.—Alfred M. Fanning was arrested here last evening on the charge of using the United States mails to defraud a tobacco company with counterfeit tags and coupons. He was arraigned and pleaded not guilty. Last Friday Fanning was fined $100 by the police court for counterfeiting tobacco coupons.

Japs' War Club at Boston

Boston, March 15.—Japanese students in Boston have formed a war club for the purpose of keeping its members in touch with the events in the far east, and also to do whatever is expedient to create a favorable sentiment in this country toward Japan. The club consists of 17 members, most of whom are students at Boston university, Harvard and Technology.

Millie Gee's Dying Statement

Woodstock, Vt., March 15.—The dying deposition of Millie Gee, who was shot by her cousin, George Gee, Sunday night, was taken last evening. The girl said that a week ago she refused longer to receive the attentions of her cousin, who wished to marry her, and for this reason she believed he shot her. Miss Gee's death is expected momentarily.

Lumber Buildings Burned

Portland, Me., March 15.—The entire fire department was called out at midnight by a general alarm for a fire which threatened the lumber district on West Commercial street, but it was confined to the planing mill and two one-story dry houses, owned by the Berlin Mills Lumber company. The loss is about $35,000.

Five More Republican Mayors

Portland, Me., March 15.—Republicans were victorious in the five municipal elections held in Maine yesterday. The only close contest was at Biddeford, where former Mayor Walker received a majority of 81 over Cornelius Horigan. The elections in other places were quiet.

Murder Theory Disproved

Boston, March 15.—An autopsy held on the body of Kitty Abbott, found dead in a hallway here, showed that the woman died from natural causes and disproved the theory of murder advanced by the police.

Rudolph Goes to Trial

St. Louis, March 15.—Heavily shackled, William Rudolph, accused of the murder of Detective Schumacher, near Union, and who once escaped from jail, was taken to Union for trial. His partner, George Collins, is under death sentence for participation in the murder of Schumacher.

HOPES FOR THE BEST

Pro Patria's Agent Unwilling to Believe Steamer Foundered

Halifax, March 15.—No tidings have yet been received of the overdue steamer Pro Patria. H. L. Chipman, manager of the Plant Steamship line, and agent at Halifax for the Pro Patria, gave out the following statement last night:

"The steamer is now 15 days out from St. Pierre, while the voyage ordinarily is only two days. The Pro Patria carries a crew of 30 men, and I do not think that she has more than 20 passengers aboard. I have no doubt that the steamer was in the ice, as the coast line was blocked as far south as Sable island. Even on the last trip the Pro Patria made to Halifax she lost some of her propellor blades in the ice. I am of the impression that the steamer was again disabled on the ice in this voyage by the loss of her propeller, or ran short of coal, probably the latter, as she was to have replenished her bunkers at Louisburg.

"If the steamer was disabled by the loss of her propeller she was carried off the coast by the ice, which has now broken up, and hourly I expect to hear of her being reported in this condition. If the steamer foundered something would have been heard of her boats, as there have been no serious gales on the coast recently, and the crew could no doubt have reached some port."

Money as Bearer of Disease

Washington, March 15.—There was laid before the house committee on banking and currency a letter from Health Commissioner Darlington of New York city, giving the result of his investigation of coin and paper money to determine the extent it may be a conveyor of disease germs. Bacteria will not live longer than 48 hours on silver, nickel and copper coins. Two dirty bills were washed and one was found to contain 135,000 bacteria, the other 126,000. Two comparatively new bills contained respectively 2250 and 2000 germs. Upon all were found proof that money may carry disease.

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Gustav Marx Clears Up a Mystery of Four Years' Standing

Chicago, March 14.—Gustav Marx, one of the three car barn bandits now under sentence of death, declared in a confession made last evening that he was one of three men who held up the Chicago and Northwestern express train at Tower four years ago. The crime, which has passed into history as one of the most desperate ever committed in or about Chicago, has never been fastened upon any one of the many suspects arrested, and the identity of the bandits has remained a mystery to the police until now.

Marx says both his confederates in the crime are dead and refuse to give their names. One of them, he declares, "died with his boots on." The railway authorities admitted a loss of $102,000 by the robbery. Marx says the robbers secured only $8000, the rest of the money having been destroyed by the explosion of dynamite used to crack the safe.

In a sort of foot note to this startling confession, Marx admits the killing of five men in his career of crime.

Wants His "Hush" Money Back

New Britain, Conn., March 14.—It is alleged here that during the investigation into the robbery of the sporting goods store of Frederick Monier in this city two months ago, $500 and a note for $1500 had been given to Monier to hush the matter up by Levi Blinn, grandfather of Francis Blinn, one of the men accused of the burglary. The other man accused is Charles Hamilton. Monier refuses to prosecute the case. Hamilton and young Blinn have been arrested and the elder Blinn will bring suit to recover his "hush" money.

University Merger Planned

Washington, March 14.—A plan has been suggested to unite the Columbian, American and National universities of the District of Columbia to form the nucleus of a great national university at the capital city. It is suggested by friends of the combination plan that such a merger would retain at least one of the strongest features of each of the chief institutions and would give much greater financial strength. The union plan chiefly, however, is for the establishment of real university, post-graduate work.

Lynching In California

Mojave, Cal., March 14.—An unknown negro was taken from the local jail by a mob and after being tarred and feathered was either shot to death or killed by being struck over the head with a heavy piece of iron. The negro had been arrested for an atrocious crime and was confined in the Mojave jail preparatory to taking him to Bakersfield.

Was Close to Death

Frankfort, Ky., March 14.—People arriving here on a train from Louisville say that Lieutenant Governor Thorne was taken very ill with heart disease on the train and for 10 minutes or more he was believed to be dead. He revived sufficiently to leave the train at Eminence, where he lives, but those who witnessed his attack fear he is fatally ill.

Almost Killed For 35 Cents

Rochester, N. Y., March 14.—George Gath, a railroad engineer, was held up and assaulted, receiving injuries which may prove fatal. Gath was wounded about the head with a billy or slungshot, kicked in the face and stomach and stamped on. The highwayman escaped with 35 cents, all the money Gath had upon his person.

Ten Inches of Snow

Chicago, March 14.—A snowstorm descended on Chicago last night and the fall is so heavy as to interfere seriously with the street car traffic. A storm is raging all over central Illinois and portions of Iowa, a depth of 10 inches having been reported from some points.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

The Franklin, N. H., city council voted to accept Andrew Carnegie's recent offer of $15,000 for a free public library, under the usual conditions. Franklin is the only city in New Hampshire without a free public library.

John H. Fellows of Exeter, N. H., aged 54, was stricken with apoplexy on the street and died almost instantly. He owned an extensive business, including large paper mills. He formerly sat in the legislature.

The naval board of inspection and survey has decided that the trials of the latest designed submarine boats shall be made in Narragansett bay some time in April.

The Canadian government has formally accepted the invitation to be represented at the American congress on tuberculosis, which will be held in October, 1904.

Sam Parks on His Deathbed

New York, March 15.—Samuel Parks, formerly walking delegate of local union No. 2 of the Structural Iron Workers' association, is dying of tuberculosis in the hospital in Sing Sing prison. For 30 days he has been in a rapid decline and his death is expected daily. Parks was sent to Sing Sing prison to serve a sentence of two years and eight months' imprisonment, to which crime he was convicted after a trial replete with sensation.

Want Jesuits Kept Out

Berlin, March 15.—The German branch of the Evangelical alliance protests against the re-admission of the Jesuits to Germany. The alliance points out that Protestant bodies all over Germany have passed strong resolutions against the step, and calls on the Protestant population of the country to lend its aid in creating sentiment against the Jesuits' re-admission.

Big Discount on Silver

Panama, March 15.—According to a decree of the convention just published the monetary unit of the republic after Dec. 31 next will be the gold dollar of the same dimensions and weight, by law, as the United States dollar. The silver currency now in circulation will be exchanged at the rate of $1 in gold for $225 in silver.

Peonage Cases Before Court

Savannah, Ga., March 15.—In the United States district court here argument was submitted on the constitutionality of the acts of congress against peonage. The parties indicted are Sheriff McClellan and Attorney Crawley, charged with selling negroes to be held in peonage. The decision of the court was reserved.

Religious Orders Cannot Teach

Paris, March 15.—The chamber of deputies, by 318 to 221 votes, adopted the first section of the bill prohibiting members of religious orders from giving any kind of teaching, primary, secondary or superior. The size of the majority indicates the early passage of the measure as a whole.

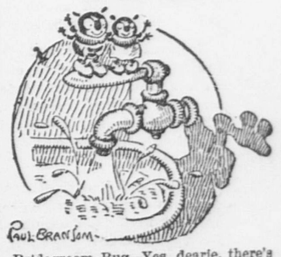
Engaged In Queer Business

Constantinople, March 15.—In a trial concluded here last evening six persons accused of selling forged Turkish decorations to people in various countries were sentenced to 15 years' penal servitude, while a seventh was sentenced to a year.

Contempt Ruling Overthrown

Helena, Mont., March 15.—The supreme court has reversed Judge Clancy in the Pennsylvania mine contempt case. The "fair trial" case is not yet decided.

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Tuesday,	38	57	43	44	37
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Friday,	—	36	55	31	43
Saturday,	—	40	65	55	58

New Advertisements Today.

Work to Take Home.
For Sale—Buggy and Sleigh.
Chas. C. Foster—Wall Paper.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

A boy is wanted at the Ledger office.

The Sagamore block is undergoing a few repairs.

There is going to be a great demand for houses this spring.

The day and night will each be twelve hours long on Thursday.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co. are offering liberal terms on new pianos.

Mrs. William Loud of Wollaston continues seriously ill with pneumonia.

There will be an eclipse of the sun Thursday, but invisible in New England.

Charles C. Foster has a new supply of samples of wall paper, and will call on request.

The double house on Wibird street, owned by Mrs. Victor Bigelow, has been rented.

Esther youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenkins of Billings street is ill with measles.

The new house of Miss Newcomb on Wibird street is being painted gray with cream trimmings.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore of 540 Washington street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

The second lecture in the First Church Alliance course is to be given in the chapel this evening at half past seven.

On Friday evening at 7.45 the regular prayer and praise service will be held in the chapel of the Wollaston Baptist church.

Representative Guy Ham, who addressed the Monday Evening club of Atlantic last month, has gone west to be married.

The Old South Chapter, D. A. R., of Boston voted on Monday to contribute to the fund to purchase the "Dorothy Q." house at Quincy.

At 4 o'clock this afternoon one round of box 78 will be pulled. This is the new box which will replace the 73 duplicate in the shipyard of the Fore River Co.

The last in the series of entertainments by the Cochato club of Braintree, is to be given in the club hall tonight and will be a concert and operetta by the Cecilia Quartette.

Friday evening at 7.15 there will be a meeting of the standing committee in the vestry of the Wollaston Baptist church. Any wishing to unite with the church are invited to be present.

Representative Fallon opposed engrossment of the bill to incorporate the Oxford Water Co. in the House on Monday. He stigmatized it as a piece of "Underhand legislation," as a proper hearing had not been given. The bill was passed to be engrossed.

Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Ladies' Missionary society of Wollaston will meet with Mrs. G. F. Pinkham, 111 Warren avenue; subject, "Home Missions—What has been accomplished, and the outlook for the future."

Master Ralph Hendrie of Henry street who went through a surgical operation last week Friday at the Quincy hospital for appendicitis is improving rapidly. Master Ralph is a very popular young man, and his many friends have been anxiously waiting a favorable report of his illness.

Spring begins next week.

League bowling tomorrow night.

The Co. K volunteers will have a reunion March 31.

The launch of the battleship New Jersey will probably be postponed.

The Upland Road Social club held a private dancing party at Colonial hall Monday evening.

The City Council Committee on Finance will meet tonight, and the Committee on Streets on Friday night.

The degree staff of Mt. Wollaston lodge will work the first degree of Odd Fellowship this evening. All members of ths order are invited.

On Friday evening at 7.15 there will be a rehearsal of hymns at the Wollaston Congregational chapel for the Good Friday service. Everybody is invited to come and sing.

The Sigma Iota Chi society of the Quincy High school met last week at the home of Robert Sibley at Wollaston. The entertainment included phonograph selections, piano solos by John Merrill and Charles Mathaurs, and a dance by Mr. Allen. Refreshments were served.

A GROWING TREE.

Two Things That Nature Invariably Does to Protect It.

Nature invariably does two things when she tries to grow a tree—she protects the bark from hottest sunshine and the roots from severe changes of temperature. Both these points are almost invariably overlooked by man. Observe a maple or elm or birch as it shoots from the ground. Its sides are clothed all the way with small twigs unless removed by knife or browsing. Any tree starting in an open lot is thus protected from the sun. Otherwise the extreme heat will rupture cells, and the bark will dry and split. As far as possible there must be equal development of cells on all sides of the tree. But care of the roots is even more important.

The feeding of a tree is at unequal depths, but most of it is near the surface. If the sun be allowed to strike directly on the soil the finer rootlets that do the foraging are destroyed, and extreme droughts will affect the roots for a foot in depth. What is worse, the extreme changes of temperature also affect the tree and suck its life away. In some cases such conditions are produced as encourage the development of fungi or other enemies to plant life. Nature guards against this by laying down each autumn a layer of leaves to mulch her forests or solitary pets.

RENEWING THE BODY.

The Way Man Is Constantly Being Made Over and Over.

It takes but four weeks to completely renew the human epidermis. You have new eyelashes every five months, you shed your finger nails in about the same period, and the nails of your toes are entirely renewed annually. The white of the eye, known as the cornea, is in a continual state of renewal, being kept clear and clean by the soft friction of the eyelids. These are a few manifestations of the restorative powers retained by man, who is less fortunate than the lower animals.

Crabs can grow fresh limbs; the snail can renew even a large portion of its head; with eyes and feelers lizards do not worry about the loss of a tail, and if you make a cut in the caudal appendage of some of these last mentioned creatures they will grow another tail straightway and rejoice in the possession of two.

But man still possesses the wonderful restorative little cells which scientific men call leucocytes. They are always coursing through the body to renew and to defend the body from its enemies, the harmful bacteria of various maladies. These cells generate antitoxins to kill our enemies. They do battle for us in hundreds of ways, and yet the majority of us know nothing of these great services rendered by our tiny friends inside.

Taken to Jail.

Edward Collins, the Fore River man who had a tussle with officers Murray and Goodhue Saturday night was unable to raise his fine of $30, and he was taken to Dedham late that afternoon where he will work it out.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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DIED.

LYNCH—In Quincy, March 14, Mrs. Margaret wife of Mr. Matthew Lynch of Sumner street, aged 23 years.

O'BRIEN—At the Quincy Home, March 12, Mrs. Rose widow of Mr. Henry O'Brien, aged 63 years.

BURKARD—In Quincy, March 11, Mrs. Christina, wife of Mr. Tobias Burkard of Bunker Hill avenue, aged 63 years, 6 months and 20 days.

CUMMINGS—In Braintree, March 13, Mr. Emery C. Cummings, formerly of Jamaica Plain.

CHAMBERLIN—In Braintree, March 14, Mrs. Frances L., wife of Mr. Jeremiah J. Chamberlin.

DRISCOLL—In Milton, March 13, Harold B. Driscoll of Orono street, aged 17 years, 1 month and 20 days. Burial at Mt. Wollaston.

NEW BRIDGE

Will Be Great Improvement at Atlantic.

Arguments Before the Commission

Appointed to Apportion the Cost of work.

All day Monday was given by the commission appointed to apportion the cost of the new Hancock street bridge at Atlantic to hearing arguments of counsel representing the various interests. F. A. Farnum appeared for the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.; Thomas A. Babson for the City of Boston; Bentley W. Warren for the Old Colony street railway; Fred H. Williams for Norfolk County, and City Solicitor Blackmur for the City of Quincy.

The new bridge will cost $45,000 and will include a wide street with sidewalk on each side; Hancock street to be paved in part and macadamized in part; approaching side streets to be rebuilt with macadam, and to have sidewalk on each side.

The entire eastern abutment of the bridge will be taken down, and in rebuilding room will be left for two additional tracks. The workmanship will be first class and the new bridge with approaches will be a great improvement to the locality.

Mr. Blackmur asked at the conclusion that the commission reach a decision at as early a date as possible, that work may begin soon.

The commission stated that, as they were in possession of all the facts, it would be only a short time.

PARISH MEETING.

First Church Makes Appropriations Amounting to $6,100.

The annual meeting of the First church parish was held Monday evening and these officers elected:

Moderator,—J. Q. A. Field.

Parish Assessors,—Henry M. Faxon, Luther S. Anderson and James H. Stetson.

Clerk,—George B. Dewson.

Treasurer,—Luther S. Anderson.

Collector,—George H. Field.

Trustees of Adams Fund,—Charles H. Porter, Charles A. Price and L. H. H. Johnson.

Trustees of Sarah Vinal Fund and Caroline Wood Fund,—Henry M. Faxon, Luther S. Anderson and James H. Stetson.

Flower committee,—Miss Florence R. Emery, Mrs. Lewis Bass, Miss Alice K. Prescott and Miss Beatrice Tisdale.

Appropriations amounting to $6,100 were voted, including $3,100 for salary of pastor and supply, $850 for music, $300 for organist, $400 for sexton, $250 for fuel, $210 for light and water, $475 for repairs and miscellaneous.

The disbursements of last year amounted to $6,139.66, including $123.30 for improvement of tomb of the Presidents.

Leave to Withdraw.

The Committee on Roads and Bridges of the Legislature reported to the House on Monday leave to withdraw on the petition of Mayor Charles M. Bryant to give the Massachusetts highway commission custody of the Weymouth Fore River bridge; same, to extend the authority of the Massachusetts highway commission over certain bridges; same, to provide for the maintenance of state highways.

TODAY'S COURT.

John Ross was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until March 21.

John Cuff was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Not to Move.

A largely attended meeting of South Shore Commandery, Knights Templar, was held at East Weymouth Monday evening, to take action on the proposition to move the headquarters of the Commandery to Quincy. The proposition was defeated.

—Weymouth appropriated for schools on Monday $51,000; Wakefield, $51,235; and Watertown $47,000.

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MANY FLOWERS

At Funeral of Mr. James J. Mahoney at Weymouth.

On Sunday afternoon at 2 P. M. the remains of the late James J. Mahoney of Weymouth were taken from the late residence on Cain avenue to the St. Francis Xavier Cemetry.

Mr. Mahoney's sudden death was a shock to his many friends, although for some weeks past his immediate family had known that Mr. Mahoney was suffering from fatal heart affection.

Services were conducted at the house by Rev. Maurice J. Lynch. The remains were escorted by Post 58, G. A. R., a delegation from the Kearsarge Naval Veterans Association, and the Grand Army club of Massachusetts. Mr. Mahoney was the first member of the newly organized Y. M. C. A. of Weymouth to die.

The floral tributes were many and beautiful; among which were:

Wreath of Galax leaves, violets, roses, from family.

Pillow of hyacinths, Easter lilies and maiden hair fern, from Mr. Eugene W. Connor.

Wreath of roses and smilax from G. A. R.

Panel of calla lilies from J. L. Bates, S. of V.

Wreath of violets, ivy leaves and pansies from D. M. Easton, Preston Lewis, G. W. Baker, Dr. Chase, Fred Humphrey and Robert Mills.

Panel pink carnations, from Weymouth Y. M. C. A.

Anchor and base of roses, pinks and palms from Kearsarge N. V.

Panel of calla lilies and violets, from Mrs. McCue and family.

Wreath of violets, hyacinths and maiden hair fern, from Col. and Mrs. A. C. Drinkwater and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Drinkwater.

Panel pink carnations, from Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Clapp.

Wreath of roses, violets and galax, leaves, from Hon. Robert A. Southworth of Brookline.

Panel of white carnations, from Mr. Frederick Taylor of Newton.

Wreath of roses, galax leaves from Mr. and Mrs. John Shaw and family of Brighton.

Panel of white and pink carnations from A. Lucia Farnell of Waltham.

Panel of calla lilies and violets from Dr. and Mrs. Chase.

Panel of calla lilies and violets from Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Halnan and family.

Panel of calla lilies and ferns from Mr. Michael McGrath and family.

Panel of white carnations from Mr. and Mrs. Irving Loud and Mr. A. C. French.

Panel of ivy leaves and white carnations from H. Franklin Perry.

Panel of calla lilies and galax leaves and hyacinths from Mrs. Mary White.

Panel of white carnations from Eugene Ernest Smith.

The members of the G. A. R. conducted services at the tomb, the pall bearers being Michael McGrath, Elbridge Nash, Post 58, G. A. R.; Col. George W. Nason, Thomas J. Trite, G. A. R. club; Freeman A. Langley, Peter V. Ludey, Kearsarge N. V. A.

Wollaston Funerals.

The funeral of Mrs. Randall T. Capen of Madison, Wis., was held Monday from the home of her father, Rev. Thomas S. Barbour of Beach street, Wollaston, where Mrs. Capen became a happy bride less than eleven months ago. The services were conducted by Rev. Edmund D. Webber, assisted by Rev. Henry C. Mabie of Roxbury.

During the services "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and "Shall We Meet Beyond the River" were sung by the mourners, many of whom were present at the wedding. The burial was at Forest Hills where the commitment services were held by Rev. E. A. Capen, father-in-law of the bride.

The funeral of Joseph H. Lord was held Monday afternoon from his late residence at Wollaston. As a mark of respect all business houses were closed during the services. Rev. William J. Heath officiated.

Among the many floral tributes was a large wreath from the business men of Wollaston.

The burial was at Mt. Wollaston where the commitment services were read at the grave by the chaplain of John Hancock lodge of Odd Fellows.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Monday, March 14.

John Andrews, W. R. Cole Baker, Howard W. Call, Henry Chamberlin, J. E. Downs, James Gale, George Hamilton, H. E. Hayden, E. L. Henry, Antonio Mascioli, James Mulboland, T. M. Shaw, Peter Sherley, Arthur Thompson, Purificoti Vencenzo.

Mrs. William Muir, Mrs. Lizi Ulvila.

"A Railroad Beautiful"

Is the title of an interesting critism by Charles Mulford Robinson of the Boston & Albany R. R. artistic suburban stations and landscape gardening. It is reissued in pamphlet form and may be secured by addressing A. S Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt., Boston.

THE DINING ROOM.

It Should Be Clean and Bright, With Good Ventilation.

The first essentials for an "ideal dining room" are cleanliness, sunshine and good ventilation. Having these, the rest will follow in more or less attractive form. The memory of morning sunshine at the breakfast table promotes cheer throughout the day, and the family that has it is blessed. To come into a well aired, sunshiny, sweet, cleanly dining room is indeed a boon, and it comes quite within the reach of most people if they will insist upon having it.

Let there be absolute cleanliness of floor, rug, windows, draperies, furniture and all appointments, the furniture appropriate to the room and the room used for no other purpose than its direct object. The paper should be decorative and harmonious with the woods. There should be one or two pictures at the most, preferably portraits. The draperies should be neutral and simple in design. Great care should be taken that they do not exclude light. No one wants to eat in a dark dining room, day or night. The chairs, table, sideboard, serving table, should be of solid wood, with good design in color and style appropriate to the rest of the room. Better economize in almost any other way than with cheap furniture.

Let the table be always set with the greatest care and precision, a pleasure to all who sit at it, following out the main idea of the whole room—that cleanliness and simplicity are better than dirt and elegance.—New York Tribune.

THE AGE QUESTION.

A Woman Is Just as Old as Her Friends Allow Her to Be.

The familiar adage that a woman is as old as she looks is absurd. A woman is as old as her friends allow her to be. At seven and thirty we may look ten years younger, and we may feel twenty, while we may say we are anything we like, but we can never escape the relentless memory of that family friend who remembers not only the year, but the month, in which we were born.

There is always a horrible man, from whom there is no escaping, who remembers pulling our pigtail a quarter of a century ago, when he was in sailor suits, or a spiteful woman who has a distinct recollection of us at her first ball, and we were "quite on the shelf then," she remarks.

Should there be any doubt on the subject a year or two are always added, never by any chance taken off.

A man marries a woman older than himself, it may be only a year, possibly only a few months. It promptly gets about, and for the rest of her life people will say that she is years and years older than he is.

Short of producing her birth certificate nobody will believe anything to the contrary, and those family friends who are so fond of airing dates to prove how old you are invariably maintain a lamentable silence when it comes to proving how young you are.

STANDING AND WALKING.

Don't stand with the weight of the body on one hip.

Don't hold the chest up so high that it becomes an effort.

Don't stand with the weight of the body against the spine.

Don't cover the top of your collar with your neck. Hold your head up.

Don't keep your eyes on the ground when walking. Keep them on a level.

Don't wear your clothing so tight that it interferes with your breathing.

Don't walk with the weight on the heels. Walk with the weight on the balls of the feet.

Don't wear high heels for walking. Wear low heels, which leave the body in its normal position.

Don't walk with the back bent back. Bend neither forward nor backward, but keep the spine straight.—Exchange.

Mother and Teacher.

The school work is really under the mother's patronage; she should help the teacher, as she does the grocer, by impartial judgment of matters near to her. Many a mother who will consult with her butcher over the best cut of steak or roast will toss her head in affront if asked to counsel with a conscientious teacher over the best means of making Jack or Susie progress most rapidly toward intelligent manhood or womanhood. Many a teacher is far better qualified to see beyond the child's school horizon than the mother thinks possible. Many a mother can give great help to the earnest woman whom she often passes by as an "old maid schoolma'am."—Good Housekeeping.

The Straightforward Girl.

Perhaps the most attractive of all women, the one who captivates the quickest and keeps one captivated the longest, is the woman or the girl who acts in an honest, free, yet not too free, way; the girl who can look at one clearly and laugh with one heartily; the girl who is sympathetic, feminine, sweet in voice, yet wholly free from affectation and without a trace of aggressiveness in her makeup. This sort of girl, if she is endowed with any degree of good looks, will pass as a great beauty.

Food and Paper.

Food articles that are damp should never be left in ordinary paper. Paper is made of wood pulp, rags, glue, lime and similar substances intermixed with acids and chemicals. When damp it should not be allowed to come in contact with things that are to be eaten.

THE DERELICT

[Original.]

I made my strike in the detective business in a very singular way. I was sent to England to follow up a clew which might expedite an extradition case. Two days before reaching port we came upon a derelict. No one of us at first supposed her to be a derelict, for she appeared to be perfectly seaworthy. Some of her foresails were set and caught the breeze, but there was no one on deck, not even at the tiller. After hailing her repeatedly without answer our captain sent a boat to her, and I secured permission to go along.

She proved to be the brigantine Martha Conner of Liverpool. There was not a sign of her having struck a rock, collided or passed through a storm. Both hull and rigging were in good order. Within, all was shipshape. The only thing wanting to a ship in commission was an adequate supply of provisions. In one of the staterooms was a guitar and sheets of music on a table; also a sewing basket containing scissors, needles, thimbles, etc. The log had been kept regularly until Aug. 10, when the ship was off Newfoundland, with not an unusual entry, but after that date there was no record.

The captain ordered a prize crew aboard the Martha Conner, and I remained with them, determined to discover the cause of her abandonment. As soon as we were pointed for the British coast I began to study every possible clew, but at the end of two days the matter was as mysterious to me as when I boarded the vessel.

On the morning of the third day I was standing on deck before a small cabin used for the chartroom when I noticed some scratches on a glass window that looked like letters. I drew nearer and read, written with a diamond, doubtless set in a ring, the words, "Ellen Dexter shut up here Aug. 4." They were written more like scratches than words, doubtless to avoid attracting the attention of whoever had made the woman a prisoner. Here was a beginning. Eagerly I hunted through the room in search of a further clew, but found nothing. Indeed that little sentence was all there was aboard the ship to indicate the nature of what had occurred. The same day we made port, and I reluctantly went ashore.

Upon inquiry I learned that no member of the crew of the Martha Conner had ever turned up. By consulting the record of missing ships I discovered not only that the Martha Conner had not been heard from, but that the Penguin, a small schooner that had sailed from Boston for Havre on the 7th of August, was also missing. It occurred to me that there might be some connection between the two cases.

I advertised widely in England for information of relatives of Ellen Dexter and received a reply from a man living in York asking the cause of my inquiry, stating that Ellen Dexter, his daughter, a girl of twenty, had sailed in the Martha Conner two years before for America, and neither the vessel nor the girl had ever been heard from. He wrote hoping that I had information to impart. I went to York to meet him and learned only what he had written. Mr. Dexter was a tradesman with some accumulation of property and was ready to spend it all to prosecute the case. I saw little hope, but agreed on my return to America to stop at Newfoundland.

Having finished my business in England, I took a steamer for Nova Scotia and on arriving there went to a point on the coast a hundred miles south, as nearest to the reckoning laid down in the log of the Martha Conner. Proceeding along the coast, I made constant inquiries for Ellen Dexter. I did not find any one who had even heard of her by name, but I did find a village where the people reported that the day after the date entered on the log of the Martha Conner a young woman came ashore in a boat. She was crazed with the trouble through which she had passed and had been sent to a public asylum for the insane.

I went to the insane asylum and found a young woman who could remember nothing of her past. She was, however, well except in this respect. I called her Ellen Dexter, and her face lighted up. I had succeeded.

I wrote Mr. Dexter, who came for her and took her home. She finally recovered her memory and told the following story, or all of it that came back to her impaired memory:

The captain was weak; the first mate a fiend. He made the crew believe that they were badly treated and led them into mutiny. They killed the captain and put the first mate in his place. What to do with Ellen Dexter, the only woman aboard, was a puzzle. They confined her in the chartroom, and she expected to be put out of their way by murder. The men soon realized that they had placed their necks in a halter. Meeting the schooner Penguin, they took possession of her and, deserting their own ship, a slow sailer, sailed for unfrequented seas. They forced the crew of the Penguin to join them and kept them in their service for several years. They had not so soon become sufficiently hardened to crime to kill a woman directly, so they put Miss Dexter in a boat, expecting her to die a worse death indirectly.

The owners of the Martha Conner, the British government and others offered me a large sum to find the mutineers and bring them to justice. I succeeded in doing so, but how I got on their track and nabbed them is as strange a story as this one and needs to be told by itself. I found them on the China coast making a living as pirates. With the aid of a United States gunboat I captured them, took them to England, and every man was executed.

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LEDGER ADS.

PAY BEST.

A CHALLENGE TO MAKAROFF

Japs Said to Have Bombarded Port Arthur on Saturday

REPORT IS "AUTHENTIC"

Says That Japanese Were In No Danger and That Russian Casualties Amounted to Three Hundred--Report of Blocking of Harbor Entrance Discredited--Russians May Consider Dash From Port Arthur Worth the Risk--Will Not Evacuate

London, March 16.—While there is no actual news from the theatre of war, rumors are plentiful. The Daily Express correspondent at Berlin gives an alleged official intimation from the Russian ambassador, Count Osten-Sacken, that Vice Admiral Makaroff has mined all the coast of the peninsula at Port Arthur, the situation of the mines extending three miles seaward.

A correspondent of The Daily Telegraph at Yin Kow says that the Japanese again attacked Port Arthur March 12 as a challenge for Vice Admiral Makaroff to come out and fight. During the heavy bombardment, the correspondent says, the Japanese were in no danger from the guns of the fortress. The Russian casualties amounted to 300 killed or wounded. The correspondent adds that this is authentic.

No consideration should be given the story that the Russians at Port Arthur have blocked the entrance to the harbor by sinking four vessels, having previously moved their fleet to the outer harbor, where it remains with steam up. Such a move would mean its almost immediate destruction by the overwhelming fire which the Japanese could concentrate upon it.

That the Russian fleet is maneuvering with the possible intention of leaving the harbor and forming a junction with the Vladivostok fleet is believable. A union of the two fleets under the defenses of Vladivostok, which are much stronger, in that they are better placed than those of Port Arthur, would be a very proper move, if it could be accomplished. It would be a sort of a forlorn hope, but as Port Arthur is bound to be isolated by the Japanese at no distant day and as it has been shown that the Japanese, from behind the Liao Tishin promontory, where they are comparatively safe from the fire of the Russian forts, can throw shells into the inner harbor where the ships are anchored and into the town itself, such a dash may be considered worth the risk.

The statement of Rear Admiral Inglis that Vladivostok does not count further and that probably the Japanese have mined the entrance to Port Arthur so that Russian ships cannot get out, may be taken as the prejudiced view of a pro-Japanese commentator.

WILL HOLD PORT ARTHUR

Abandonment Has Not Even Been Considered by Russians

St. Petersburg, March 16.—From the highest official quarter the information is absolutely no foundation for the rumors persistently sent out from Tokio that the Russians are abandoning Port Arthur.

The newspapers here manifest indignation over the report, The Boerse Gazette characterizing it as outrageous and a British invention. Attention is re-directed to the order of the day, issued by Lieutenant General Stoessel, commander at Port Arthur, in which he declared that that place would never be surrendered as representing the Russian position. Relative to this point a military officer said:

"The mere statement carries its own refutation, unless we meant to beat an ignoble retreat all along the line. If we abandon Port Arthur we leave our fleet there to be doomed. It is too absurd to discuss."

General Kuropatkin expects to reach Mukden March 26. Everything will be sidetracked in order to get him to the front on schedule time. The general may proceed on a flying visit to Port Arthur, but he is more likely to enter at once upon his duties as commander-in-chief of the Manchurian army. He bears an autograph letter from the emperor to Viceroy Alexieff, to whom he will report. It is understood that the viceroy then will turn over the entire direction of the land operations to General Kuropatkin, who will transmit his reports to the emperor through the viceroy, but practically this is the only point on which Viceroy Alexieff will maintain superiority.

Kaiser Visits King Alfonso

Vigo, March 16.—Steamer Koenig Albert, with Emperor William of Germany aboard, arrived here last evening. The river was illuminated and hundreds of bonfires were burning on the surrounding heights in honor of the visiting monarch.

Chinamen Gathered In

Jacksonville, Fla., March 16.—All the Chinese places in this city were raided last night and as a result 27 Chinamen were arrested for violation of the Chinese exclusion act. They will be tried before Commissioner Locke.

Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi L. Barker of East Weymouth celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage on Sunday. Their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, besides many friends gathered at their home 731 Pleasant street and observed the occasion fittingly.

Mr. Barker was born in Cohasset July 25, 1818. He attended the public schools of that town, and in 1832 went to Boston to learn the carpenter's trade. For twenty-three years he was employed in the Weymouth Iron Company and remained there until the company went out of business. Mr. Barker has been married twice. His first wife was Johanna Sutton, while his second marriage was with Sara J., daughter of Capt. Joseph Hawes of Weymouth.

The couple are enjoying good health. Mr. Barker has five children: Mrs. A. J. Burrell, Warren W. Barker, Mrs. Chas. Hawes, Mrs. Chas. E. Ford and Mrs. Chas. Lovell.

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School Property of City Valued at Half a Million.

The following summary is from the forthcoming annual report of Supt. Parlin, and shows that nine of the thirteen school houses of the city have seats in excess of the proper limit of the buildings:

SCHOOL PROPERTY

SCHOOLS.	BUILT.	EN-LARGED.	*VALUE.	ROOMS.	†CA-PACITY.	†SEATS.	MATE-RIAL.	HEAT-ING.	VENTI-LATION.	SANITARY.
High,	1894		$77,000	12	400	465	Brick	Hot-air	Good	Dry closet
Adams,	1855	1879	25,000	10	466	467	Wood	Hot-air	Good	Dry closet
Coddington,	1855	1876	26,500	10[1]	390	448	Wood	Stoves	None	Water
Cranch,	1900		40,000	9	426	426	Brick	Steam	Good	Water
Gridley Bryant,	1896		38,000	9	426	426	Brick	Steam	Good	Dry closet
John Hancock,	1886		40,100	9	450	490	Brick	Steam	Fair	Water
Lincoln,	1892		28,500	8	396	427	Brick	Steam	Good	Water
Massachusetts Fields,	1896		39,075	9	426	426	Brick	Steam	Good	Dry closet
Quincy,	1873		20,500	8	288	380	Wood	Steam	None	Dry closet
Washington,	1903		57,050	10	475	475	Brick	Steam	Good	Water
Willard,	1891		112,700	20	920	935	Brick	Hot-air	Good	Water
Wollaston,	1873	1890	27,000	8[2]	330	360	Wood	Hot-air	Good	Water
Old High,	1852		6,000	3	130	136	Wood	Hot-air	None	§
Land, Quincy Neck,			500							
Furniture, books, apparatus, etc.,			32,600							
Grand Total.			$570,525		5,523	5,861				

*Assessors' valuation 1903. †"Capacity" means the proper limit, and "Seats" the actual number. 1. Two buildings in one yard (7 and 3 rooms). 2. In addition a small hall poorly lighted. § Old fashioned out-buildings.

HOW MANY NEW ROOMS

Are Needed to Accommodate Quincy High School Pupils?

Almost Enough Children Now to Fill Two Twelve Room Buildings.

The attention of the Ledger has been called by a member of the Committee on Public Buildings of the City Council, to the fact that the proposed addition to the High schoolhouse is in excess of the present requirements of the school. The proposed addition has eight rooms, and it is claimed it will accommodate 430 more pupils. He says the building was designed for 350, and the enlarged building is expected to accommodate 780.

Mr. Tobias H. Burke at the West Quincy meeting quoted the following figures, showing the number of pupils from each ward in the High school at the present time:

Ward One,	105
Ward Two,	51
Ward Three,	111
Ward Four,	117
Ward Five,	151
Ward Six,	74
Total,	609

According to these figures the enlarged High school will have but 171 more seats than required, and will not long provide accommodations for all pupils. It should be remembered that many children have been diverted from the High school for various reasons; some because the school is overcrowded; some because they would have been compelled to attend the old building on High School avenue; some to fill up the Woodward Institute.

When ample accommodations are provided for High school pupils, and the corps of teachers is enlarged, there will be a reaction; so that it is safe to say that the entire capacity for 780 will be needed when provided.

Again is it not unreasonable to put forth the claim that an addition of eight rooms will accommodate 430 more pupils? It might on a pinch in a primary or grammar building. But it is an average of 56 pupils to a room, and too many.

In a High school it is said classes should not average over 20. The eight rooms on this basis would provide for but eight classes or 160 pupils, about the number who now attend the old building.

The old High is classed as a three-room building, but in addition to these, ante rooms and corridors are pressed into service for class rooms. The new High is a twelve-room building, but in addition two classes use the corridors, one the principal's office, and one a laboratory without windows. Evidently more than eight new class rooms are needed today. If all the High school pupils were sent to what is now called the new High school, it would be crowded even with eight additional rooms.

Supt. Parlin estimates the capacity or proper limit of the new High school at 400. With another High school on the same plans, Quincy would have accommodations for but 800 pupils.



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Powder Explosion Suits.

A number of suits against the American Powder Mills, to recover for injuries and deaths resulting from the explosion at Tewksbury last July, were entered in the Middlesex court Tuesday, says the Herald. The powder company is charged with violating the law in not notifying the proper authorities of the fact that more than 100 pounds of powder was in storage, and negligence is also charged. The total number of suits against the powder company and the United States Cartridge Company has nearly reached the 200 mark.

Electric vs. Steam.

Conductor Craig is now number six in his class in the Herald contest. He must move up at least one if his friends are to send him to the World's Fair. A good fight is being made. The fact that he is about the only representative of the Old Colony street railway system of southeastern Massachusetts should be emphasized and advertised all over the system. It should draw support. Five N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. men are now ahead of him.

—This year the Harvard class day exercises will be held at the new stadium.

A GOOD LAUGH.

Rev. John Snyder Lectures on the American Humorist.

There was a good attendance at the First church chapel on Tuesday evening, at the lecture under the auspices of the Woman's Alliance. It was the second in the course and was by the Rev. John Snyder of Wellesley, who took for his subject, "The Evolution of the American Humorist."

Rev. Mr. Snyder was a classmate of Rev. Mr. Butler who introduced him.

In opening the speaker said, humor marks the highest steps of people's cultivation, the growth of self consciousness. He did not think the negro a humorist, however, for his humor was created by a superior race. He only imitates the white man. It is from the Greeks that we get the most humorous stories. With them it is an unconscious growth.

The first humorous song ever written was that sung by Morton's men about the May pole at Mt. Wollaston. We have to wait a hundred or two hundred years before we get the next humorous poetry. This was De Vials cat. The speaker then traced the growth of the humorous from that time down to the present time, and he read selections from such well known writers as Artemas Ward, who was the first humorist to secure a national and international reputation; Oliver Wendell Holmes, James Russell Lowell, George W. Cable, Mark Twain, and others.

During the lecture the speaker frequently threw in a few side remarks, of a humorous vein of his own, and the audience was frequently convulsed with laughter.

Borrowed Without Authority.

When the funds of the city of Malden run low, and taxes were uncollected, Mayor Dean without authority borrowed $35,000 to meet the exigency. All was paid Jan. 21 but it is making lots of talk in the Malden board of aldermen.

The Standard Highway of Travel Between New England and the St. Louis Exposition

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TODAY'S COURT.

Fred Ryan was fined $15 for drunkenness at Quincy.

—Brockton has secured a favorable report in the Legislature authorizing a loan of $200,000 outside the limit for High school building; and also $100,000 for water loan.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 14, 1904. The Committee on Roads and Bridges will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 820 (accompanying the petition of P. T. Fallon) for legislation relative to the construction of a bridge over Quincy Town river in the city of Quincy, at room No. 425, State House, on Friday March 18, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. CARLETON F. HOW, Chairman. M. FITZGERALD, Clerk of the Committee. 16 2t

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NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of

JOHN A. WIGHT,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to me,

GEORGE BOWMAN, Administrator.
(Address) 115 Intervale street.
Quincy, March 16, 1904. 3t--16-23-30

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of

ELIZABETH S. BARKER,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to William P. Barker of said Quincy, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D., 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1904.

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

The movement of the West Quincy Improvemnnt society toward a new railroad depot in that section is a step in the right direction. If a new depot was ever needed anywhere it is at West Quincy.

The new Hancock street bridge over the railroad at Atlantic on the proposed plans should be a great improvement in many ways. First, it will remove the street congestion at this point, and give people sidewalks which will be safer and in wet weather dryer. Second, the street railway can complete its double trackage from Boston to City Square, Quincy, saving annoying waits. Third, it will give the city a better appearance on driving into it from Boston, and at the same time greatly improve appearances in the vicinity. Fourth, it will bring about sooner a four track system on the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. between Boston and Braintree. Other benefits might be mentioned.

Drift of Opinion.

☞If you are "bilious" you cannot be sure of going down the Kirker-Bender fire-escapes without being dizzy when you reach the end. Otherwise there will be no trouble, the agents say. Perhaps there will be room enough for the bilious to escape in other ways. Anyhow it is better to be dizzy than to burn.—Brockton Enterprise.

☞Modern religious heretics have good audiences when they go out to address the multitude. Apparently the same rule applies to political heretics. Eugene N. Foss, who has no standing whatever with the truly orthodox, and whose aspiration to be a member of the national Republican convention is considered to be impious, is neverless having crowds to hear him talk.—New Bedford Standard.

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A GREAT IRISH COUP

Balfour Ministry Beaten In the House of Commons

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Government Won on Crucial Vote After Hustling For Absentees and Will Not Resign--Conservatives Caught Napping

London, March 16.—Premier Balfour's government was defeated in the house of commons by the combined Liberal and Nationalist vote, due to the prohibition by Chief Secretary for Ireland Windham of teaching of Gaelic in the junior grades of the Irish nationalist schools. Premier Balfour, though defeated by a majority of 11, on this question, does not regard the vote as one of want of confidence and he will not resign on this account.

The failure of the government to carry the house with it on a question of purely administrative policy in its Irish department is generally admitted to greatly weaken its already waning prestige with the country.

"Those terrible Irish," as they are described for the moment by the Unionists, were entirely responsible for Balfour's defeat. On the question of Catholic education, Monday night the Nationalists had voted with the Unionist government, but even while so doing they were planning the downfall of the Conservatives.

When the house of commons met at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon the metropolis was steeped in its usual murky tranquility. Scattered throughout the clubs, hotels and restaurants, the Unionist commoners languidly discussed the war news and everything else except politics. All thought that the Irish members would take up the whole of the afternoon with a verbose discussion of a question of but little interest except to the speakers themselves. In this serenity of the luncheon hour hordes of newspaper boys suddenly appeared yelling "The government defeated."

The early afternoon papers only gave the figures of the voting on division and readers were left to guess whether or not the government had resigned. A wild rush was made for the house of commons and many elderly members ran half a mile or more, while others drove recklessly to Westminster.

Within the house of commons itself strange scenes were being enacted. An unusually short list of questions had brought on the business of the day nearly half an hour ahead of the usual time. Then languidly the house resolved itself into committee of supply to discuss the vote for Irish education, which had already been debated. John Redmond made a complaint about the prohibition of Gaelic in the schools, but instead of a long speech which it would seem he had prepared, the Irish leader said only a few words.

Mr. Wyndham replied with equal brevity, and it was evident he was saving himself for a string of protests from other Irish members. No one rose to reply to Wyndham, the Irish party for once utilizing silence as its deadliest weapon. Redmond had said there were to be no speeches and though the rank and file of the Nationalists did not know the reason, not having been admitted to the secret plans set on foot the previous evening by their leader and chief whip, Sir Thomas Esmonde, they obeyed implicitly. Discipline triumphed and not one word came from the Irish benches. The Liberals, too, sat silent, though they were ignorant of the projected coup and without a reply a division was inevitable. Only then did Wyndham and the government whips realize how deliberately they had been outwitted.

John Redmond and Esmonde had planned the division for 3 o'clock and the bells clanged out through the house at 2:55. In desperation the government whips sent messengers in cabs and with telegrams and to the telephones, but without avail, for when the tellers of the vote returned the clerk of the house handed Esmonde the coveted little slip of paper which is given to the winning side.

In a second the members who had crowded in realized that the government had been beaten and then there arose such cheers as Westminster has not heard for many a day. Several times Esmonde tried to read out the figures, but his voice was drowned in the uproar. Finally there was comparative quiet, and Esmonde read: "Ayes, 141; noes, 130." The government was defated by 11 votes. At this the storm of cheering broke out afresh.

A rush to the lobby followed and the members animatedly discussed whether or not Balfour would resign. The premier, however, quickly set these doubts at rest by saying that he saw no reason for such action. Thanks to the prolonged exuberance of the Irish cheers and the hectoring of Balfour, the government whips got the chance of summoning their absent supporters, and when, about 10 minutes later, Redmond moved to report progress on the ground that the government had not a majority able to transact the business of the country, the government secured the narrow majority of 25.

If the division had occurred a few minutes earlier the government inevitably would have been defeated and compelled to resign. To avert this, old men who had not run for many a year came rushing into the house, painfully out of breath.

BOSTON'S DRUNKARDS

Ministers Think the Estimate of 29,000 Is Too Low

Boston, March 16.—Several of the ministers of Boston, commenting on the statement of Judge Emmons, chairman of the police commission, to the effect that the city of Boston contains 29,000 drunkards, tell how the army of Boston drunkards could be reduced by closing all saloons. Judge Emmons' definition of a drunkard is substantially a person who, through indulgence of intoxicants, has lost control of himself physically and mentally.

Rev. A. C. Dixon of the Ruggles Street Baptist church said: "I believe that 59,000 would not number the drunkards in this city."

Rev. V. A. Cooper, head of the Little Wanderers' home: "I suppose Judge Emmons gets his figures—29,000—from police books. But, of course, these do not include the many thousands who drink to excess and never get into the toils of the police."

Rev. W. C. Rhoades: "If Judge Emmons' 29,000 drunks refer to persons arrested in greater Boston, as I suppose they do, that makes it only one person in 40."

Rev. H. W. Ewing, pastor of the Winthrop Street Methodist Episcopal church: "If the figures refer to the city proper, they show a terrible condition of affairs."

Aged Woman Badly Burned

North Adams, Mass., March 16.—During a fire in a three-story apartment house on North Main street Mrs. Mary A. Shea, 70 years old, was terribly burned. She will probably die. Mrs. Danforth, who resides on the second floor of the building, smelled smoke and going upstairs entered an unoccupied room, the door, which works with a spring lock, closing upon her. Her screams brought assistance, but not until she was overcome by smoke. The material loss amounted to $3000.

Promise of Good Sugar Season

Chester, Vt., March 16.—Simultaneously with the first fall of "sugar snow" several sugar orchards were tapped. These are unusually early orchards, but the breaking of roads into the lots has become general. Sugar makers predict that the season will be a good one from the fact that the ground is frozen hard and that there is an unusually large amount of snow among the trees. Last year was a poor one for the farmers.

Tufts Girls In Male Attire

Medford, Mass., March 16.—The Tufts college coeds proclaimed their independence last night by giving a big dance and shutting the men out completely. Nearly 100 of the fair collegians gathered and fully one-half of them were clad in masculine attire, for while they could dispense with the men themselves they had to keep up appearances.

From One Prison to Another

Boston, March 16.—Convicted of robbing and assaulting Charles Kruming in a house at the South End in January, 1901, Smooth Harris, a negro, was sentenced to a term of from 9 to 12 years in state prison. He had just completed a three-year sentence in the Concord, N. H., state prison.

O'Connor's Mind Unbalanced

Boston, March 16.—Dennis O'Connor, who was indicted last week by the Suffolk county grand jury on the charge of murder, has been committed to the insane asylum at Danvers as an insane person. It was alleged that O'Connor shot his brother James.

Must Be Tried For Peonage

Savannah, Ga., March 16.—Judge Speer, in the United States court, overruled demurrers in the peonage cases against ex-Sheriff McClellan and Attorney Crawley of Ware county and ordered the cases to trial. The demurrers denied the jurisdiction of the federal court and asserted the competence of the state courts to take any needed action. Judge Speer's decision directed that the defendants be brought forward to plead and stand trial.

Strikers Resort to Violence

New York, March 16.—Five hundred members of the Housewreckers and Second-hand Building Material Handlers' union went on strike against three companies, dealing in second-hand building materials. The companies refused to renew their signatures to the agreement with the union signed last year. Several times yesterday trucks in charge of non-union men were attacked and the men dragged from them and beaten.

Smith's Wives Hold Reunion

Salt Lake City, March 16.—A family reunion signalized the return to Salt Lake of Joseph F. Smith, president of the Mormon church. Smith went to the Bee Hive house, where he held a reception of his five wives and 32 of his 42 children. After this formal greeting the president visited the homes of his wives, whither the women and the younger children had preceded him.

Fortifications Bill Passed

Washington, March 16.—The senate passed the fortification appropriation bill after a three hours' discussion of the amendment authorizing the purchase of an experimental torpedo boat and the provision for the purchase of sites for defense works in the Hawaiian islands. The torpedo boat provision was stubbornly fought, but the amendment was retained.

Tillman's Throat Much Better

Washington, March 16.—Senator Tillman's throat trouble has practically disappeared and he has recovered so greatly from his attack of the grip that it is expected he will leave the city for the south by the end of the week.

CITY BREVITIES.

Arthur O'Neil has returned from New Hampshire where he has been some months.

On Thursday evening at 6.30 an Irish supper will be served in the vestry of the Wollaston Baptist church.

It looks as though the young people would not have an opportunity to use their skates again this winter.

Those young engineers at City Hall have passed through the hands of the tonsorial artist and once more look presentable.

There is one consolation about the last fall of snow and that is, owing to the high sun, it will not remain with us long.

Friday afternoon at 3.30 the Loyal Temperance legion will meet in the vestry of the Wollaston Congregational church.

Tuesday's snow storm was No. 34. About two inches of snow fell, and a few sleighs ventured out yesterday and this morning.

Thomas Murphy, formerly of the West Quincy and Dorchester base ball teams will coach the English High nine of Boston this season.

The granite men report that the weather this winter has been such that they will be unable to get their Memorial Day orders off in time.

The lenten sewing meeting will take place in the parish rooms of St. Chrysostom's church on Friday at 2.30 P. M. At 4 P. M. there will be a service and address. At 4.30 P. M. the Sunshine club will hold its meeting.

The orders for food from the Christain Endeavor bakery are rapidly increasing, although the bakery does not open until next Saturday. With such industrial and energetic workers as Miss Lillian Hammond and Mrs. Karl Yeinschenk as backers any effort ought to be successful.

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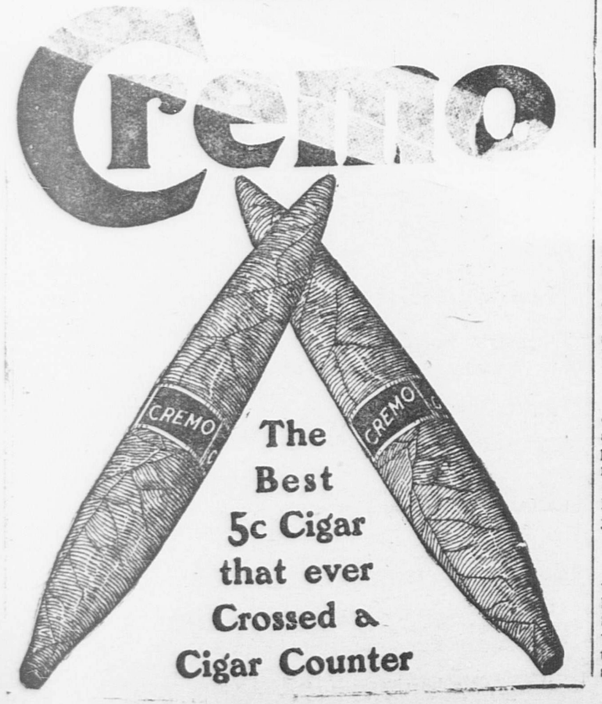
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BURTON'S WARNING

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OUR INCREASE IN WEALTH

Though It Grows Faster Than Expenditures the Cost of Education and Military Naval Armament Makes Inroads

Washington, March 16.—Mr. Burton of Ohio delivered a carefully prepared speech in the house on the subject of increases in national expenditure. He pointed out the steady growth of the expenses of all civilized states, and showed that a marked tendency in this direction began in about 1830, but that the increase has been especially notable in the last 20 years. Comparison of the expenses in the different countries since 1880 showed that those of France had shown the least increase. The United States, Great Britain, Russia and Germany, in the order named, had shown the largest increases. It was pointed out, however, that a mere comparison of aggregate totals was unsatisfactory and even illusory, because of the difference in the methods of bookkeeping and in the scope of national undertakings.

Mr. Burton called attention to government ownership of railways in continental Europe, and also to the different scope of local and national activities there and here. The contrast between the United States and France in this respect is very marked. About 60 percent of taxation in France is applied towards expenses of the central government; in the United States only 30 percent is so applied.

Among the causes of the great increase were enumerated higher cost of personal services, but more especially military and naval armament, which shows on a peace footing, a great growth in the last 25 years. Nowhere has the increase for the army and navy been more marked than here, this cost being four times in 1902 what it was in 1880. Expenses for internal development are not increasing as rapidly in the respective countries as those which pertain to preparations for war.

Mr. Burton, however, noted as a tendency on the other side that no single item of expenditure is increasing more rapidly in cost than education He also said that national expenditures, while increasing rapidly, and much faster than population, are not outrunning the growth in wealth, as officially estimated. The expenses of the United States government in 1890 and 1900 were less, in proportion to the country's wealth, than in 1850. This, however, should not be accepted as an excuse for extravagance.

In touching upon the possible defects of our financial system, Mr. Burton dwelt on the fact that for many years the treasury department has had to do with surpluses rather than deficits, but that the time may be approaching when, with the increase of expenditure, different conditions may exist and other means of taxation must be employed. He compared our financial machinery with that of other countries, alluding to the lack of co-operation between those departments of the legislative branch which furnish the revenue, and those which bring in appropriation bills; also the dispersion of appropriation bills among divers committees, which was likely, he said, to swell the expenses of their own department, without due regard to the comparative needs of the whole service.

Mr. Burton warned his hearers against extravagance, saying: "We cannot allow ourselves to be excused for extravagances by the enormous increase in the wealth of the country." He urged the adoption of a policy of conservatism and of the utmost care, citing the large sums annually appropriated for pensions. Mr. Burton said he was in hearty sympathy with the idea and remarked that no one will hesitate to pass any measure which gives due reward to the soldiers of the Civil war in their old age, "but," he continued, "the question arises under what rule should this appropriation be made." He inquired if congress was willing to establish in this country the standard that for patriotism, for devotion to country the chief reward must

Joseph Bell, a miner, forced a poker through the eye and into the brain of James O'Brien, boss at the Barton Coal works, during a quarrel in a boarding house here last night. O'Brien was instantly killed and Bell was arrested and lodged in jail.

Postmaster an Alleged Thief

New York, March 16.—On a charge of embezzling government funds amounting to $344, August Hauser, postmaster at Hicksville, L. I., was arrested there and later arraigned before Commissioner Morle in Brooklyn and held to await the action of the grand jury.

Mining Operations Suspended

Mahanoy City, Pa., March 16.—For the first time in three years orders have been posted at all collieries in the Schuylkill region announcing that they will be worked only half time until further notice. All mining operations were shut down today till Monday.

OLD GLORY BADGES

They Protected Americans on Journey Through Korea

Chemulpo, March 16.—The United States cruiser Cincinnati has returned here from Chinnampo with a number of American refugees from the American company's mine at Unsan and missions in that vicinity. The party consists of three men and 22 women and children. All are well. They praise the kindness of the officers of the Cincinnati, who gave up their cabins to them.

The refugees travelled from Unsan to Chinnampo in carts bearing American flags and were escorted as far as Ping Yang by a band from the mines. They were unmolested. Near Anju they met two small groups of Cossacks. During the party's stay at Ping Yang the Japanese officials requested them to wear badges bearing the American colors, in order that they might be allowed to leave and enter the town freely. The party was stopped five times by Japanese soldiers, of whom the party saw great numbers along the road to the coast. The Japanese treated them very courteously.

An American miner returning from the mines at Unsan was arrested north of Ping Yang by the Japanese on suspicion of being a Russian spy. He was released when his identity was established.

Waiting to Join Squadron

St. Petersburg, March 16.—Lieutenant McCully, United States naval attache with the Russian navy, has arrived here. He will remain in this city until facilities are afforded him to join the Russian squadron. Lieutenant Commander Smith, naval attache of the United States embassies at Paris and St. Petersburg, will return to Paris March 19.

Wouldn't Fight For Russia

New York, March 16.—Steamer Bluecher, from Hamburg, brought 1765 steerage passengers, the majority of whom were refugees from Russia, who fled the country to avoid serving in the army. Many of them gave accounts of their escape across the Russian frontier.

Two Victims of Starvation

Philadelphia, March 16.—Mary Farrell, aged 61, was found dead, and her sister, Mrs. Bridget Kennedy, 65 years old, was found demented in an unfurnished frame house here, the result, according to the police, of starvation. The dead woman and her sister were entirely nude when found, the demented woman having stripped the clothing from both their persons and torn it into shreds. Neighbors say that the old couple were left in the empty house five weeks ago by a nephew and niece, for whom the police are in search.

Strikers Indulge In Rioting

Chicago, March 16.—After a day of rioting in which several men were injured and others arrested, striking employes of the American Can company made a determined attack on a special train which carried the non-union employes of the Diesel plant of the Can company from their work to the Polk street depot. Although 15 policemen guarded the train, a crowd of strikers climbed on the cars and attacked the non-union men. Several windows in the train were smashed, but no one was hurt.

English Cotton Mills Curtailing

Manchester, March 16.—At a meeting of Lancashire cotton spinners here it was resolved to continue on short time at the mills, working only 40 hours each week until further notice. The meeting rejected a proposal to close the mills for one month.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Wednesday, March 17.
Sun rises—5:53; sets—5:53.
New Moon—12:39 a. m.
High water—11:30 a. m.; 11:45 p. m.

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ROOT SOUNDS SLOGAN

Says Republicans Stand on a Distinct Foreign Policy

New York, March 16.—Former Secretary of War Root was the guest of honor last night at a dinner given by the Republican club of the city of New York. Responding to the greeting of President Stern, he said that he thought it was "time for us to turn our attention from the surface question of party organization to the great issues of the conflict that lies before us and get away from the chickenfeed of political gossip."

Mr. Root said the Democrats might attack the coal commission, the Northern Securities merger, official wrongdoing in the postoffice, or might bob up on the other end as ultra reformers and attack the Republican party as the party of capital.

"Why should we care when they are so evenly balanced between those who wish to attack us on the ground that we have been too fair to labor or too fair to capital? We stand on a distinct foreign policy—a position that has put us on a plane so eminent that in the conflict in the east Germany turns to the United States and asks us to use our power to preserve the empire of China.

"The question for us to hammer out during the coming summer is whether the great onward march of American civilization shall go on or shall be checked and turned back in confusion and inefficiency. Let this club sound the keynote of the coming campaign—the question whether the Republican party shall continue to rule, or the ultra-Conservative Democrats with Cleveland and Parker, on the one hand, or the ultra-Socialists with Bryan or Hearst on the other. The people of the state of New York shall be found on the side of the issues that they believe to be best and truest."

Suicide of an Educator

Columbus, O., March 16.—Professor Charles W. Meslop, for six years a professor at the Ohio State university, died suddenly last evening of nervous collapse. He was in ill-health and had worried over the fact that he was elected to the chair of German language and literature to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Professor Eggers, who had committed suicide. Last Thursday Meslop took chloroform with suicidal intent, but had apparently recovered from the effects of the drug and had expressed regret for his act.

Miners Will Accept Reduction

Indianapolis, March 16.—Coal miners in nine states, to the number of 190,000, dropped their picks at noon yesterday to cast their ballots on the proposition to accept or refuse the offer of the mine owners for a two years' scale at a reduction of 5½ percent, from the present scale of wages. The ballots will be forwarded to the national headquarters here. Reports thus far received here show that the vote is heavily in favor of accepting the scale as offered.

Cashier's Contention Upheld

San Francisco, March 16.—Judge Morrow has decided that Cashier Cole of the mint in this city is not responsible for the defalcation of ex-Assistant Cashier Dimmick, who is now serving a seven years' sentence for embezzlement. The government sued Cole for $30,000, the amount taken by Dimmick. Cole contended that he was not an officer of the United States, but was employed by the superintendent of the mint and was accountable to him only.

Drawing the Line on Liquor

Albany, March 16.—Prohibition of the sale of liquor by department stores is favored by the anti-Saloon league in a bill now in hands of Assemblyman Newcomb. Superintendent Russell of the league says the evil of such sale is much greater than is generally known and that large numbers of women shoppers purchase liquor in small flasks and drink it in the retiring rooms of the stores.

Bought For $240,000 Cash

Lake City, Fla., March 16.—A land sale involving $240,000 was concluded here, the land in question consisting of 40,000 acres in Taylor county, being sold by J. P. Williams to J. S. Betts & Co. of Ashburn, Ga., for $6 an acre. The entire amount was paid in cash. Betts & Co. are among the leading lumber manufacturers in the south.

Three Killed In Freight Wreck

Sherbrooke, Que., March 16.—A collision between Canadian Pacific and Boston and Maine freight trains occurred near Lennoxville. Engineer Folsom, Fireman Berard and Brakeman Cousins, all of the Boston and Maine crew, were killed. Engineer Plante of the Canadian Pacific train was badly hurt.

Senator and Representative

Washington, March 16.—Senator Dick of Ohio is again in his place in the house. He will not resign his seat in the house until he has completed certain matters of pending legislation. He has nothing to say regarding the controversy between himself and Senator Forker over Ohio patronage and control.

To Hunt For Pro Patria

Halifax, March 16.—The minister of marine has placed the government steamer Lady Laurier at the disposal of the owners of steamer Pro Patria. The Lady Laurier will be sent out in search of the missing steamer.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Edward Corliss of Bangor, Me., was killed by the explosion of a liquid air compressor in a New York laboratory.

Baron Von Sternburg, German ambassador at Washington, is suffering from a severe cold, which has settled in his eyes.

Kubelik Had to Skip

Vienna, March 16.—German Czech race hatred led to a serious riot at Ling, the capital of upper Austria, where a mob of infuriated Germans, in revenge for the ill-treatment of their compatriots at Prague, stormed the hall in which Jan Kubelik, the Bohemian violinist, was giving a concert, compelling Kubelik to seek safety in flight. The manager had been warned to cancel the engagement, but he declined to do so.

Fatal Explosion and Fire

Chicago, March 16.—Three persons, two of them being boys, were killed, and eight other employes were injured by an explosion of toy-pistol caps which completely demolished the two-story brick manufacturing plant of the Chicago Toy Novelty company. The wrecked building caught fire and the bodies of the dead were badly burned and mangled. It is not known what caused the explosion.

Shooter Wants Croft's Seat

Columbia, S. C., March 16.—Ex-Lieutenant Governor Tillman, recently acquitted of murder for the killing of Editor Gonzales, announces his candidacy for congress. He will stand for the seat vacated by the death of Mr. Croft. The dead congressman was at one time the law partner of Tillman and his leading counsel in the murder trial.

Turkey Gets New Cruiser

Newport News, Va., March 16.—The formal transfer of the cruiser Medjidia, built by the Cramps, to the Turkish government was made last evening, when the Turkish flag was raised on the warship. The Medjidia sailed for the Dardanelles last night.

Ancient Serpent Superstition.

It is popularly believed even in this day and age of the world that bees die almost immediately after using their stings. This may be true; in fact, I believe that it is so stated on good authority. But what do you think of the idea of a poisonous serpent dying as soon as he has inflicted the fatal bite? Pliny, a writer of the first century after Christ, says: "Serpents, no odds how poisonous the variety, can hurt but once; neither kill they many together, to say nothing how. When they have bitten or stung a man they die for very grief and sorrow that they have done such a mischief, as if they had some remorse or conscience afterward."

Yet He Wondered.

"You rash boy," she said, looking sweetly up at him as she tenderly drew his silk scarf about his throat; "you mustn't go out in the night air without being more careful. You are so careless. You ought to have somebody to watch over you and keep you from catching your death." And still he wondered as he went home whether he would lose her friendship forever if he were to dare to ask her to be his when he returned on the following evening.—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Blushing Girl.

You may know if a girl likes you by the way she behaves when you meet her. Don't be taken in by the mere fact that she changes color. Girls do that from a thousand different causes, and there is no reason why she should be in love with you merely because she blushes.—Health.

Her Vocation.

Tess—Why, Miss Uppisch's grandmother was merely a servant girl, wasn't she? Jess—Oh, no, indeed! Miss Uppisch says she was a "household specialist."—Philadelphia Press.

Education has many good results, but none that is more sure than the sense of power and self reliance with which it invests its possessor.

Are You Hungry?

Does what you eat hurt you? If you are Bilious or have a Sluggish or Disordered Liver, or have Indigestion, you can be set right by using

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Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

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Chas. C. Hearn the enterprising druggist, is advertising today for fifty men and women to take advantage of the special half-price offer he is making on Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, and get a fifty cent package at half-price, 25 cents.

So positive is he of the remarkable power of this specific to cure these diseases, as well as sick headaches and liver troubles, that he agrees to refund the money to any customer whom this medicine does not quickly relieve and cure.

With Dr. Howard's specific at hand, you can eat what you want and have no fear of ill consequences. It strengthens the stomach, gives perfect digestion, regulates the bowels, creates an appetite, and makes life worth the living.

This is an unusual opportunity to obtain 60 doses of the best medicine ever made for half its regular price, with the personal guarantee of a well known business man to refund the money if it does not give satisfaction.

If you cannot call at Chas. C. Hearn's store today, send him 25 cents by mail, and he will send you a package, promptly, charges paid.

Chas. C. Hearn has been able to secure only a limited supply of the specific, so great is the demand, and you should not delay taking advantage of the liberal offer he is making this week. 3-9-16

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after March 14, 1904, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 00	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 43	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	a c	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 15	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 14	abc	5 44	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 42	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 38 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49
r 11 42	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 45	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 43	Exp.	9 00 r
9 00	Exp.	9 15	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33	10 28	feucba	10 53 r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50			

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.40 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—8.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7 21 9.21 P. M.

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Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Nov. 20th, 1903.
(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M, 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Wednesdays and Saturdays only at 11.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.35, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs)—6.55 7.25, 8.10 A. M. then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston)—6.05, 6.35 A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON—7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

J. T. CONWAY, Division Supt
H. E. REYNOLDS, Asst. Gen. Supt.
Quincy, Mass., Nov 20, 1903.

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L. Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, the eminent merchant of New York and Philadelphia, has taken out a policy in

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C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
A. Pierson, 92 Granite street.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
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NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	34	31	56	35	37
Monday,	43	48	64	45	35
Tuesday,	38	57	43	44	37
Wednesday,	41	43	42	51	26
Thursday,	—	32	61	38	31
Friday,	—	36	55	31	43
Saturday,	—	40	65	55	58

New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearing.
Administrator's Notice.
Probate Notice.
Wanted—Position as housekeeper.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

John R. Graham of Bangor, Me., was in town today.

The warm sun today is making the new snow disappear.

The Choral Union will meet in the vestry of the Quincy Point church Thursday evening.

The Old Maids will return from the convention this evening and give a report at Bethany chapel.

The ice in Bent's creek is fast disappearing and it is not an unpleasant sight to see the tide once more.

Mr. Friend Crane is confined by illness to his home on Bent place. His friends hope to see him about very soon.

It cost Fred Ryan of Whitman $15 to find out that he could not insult unprotected females in Quincy, and get off unpunished.

About forty couples attended the social dance of Rural lodge of Masons at Faxon hall Tuesday evening. Cuff's orchestra furnished music.

Dennis D. Driscoll, president of the Central Labor Union, will speak at the smoke talk of the Quincy Central Labor Union on Thursday evening at Carpenters hall.

People are beginning to buy ink for their trees and it is not too early to begin to fight the wily moth, which later does so much harm to the unprotected elm and apple trees.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Quincy Point Young Men's Club was held Tuesday evening in the club rooms on Washington street. A number of new members were voted in.

Miss Ida A. Andrews, who for four or five years was the fourth grade teacher at the Coddington school, and resigned because of illness, died at Pigeon Cove on Tuesday.

A home department has been started in connection with the Washington street Congregational Sunday School. This will give those now unable to attend Sunday School, the privilege of studying the lessons in the home.

Quincy will try hard to win from Weymouth tonight at the Granite street alleys, as Weymouth defeated Quincy three straight at Weymouth last week. The Quincy Point team goes to East Weymouth, and is confident of taking three straight tonight.

Mrs. McCull Dead.

Mrs. McCull of South street who was taken to the Free Home for Consumptives at Dorchester early in the year, died at that place Tuesday.

This case was brought to the authorities by a slight fire which occurred at the home of the family. Mrs. McCull was then in the hospital and the young children were left at home without fire or proper clothing.

The father at that time was at work at the Fore River. The state authorities took charge of the children, the father agreeing to contribute to their support. Some days ago the father left Quincy and his whereabouts are now unknown.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

NOT AT SQUANTUM.

Report That Naval Magazine Will Be on Weymouth Back River.

Quincy people need have no further anxiety about the location of the United States naval magazine within the city, but it will be nearly as near to Quincy Point people as Squantum head.

The Post reports that the site selected is in Weymouth and Hingham, on both sides of the Back river, and comprises 720 acres, 500 in Hingham and 220 in Weymouth.

The terrtiory runs from Hingham bridge, between Weymouth and Hingham, along Beal and Fort Hill streets in that town to the Weymouth line at Fresh river; thence across the river to Weymouth, and there takes in a portion of the land to the point of beginning at the Hingham bridge. All the land bounded by these lines is included in the territory that the government contemplates taking. The estimated cost to the government is $533,000.

The report of the board of naval engineers to select a site for a naval magazine, says in part: "We have inspected the entire coast, from Plymouth, Mass., to Yarmouth, Me., and find but one site possessing the requirements considered by the bureau of ordnance essential for a naval magazine."

MISS HOWLAND DEAD.

Was Once Extensively Engaged in Making Valentines.

Miss Esther A. Howland of No. 9 Adams street passed away on Tuesday.

For a year or more, as the result of an accident, she has been confined to her bed. She was 75 years of age.

Miss Howland is given the credit of making the first fancy valentines in this country. Her father kept one of the largest book stores and binderies in Worcester, and was regarded as a very enterprising man. His three sons assisted him in the business, and Miss Esther attended Holyoke college, her parents intending her to prepare herself for teaching.

Soon after graduating in about 1849 her father added to his stock a few imported valentines, the first which ever had been seen in Worcester. The bright young girl thought that it would be no great task to make even prettier ones than the European love missives and told her folks so. They encouraged her in the idea, and although she was greatly handicapped by the scarcity of material with which to work, she demonstrated to her own as well as her parents' satisfaction that she was capable of fashioning some artistic valentines.

Lithography was in its infancy, and small colored pictures were valued more highly than they are at present. She bought an assortment, of these and a number of fancy envelopes which were embellished with a more or less elaborate scroll work in each corner, and which were regarded as the proper stationery at that time.

In making the first valentines Miss Howland cut the designs from the envelopes and posted them on an ordinary sheet of paper. This answered for lace work. She then added several colored pictures from her assortment, scalloped the edges of the sheet, and one of her brothers who was an accomplished penman inscribed various verses significant of love.

For years, Miss Howland had the monopoly of the business in this country, and it amounted in some years to $50,000 to $75,000. An accident to her father made it necessary that she relinquish her business, to care for him, and it was sold to Mr. George C. Whitney. Miss Howland has lived with her brother, Mr. E. P. Howland of Adams street.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Halls' family Pills are the best.

DIED.

HOWLAND—In Quincy, March 15, Miss Esther Allen Howland, aged 75 years. Funeral from late residence 9 Adams street, Thursday, March 17, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

PHELAN—In Quincy, March 15, Mrs. Margaret E., wife of Mr. John J. Phelan, of 131 School street, aged 43 years, 1 month and 19 days.

PETERSON—In Quincy, March 15, Elyalmer, son of Mr. Karl E. and Mrs. Johanna Peterson of 66 Cranch street, aged 1 month and 9 days.

DEANE—In South Weymouth, March 14, Mrs. Ruth B., widow of Samuel P. Deane, of 52 Pond street, aged 83 years.

FRENCH—In Randolph, Mar. 14, Mrs. Harriet L., widow of J. Wales French, of North Main street, aged 73 years.

FOR THE DAY OF CAKES.

Manly Wisdom on the Management of a Soapstone Griddle.

The soapstone griddle is one of the easiest of griddles to manage and one no housekeeper should be without if she desires to surpass in the art of griddlecakes.

Many housekeepers have heard of the difficulties attendant upon a soapstone griddle and thus have been discouraged from buying one, but these difficulties are purely imaginary. Once you know how to manage your griddle you will never eat the grease soaked, heavy things you once called cakes.

Now, the secret of the soapstone griddle is to have it hot, not what you may call hot, but really hot.

Put the griddle inside of your stove or range the night before, this precaution that you may not forget it in the rush of the morning meals, so that it will get the very first heat your fire gives out.

When you need your oven for baking put the griddle on top of the stove.

By the time you are ready to cook cakes you will have a griddle that will cook immediately and will be light and spongy.

Above all things do not grease your griddle. Therein lies its charm.

Soapstone being porous, the grease soaks in, and the mess you will make of the whole business will indeed be discouraging.

If your griddle has already become grease soaked by some uninterested cook or through your own ignorance take a chisel and scrape off the upper surface.

The soapstone, being soft, will move easily; afterward wash thoroughly, and you have restored your griddle to its pristine glory.

The price often holds one back from buying what one considers a luxury, but the saving of fat which must be used on other griddles will in time pay for the soapstone one, and the deliciousness of the cakes will reward you time after time for any sacrifice made to obtain it.

One great care, however, must be taken—do not drop your griddle, as the disaster to soapstone is without remedy. It breaks easily because of its composition.—Dunbar Hopkins in Table Talk.

Of the Springtide.

Here is one among the fashionable hat models that have already wended



A TAKING CAVALIER HAT.

their way to the sunny south or are to grace the earliest days of the springtime.

It is carried out in champagne colored straw of a Cavalier or Rembrandt shape, turning off the face. The crown is encircled with a black ostrich plume which is threaded through the brim and rests on the hair at the back.

Lamp Lore.

Nothing is more unpleasant than a lamp which smokes or smells oil, and many people object to use lamps because of the trouble they entail and the difficulty of getting servants to properly attend to them. But the trouble is really very little if they are attended to every morning. The very best oil should be used; poor oil will always smell disagreeable and burn with a dim and yellow light instead of a clear white light. The lamp should be filled every morning to within an inch of the top, the wick trimmed and the burner and outside of the lamp wiped carefully with a soft cloth kept for that purpose and the shade and chimney cleaned, the wick cut perfectly straight and the corners rounded. The chimney can be cleaned by breathing into it and rubbing with soft paper and polishing with a clean cloth; if very dirty apply a little alcohol. New wicks should be soaked for an hour or so in vinegar and thoroughly dried before they are put in the burner. When first lit the wick should be turned low for a few seconds and then turned up to the required height. About once a month the burner should be taken to pieces and washed in hot soap and water and the reservoir emptied and cleaned.

Household Brevities.

Milk is an excellent substitute for soap in washing dishes. It softens the water and at the same time prevents your hands from chapping. A small quantity will answer.

Too few people know how nutritious macaroni is and what a number of nice dishes can be made from it. It should always be washed in cold water before using.

One woman adds chopped prunes to her johnnycake, or sweetened corn bread, and the children think it as good as cake.

Smear the glass stopper of a bottle with vaseline, and no matter how long it stands unopened it will not stick.

No one can sleep well with cold feet. A heated soapstone in the foot of the bed is one of the best things to warm them.

There is no better place for old cotton rags than the fire.

TOWN MEETING.

The Business Transacted by the Voters of Braintree.

At the adjourned annual town meeting held in Braintree Monday evening, Hon. B. Herbert Woodsum was elected moderator and articles 2, 3, 4 and five were considered in fifteen minutes, appropriating $29,680. After that one hour and a half was given up to oratory under article six which read as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to erect a new school building in Precinct One and raise and appropriate a sum of money for the same.

Under article 2, "to choose all officers except those elected by ballot," J. Marcus Arnold, Charles G. Sheppard, Milford F. Woodsum, Edward M. Wight and Edward W. Hobart were elected surveyors of wood and weighers of hay; Herbert W. Borden, Charles O. Miller and George H. Holbrook, surveyors of lumber.

Voted to instruct the Selectmen to appoint one measurer of leather, one pound keeper and three field drivers.

Voted that G. H. Arnold, G. D. Willis, Will W. Mahew, C. H. Hobart, A. S. Morrison, R. S. Arnold and B. F. Dyer constitute the school fund committee.

The following votes were adopted under article three.

Voted that for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the town of Braintree in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year, the town treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time, with the approval of a majority of the board of Selectman, a sum or sums of money not exceeding in the aggregate $75,000, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town therefor payable within one year from the time the loan is made. Any debt or debts incurred by a loan or loans to the town under this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

Voted that the town treasurer be and is hereby made custodian of all moneys of the several departments of the town and of all the securities of the several sinking funds of the town. The board of water commissioners is hereby instructed to elect the treasurer of the town, treasurer of the water department. The selectmen are hereby instructed to require from the treasurer, such a bond, as in their judgment is necessary for the safety of such moneys and securities. That the town pay for said bond and that the treasurer be held harmless on his bond from any loss from the failure of any national bank in which the funds of the town may be on deposit, with the approval of the board of selectmen.

Voted to appropriate the sum of $105 for treasurer's bond.

Under article five the following appropriations were made:

Pay of teachers, in addition to dog tax and school fund, estimated $1,150, $19,250.
Superintendent of Schools, $1,500.
Janitors, $2,280.
Text books and Supplies, $1,800.
Incidentals for Schools, $550.
School house repairs, etc., $1,000.
Fuel, $1,700.
Conveyance of Pupils, $1,200.
Repairs of furnaces, Monatiquot Building, $400.

At 9.30 the meeting adjourned to next Monday evening at 7.45.

Navy Yard Visitors.

Rear Admiral Mortimor L. Johnson, commandant of the Charlestown Navy Yard, has issued a general order, says a Boston paper, to the effect that pedlers and hawkers must keep out of the yard at all times, and in future visitors will receive no more passes allowing them admission to the workshops or to any of the ships which are lying at the yard out of commission. This order was issued because the privilege of visiting the shops had become a nuisance and interfered greatly with the order in the shops. Visitors will be allowed to roam around the yard, visit the Constitution and museum, and look at the other ships from the docks, but the shops will be closed to all. This order went into effect the other day, and since that time over 100 requests for passes have been refused by the executive officer, Capt. Snow.

"A Railroad Beautiful"

Is the title of an interesting critism by Charles Mulford Robinson of the Boston & Albany R. R. artistic suburban stations and landscape gardening. It is reissued in pamphlet form and may be secured b addressing A. S Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt., Boston.

A boy is wanted at the Ledger office.

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THE LIBRARY.

It Should Be, So to Speak, the Author's Tool Chest.

In the gradual growth of every student's library he may or may not continue to admit literary friends and advisers, but he will be sure sooner or later to send for a man with a tool chest. Sooner or later every nook and corner will be filled with books, every window will be more or less darkened, and added shelves must be devised. He may find it hard to achieve just the arrangement he wants, but he will find it hardest of all to meet squarely that inevitable inquiry of the puzzled carpenter as he looks about him, "Have you actually read all these books?" The expected reply is: "To be sure. How can you doubt it?" Yet if you asked him in turn, "Have you actually used every tool in your tool chest?" you would very likely be told: "Not one-half as yet, at least this season. I have the others by me to use as I need them." Now, if this reply can be fairly made in a simple, well defined, distinctly limited occupation like that of a joiner, how much more inevitable it is in a pursuit which covers the whole range of thought and all the facts in the universe! The library is the author's tool chest. He must learn as he grows older to take what he wants and to leave the rest.—Thomas Wentworth Higginson in Atlantic.

THE COUNTERFEITERS.

Fine Work of the Secret Service In Running Them Down.

A secret service man tells of an experience of his when on a difficult case of counterfeiting. The district had been flooded with bad coins and spurious notes, and it was his duty to locate the plant. At last they dropped across a newcomer who was living in fine style. He was educated and very reserved, and when he got any mail he seemed quite indifferent whether any one saw it or not. He would read his notes on the way home and throw the envelopes carelessly on the sidewalk. Not one of them gave the ghost of a clew. Every morning about 7 o'clock a young milkman went to the man's house and left a quart of milk. He, too, was a newcomer, and this set the secret service man thinking. So he watched. A stout cook at the kitchen always took the can of milk and handed the milkman the can he had left the day before. The milkman, it turned out, was the go-between. The milk cans had false bottoms, and here Mr. Fine Gentleman's letters were hidden. An intercepted letter led inquiries to a house not more than a few blocks from police headquarters. Sure enough, there was the engraving and bad money plant of which the refined newcomer was the head.—Kansas City Independent.

THE WORD "CHAPEL."

It Comes From Latin and Originally Meant Cope or Canopy.

The word "chapel" comes from the low Latin capella, a cope or canopy, and was applied to a recess or chapel attached to the altar.

Used originally of the place where the cappa or cope of St. Martin was preserved, the word came in the eighth century to signify any sanctuary where holy relics were kept and thence a consecrated building connected with a church or cathedral. At this period also domestic oratories and places of worship for such corporate bodies as colleges began to be called chapels.

Apart from its present day meaning, as applied to any place of worship which is not a parish church, such as a chapel of ease or a nonconformist chapel, the word denotes the ecclesiastical staff of a sovereign, the sacred office recited by the pope with his household and the working staff of a printing office, because the first one in England was set up by Caxton in Westminster abbey.

Water Colors.

Pigments have been used from the earliest times and are now used by all savages for decorative purposes. But the paint used in Babylon and Nineveh and in Pompeii was composed of pigments mixed, not with oil, but with water to which had been added a little glue, egg albumen or perhaps some times casein, which is albuminous matter from milk or the gluten from cereal grains. Glue, however, which was well known to the ancient Egyptians, was the most universal binding material. Such paints are now known as fresco paints, or water colors.

As Pepys Tells It.

Pepys tells in his diary that in the reign of King Charles II. a custom bargaining with a London merch for claret hired a confederate to "th der (which he had the art of upon a deal board) and to rair hail—that is, make the noise of to give them a pretense of undervaluing their merchant's wines, by saying this thunder would spoil and turn them, which was so reasonable to the merchant that he did abate 2 pistolls per tun for the wine in belief of that."

An Easy Test.

"I often wonder just what she thinks of me," said the young married man.

"It is easy to find out," said the elderly married man. "Just sit down on her hat, and she will tell you what she thinks of you in less than a minute."—Chicago Journal.

Her Little Surprise.

"Don't stop me now, dear. Archie's going to propose in a few minutes."

"Has he shown any symptoms?"

"Certainly not! He doesn't know it yet. I've arranged it as a surprise for him."—Brooklyn Life.

There are men who don't mind being kicked blue if they can only be talked about.—Eliot.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

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CANNED SUNSHINE.

Let us gather up the sunshine
Lying all around our way;
Let us pack it into boxes
And transport it on a dray
To a factory where canned goods
Or where breakfast food is made;
Let us put it on the market
Tinned and labeled for the trade.

Nearly every other product
Has been gobbled by a trust;
Air and sunshine, wind and water,
Weather also likely must
By the octopus be cornered,
And if all the signs don't fail
We must buy it on the corner
From the merchant by the bale.

Then a man instead of going
With his friends upon a spree
Will say, when he meets a crony,
"Have a sunshine, pard, on me!"
And the dainty little lady
Seated at the soda fount
Will say: "Make the flavor sunshine.
Charge it up to pa's account."

There are millions in the venture,
There are billions in the scheme,
For without our choice canned sunshine
Life would blank and barren seem.
Some one hailing from New Jersey
Doubtless capital will bring
If our captains of industry
Overlook so good a thing.

Meant For a Compliment.

"Miss Birdie, I don't like to see you cover your eyes with that heavy veil."

"But the weather affects them."

"That may be, but don't you know it is against the law to carry concealed weapons?"

When We Are Paying For It.

When we were young we used to watch
The pictures in the fire,
The castles, horses, knights and towers,
The church with graceful spire,
But now that we are older grown
They do not look so fine,
For as we gaze into the flame
We see the dollar sign.



Muscular Art.

"Willie is what might be called a strong artist."

"So?"

"Yes, he drew a train of cars this morning."

They Queered Him.

"I can't understand why so popular a man as Johnson got snowed under at the election."

"You can't? Well, I suppose you did not smoke one of his campaign cigars."

We Need It.

We knead the dough
To make good bread;
We need the dough
To paint things red.
Where'er we go—
Right, left, ahead—
We need the dough.

One Thing Certain.

"His left hand never knows what his right hand is doing."

"It can rest assured that it is doing somebody."

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

The woman who can burn green wood and preserve her temper is worth marrying.

In housecleaning season it is a wise man who knows enough not to make comments on the culinary arrangements.

Old men sometimes long to be boys again, but did you ever hear a woman longing to be a girl again?



A man does not want a better snap than to help a fool get rid of his money.

It may be pleasant to be errand boy to a woman while engaged to her, but a man is apt to strike on the job soon after marriage.

Women don't usually care for bargain counter goods when selecting a husband.

Some people are compelled to do their shopping in order to keep their nerves in equilibrium.

In every kind of work, there is a place that is possessed of an inexhaustible supply of patience.

We call a man clever who has agility enough to slip around any subject and pliability enough to fit in any niche.

Knowledge of the injustice stays no execution of judgment.

Nobody's child doesn't disgrace his relatives.

Reformers generally want to start at the other end of town and work toward home.

Some of these the-morning-after looking individuals may really be health food faddists.

None but the brave deserve the bashful, girls.

It is called leap year because the confirmed bachelors all jump every time a woman looks in their direction.

It is the part of wisdom to be foolish sometimes.

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MERGER DECISION

The Trust Question Has Not Really Been Disposed Of

REVIEW BY AN EXPERT

Decision Turned on Point as to Whether Statute Forbids Reasonable as Well as Unreasonable Restraint of Trade

Washington, March 17.—"The decision of the supreme court in the Northern Securities case is very much more favorable than I had expected," said a strong sympathizer with the minority opinion whose official position prevents the use of his name. "I have not been able to see at any time how the supreme court could avoid affirming the decision in the court below without taking back a substantial part of what the majority of the court held in the trans-Missouri and Joint Traffic association cases. The prevailing opinion in those cases was placed squarely on a construction of the statute; the court held distinctly that any combination or arrangement, no matter what the character, which had the direct effect of putting restraint on competitive action, or gave the parties to it power to suppress competition, was a violation of the anti-trust law regardless of whether that restraint was reasonable or otherwise.

"Justice Brewer concurred in those opinions. If I correctly apprehend what he has written in this case he seems to have abandoned the position taken in the former cases and upholds a construction of the law substantially in accordance with the views of the minority in the prior cases, because the former decision turned on this precise point: Does this statute forbid reasonable as well as unreasonable restraint? Five justices said that it did. That position inferentially appears to be adhered to by four of the present members of the court.

"Justice Brewer, in placing his concurrence in the result distinctly on the ground that this combination was an unreasonable restraint of competition, and virtually saying that the former decisions were too rigid and went too far, and rather plainly indicating by what he says that the anti-trust law was not intended to prohibit reasonable restraints, seems to me to have at least paved the way for a future decision which will practically conform to the views of the minority in the trans-Missouri and Joint Traffic association cases so far as relates to the precise point mentioned.

"In brief, the subject is now left where it is to be a question of fact in each case: Is the restraint, or the degree of restraint effected in this particular instance, reasonable or unreasonable?"

No case is now in sight which will afford an early opportunity to test Mr. Brewer's exact position, especially since the administration has practically announced its policy to stop with what it has got. It is not much to say that the ultimate settlement of this question in such a way that the business interests of the country can rely upon it, will depend upon the men selected to take the places of the members who will presumably before many years retire, Harlan and Fuller, who are 75, and Brown, who is 68. It may be interesting to note that excluding Brewer, the four minority members have in the aggregate 22 years to serve before reaching 70, or 5½ years each. The four members, who with Brewer made the majority opinion in this particular case, have on the same basis 26 years, or 6½ years each to serve. The advantage is thus with the majority side, but so slight that future decisions will practically depend on the attitude taken by the next appointees.

TOOK ALL SIX.

Both Quincy Teams Have Walkovers in the Bowling League.

There are hopes for the Quincy Point team in the Old Colony league, as they won three straight this week on the East Weymouth alleys. The Quincys did the same trick with the Weymouths as rivals.

At Quincy.

The Weymouths came to Quincy Wednesday evening flushed with victory last week, but they lost the first game by 10 pins, the second by 19 pins, and the third, after a grand rally, by 39 pins. The last game was almost a record breaker, for the Quincys, as they scored 469; all the men did better than 83, while Grant scored 107, the highest single of the evening. Glover of the visitors had the best three string total, although 94 was his highest single. It was an off night for Moorhead, but he did better than two of the visitors.

The summary:

QUINCYS.

	1	2	3	Total
Morton,	91	80	87	268
Nash,	79	80	93	252
Grant,	69	81	107	257
Moorhead,	81	67	84	232
White,	75	99	88	262
Totals.	395	407	469	1271

WEYMOUTHS.

	1	2	3	Total
Burrell,	65	77	79	221
Peleran,	62	70	83	215
Turner,	81	77	94	252
Glover,	93	84	94	271
Connell,	84	80	80	244
Totals,	385	388	430	1203

At East Weymouth.

The match at East Weymouth on Wednesday evening was close, and there were no remarkable scores, as 93 by Dunn was the best single, and there was only one other 90.

The Quincy Pointers won the first game by three pins and the second by 13 pins. The third was a tie at 421 which the visitors won on the rolloff. Dunn of the Quincy Point team had the best three string total.

The summary.

QUINCY POINTS.

	1	2	3	Total
Dunn,	86	93	85	264
Porter,	73	79	85	237
McMasters,	67	87	83	237
Lyons,	79	75	90	244
Flynn,	89	74	78	241
Tota's,	394	408*	421	1223

EAST WEYMOUTHS.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Flannery,	77	76	87	240
Newcomb,	78	77	74	229
Farrar,	81	78	89	248
Welch,	80	82	87	249
Smith,	73	82	84	241
Totals,	391	395*	421	1207

* Quincy Point won rolloff.

League Standing.

The standing to date:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Quincys	57	45	12	79
Weymouths	57	32	25	56
East Weymouths	57	20	37	36
Quincy Points	57	17	40	29

Grand Officers Present.

At the regular meeting of Maple lodge, K. and L. of H., held in Wilson's hall Wednesday evening, over one hundred were present, including Grand Protector Hattie E. Silsby and board of Grand officers, District Deputy Nellie E. Hallett and suite, P. D. D. Carrie L. Engram, and delegations from Friendship, Unity, United, Longfellow, Jewel, Waverly, Evening Star and other lodges. The evening was one of the most enjoyable of the year. Two candidates were initiated by the degree team which was highly praised and congratulated in the manner the work was performed. After the business Harold Curtis favored the members with an original song, which was highly enjoyed and he responded to the encore. Mrs. Kate A. Hayden, followed with a reading, which was done in a very able manner. Mrs. Laura F. Tirrell delighted the audience with her singing. Remarks were made by Sisters Silsby, Hallett, and Morse. The later in behalf of friends of Waverly lodge presented Mrs. Emma E. Marnock, protector, with an elegant bouquet, to which she gracefully responded. Ice cream, cake and frappe were served. Then a general and social time, with dancing, concluded the evening's entertainment. Maple lodge now numbers 134 and was heartily congratulated on its recent growth.

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HAVE HUSBANDS.

Old Maids Return From Trip to Alaska.

Relate Their Personal Experiences

At Meeting of the Single Blessedness Club.

Bethany chapel was crowded Wednesday evening at a novel entertainment given under the auspices of the Entertainment ten of the King's Daughters. It was advertised as the return of the old maids from the convention, but was really a meeting of the Single-Blessed Club whose members have since the last convention visited Alaska and married. Few, however, brought their husbands back.

The entertainment opened with a pleasing solo by Mr. Edward B. Hill, and was followed by Lohengrin's Wedding March on the piano, and a solo by Mr. A. L. Hayden which met with favor.

Then the members of the club arrived, a few at a time. Everybody was glad to see everybody, and there was a great chatter until the president called the convention to order. Her opening speech gave promise of a spicy meeting and was applauded. Then the members sang "The Spinster's Return," a jovial song.

At roll call each member gave a sentiment which was appropriate to the occasion. "The Bachelor's Lament" was a touching song by the members which expressed the sentiment of the young men of Quincy during the absence of the girls, and concluded with "it might have been."

The report of the secretary followed, and was one of progress, but there was a serious time when the treasurer's report showed no funds and a large debt.

The selection by the orchestra on combs and horns was one long to be remembered, entitled "A Hot Time in the Old Town."

The Vigilance Committee and the Reception Committee then reported.

The arrival of the member who married a widow with nine children at this time lent variety. All the children, got up regardless, accompanied her.

Each of the children then entertained, some with songs, duetts and trios, others with recitations and musical numbers. One song in particular, sang to the tune of "The Good Old Summer Time," hit some of the eligible young men rather hard. The children were then sent home in charge of the eldest.

Personal experiences of the members while in Alaska were humorous. One related that she had married an Indian, and the brave warrior appeared on the platform. The sight of so much feminine beauty turned his head, and he was about to use his tomahawk when his wife bounced him out.

The election of officers was an interesting part of the program, but was rivaled by the hypnotic exhibition. The professor made the president court him in song, another recite a poem, and another think she was the greatest vocalist on earth.

The cast of characters for the evening were:

President, Mrs. Eugene Page.
Secretary, Mrs. Walter McKenzie.
Treasurer, Mrs. Frank Crane.
Tiny Short Van Tassell, Mrs. W. G. Shaw.
Rebecca Rachel Sharpe Highflyer, Mrs. H. H. Hill.
Mary Ann Fraddler Malaprop, Miss Ida Kingman.
Patience Desire Mann, (Countes Ketchum), Mrs. S. I. Wood.
Violet Ann Ruggles, Mrs. Isabelle Davis.
Charity Longface Puddyfoot, Miss Lucy Newcomb.
Sophia Stuckup Bennett, Mrs. Geo. Badger.
Juliet Long Laundestadt, Miss Edna Wood.
Betsy Bobbett, Miss Lillian Taber.
Cleopatra Belle Brown Hopkinson, Miss Bessie Laing.
Polly Jane Pratt Doolittle, Miss Josie Osborne.
Belinda Bluegrass Afraid-of his-face, Miss Olive Sargent.
Frances Touchmenot, Miss Emma Spalding.
Hannah Biggerstaff Slocum, Miss Jennette Tanner.
Count Ketchum, Mr. Alden Blanchard.
Young Man Afraid-of-his-face, an Indian, Mr. Melville Hayward.
Prof. Dinkenspiel, a hypnotist, Mr. Walter Sampson.
His Assistant, Mr. Cecil Blanchard.
Tiny Short Van Tassell's children: Samantha, Miss Corrinne Hayward.
Betsey Ann, Miss Helen Kingman.
Peggy Maria, Miss Minnie Packard.
Sophia Jane, Mrs. John McKnight.
Tillie, Miss Helen Walker.
Nathaniel Isaac, Mr. Cecil Blanchard.
Jehosaphat, Mr. Charles Hogan.
John Jacob, Master Muirhead.
Jeremiah, Mr. Albert Coffin. Jr.

Old styles of bonnets, dresses and hair dressing prevailed. Some carried old-fashioned carpet bags, band boxes, etc. The Indian was well impersonated in full costume.

Another ten of the King's Daughters sold delicious home-made confectionery, and all in all it was as great a financial success as it was a mirth provoking entertainment.

Arrested for Larency.

Louis Petcil of Braintree was arrested by Officer Murray on Hancock street near the High school Wednesday afternoon for the larceny of a fur coat and a pair of gloves from a boat on Boston wharf.

The boat is being torn to pieces, and it is alleged that Petcil who was carting old lumber took the coat and gloves. Hazen E. Ricker who had charge of the work, telephoned to the Quincy police and then followed Petcil toward Quincy. Office Murray overhauled him near the High school shortly after 5 o'clock. He had the coat and gloves with him.

Petcil was arraigned in court for larceny and the case continued until tomorrow morning.

Dogs Poisoned.

Three dogs died Wednesday afternoon in the vicinity of Pond street. One a Scotch collie owned by Albert G. Coffin of South street, another owned by Charles White of Union street, and the other owned by Thomas Baker of Pond street. A gentleman saw the White and Coffin dogs cross Washington street and dash down Pond street. The White dog soon turned two or three somersaults and dropped. The Coffin dog was ahead at the time, but came back when he saw there was trouble and dropped dead within a yard of him. The Baker dog was not with them at the time. It is thought the dogs were poisoned.

YOU NEED A NEW FACE

but as it will be hard for you to get one, the next best thing to do is to go to your druggist and buy a package of "EASY-SHAVE," the new lather. You will be surprised how smooth and soft it makes the face and how easy it is to shave with it.

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SEVEN DELEGATES.

New Basis of Apportionment to Democratic Conventions.

Quincy will have seven delegates to the Democratic State convention, one more than Beverly, Everett and Newburyport. None of the other cities will have less. Boston will have 238 and Cambridge comes second with 34.

A new basis of apportionment was agreed upon Wednesday which gives one delegate for each 200 votes or majority fraction, each ward and each town, however, to have at least one.

Boston papers report that Quincy is entitled to six delegates, but five wards are entitled to one each on the basis, and Ward Four with 407 votes for Col. Gaston should have two delegates.

The State convention is entitled to 1028 delegates, and the Tenth Congressional convention to 85 delegates.

STARK LOSES COMMAND

Vice Admiral's Removal Reported to Be Due to "Illness"

St. Petersburg, March 17.—Official orders have been published relieving Vice Admiral Stark from the command of the Port Arthur division of the navy, ostensibly on account of illness. No successor will be appointed, Vice Admiral Makaroff having determined to serve as squadron commander as well as commander-in-chief of the entire Russian naval force in the far east.

Captain Sohchensnovitch, commander of the battleship Retvizan, has been decorated with the cross of St. George for repelling the last Japanese fireship.

Japs Keeping Close Watch

Tokio, March 17.—Tokio is unadvised regarding the naval plans and movements of the Russians and is in doubt whether the remnant of their fleet is still at Port Arthur or is en route to Vladivostok. A telegram reached the navy department last evening saying that seven Russian ships have been reported as passing Fort Lazareff. The report did not give the character of the ships or the direction in which they were sailing. It is anticipated that the Japanese will speedily determine the whereabouts and intentions of the Russians.

Japanese Military Situation

Paris, March 17.—The Tokio correspondent of The Matin sends the following information concerning the Japanese military situation up to March 10: "The first army of 70,000 troops under General Kuroki occupies northern Korea. The brigade landed at Gensan forms part of a second army of similar strength. The mobilization of the latter has been completed and the troops will sail shortly for an unknown destination. The mobilization of a third army began on March 7."

Russia's Warning to Korea

Seoul, March 17.—The Korean superintendent of trade at Kong Hung, on the Tumen river, has received a note from the general in command at Vladivostok, saying that, since Korea has joined Japan, Russia considers Korea as belligerent and will act accordingly. Two thousand Korean troops now at Seoul will be sent to the north next week.

Baltic Squadron Plans

Paris, March 17.—The Echo De Paris publishes a dispatch from its St. Petersburg correspondent which says that the idea of the Russian Baltic squadron going to the far east by the northeast passage has been given up as too risky. The fleet will probably start in July and go by way of the Cape of Good Hope.

Was Stubbornly Contested

Washington, March 17.—The senate committee on public lands, after a contest extending over two years, in which an attempt was made to repeal all of the general land laws of the country, has authorized a favorable report on Senator Quarles' bill to repeal the timber and stone act. The bill has a provision authorizing the secretary of the interior to sell at public sale or otherwise the right to cut timber on government lands. The moneys derived from the sale of these rights are to be covered into the reclamation fund for irrigation purposes.

TODAY'S COURT.

Joseph Connors was arraigned for drunkenness at Randolph. Case continued until March 21.

Louis Petcil was arraigned for the larceny of a fur coat and pair of gloves. Case continued until Friday.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 15, 1904. The Committee on Fisheries and Game will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 529, with accompanying petition of W. S. Barker and others to provide for licensing hunters of birds and game; also House bill No. 745, on petition of Charles S. Minot and others to provide for the protection of certain hawks and owls, at room No. 505 State House, on TUESDAY, March 22d, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. MOODY KIMBALL, Chairman. JOSEPH L. ROGERS, Clerk of the Committee. 17-1t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 14, 1904. The Committee on Roads and Bridges will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 820 (accompanying the petition of P. T. Fallon) for legislation relative to the construction of a bridge over Quincy Town river in the city of Quincy, at room No. 425, State House, on Friday March 18, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. CARLETON F. HOW, Chairman. M. FITZGERALD, Clerk of the Committee. 16 2t

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Drift of Opinion.

Does it ever occur to Judge Emmons that the more a policeman talks the less efficient he is? Probably the Judge has never thought of it, and if he has he regards a Commissioner as quite in another class from a patrolman. No doubt he receives many temptations to remain in the lecture field, but if he should resist them, and give up talking altogether, we have not the slightest doubt but that the department of which he is the head would be benefited.—Lynn Item.

The Northern Securities merger defined the law and power of congress. The administration accepted the challenge and has successfully maintained its power. It is now in a position to move rationally and sensibly toward a further definition of its purpose and its policy and to place the interests of capital as well as of the people in a safer position than before. It was not in that position previous to this action. The alternative which was presented to the people in the formation of this and like mergers was goverment ownership or government control. The Administration—and the people, too—have chosen government control, and it is now the duty of congress to make a wise application of that principle.—Haverhill Gazette.

The usual adverse report has been made by the legislative committee which had to consider the proposal to permit cities and towns to buy up existing lighting plants at cost of duplication. The supporters of the proposition argue that the companies paid nothing for their franchises and, therefore, should give them up. How much inducement would there be for investors to build plants and serve communities all over the state, if they knew their plant was to be taken away from them at its cost price the moment it became a paying proposition? It is a wonder that some bright politician does not present a bill to authorize cities and towns to buy out successful grocery stores at the cost of duplicating their stock in trade. It would be about as sensible a proposition.—Banker and Tradesman.

The man who hunts yesterday's hare over again, or who dwells upon yesterday's letter, or who, by what our neighbors felicitiously call esprit d'escalier, suffers his thoughts to linger upon the more effective manner in which it might have been possible to terminate last week's interview, is giving his substance in exchange for that which is nought. He is squandering his nerve cells in a fashion which can yield him no return and which, not only by so much diminishes his power of using them fruitfully in other directions, but also, in all probability, converts some portion of the waste into material of a more or less toxic character. The first lesson of scientific education should be that a man's brain cells are not only money but capital, and that it is just as possible to dissipate them foolishly as to use them in the work of building up a career.—The Lancet.

Docks for Quincy.

A hearing will be given at the State House tomorrow at 10.30 A. M. on the petition of Peter T. Fallon for authority to construct a bridge over Town river near foot of Field street. Mr. Fallon has plans for a system of docks where the marsh now is.

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RUSSIANS ARE CROSSING YALU

Report to That Effect In London Is Not Confirmed

RUMORS OF EVACUATION

May Be Safely Stated That Japan Must Fight to Secure Port Arthur or Other Places In Manchuria--Capture of Dalny a Necessary Preliminary, Which Would Make New Chwang Untenable--Mistranslation of Russian Term Responsible For Story of Japs' Poisoned Swords

London, March 17.—No further news of the progress of hostilities in the far east has been received here. There is much interest manifested in the report that the Russian main advance is crossing the Yalu, but this is not yet confirmed, and, according to The Daily Chronicle's Ping Yang correspondent, all the Russian troops have left north Korea, 20,000 of them being concentrated at Kulien Cheng, north of the Yalu river, in Manchuria.

The Daily Telegraph's Sebastopol correspondent says it is semi-officially announced that Russia has abandoned as impracticable the idea of sending her Baltic squadron to the far east by the way of Behring straits.

A Port Arthur dispatch says that Admiral Wittsoeft has been appointed chief of Viceroy Alexieff's naval staff and has gone to Mukden.

It is perfectly safe to disregard for the present any rumor that the Russians have abandoned either Port Arthur, Dalny or New Chwang. There is no manner of doubt that Russia intends to hold Port Arthur to the last gasp. It is asserted by military experts everywhere that Japan, for military and sentimental reasons, will endeavor to take the stronghold by assault by sea and land, though why they should offer such a sacrifice of blood until menaced by a large Russian war fleet from European waters is not apparent, when they can accomplish the same purpose merely by isolating the place.

But if Japan does intend to take Port Arthur, Dalny and Ta-lien-wan Bay are the natural bases for such an attack, as they were in the last war. The Russians, of course, realize this, and have strengthened the place immensely. Indeed, the Port Arthur defenses extend to the bay. Therefore Dalny will not be evacuated until after a fierce fight. And it is only when Dalny is taken, or the key is turned on Port Arthur north of Dalny, that New Chwang would furnish a good base for the Japanese advance on Mukden. Hence New Chwang will remain Russian until that time.

An attack on the railroad north of Port Arthur, at Dalny or elsewhere, is unlikely until the forward movement of Japanese troops is under way from the Ping-yang-Wonsan line in Korea toward the Yalu. Russia is holding New Chwang and Port Arthur on the right of her line, the Yalu valley in the ceitre, and the approaches to Possiet bay and Vladivostok on her left Russia may abandon this position or that, as the exigencies of the campaign demand, o Japan may change the line of advance to meet new dispositions of the Russian army, but any change likely to come soon will not alter the situation on the Liao-Tung peninsular.

The Vei-lim river named in the dispatch from St. Petersburg discussing the movements of the Japanese in Korea is apparently the Wol-Lim of the best maps—the eastern branch of the Chhong Chhon river, which flows west, nearby Anju, which is just south of the main stream. Pak-chon, as given on the maps, is not on either of these rivers, and the map does not put it on the Pak-chon, still farther to the west. The identity of the town in the despatch and the maps seems settled, and its distance from Anju is correctly given.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says that the talk of "pyroxilin" (poisoned) swords having been left behind by the fleeing Japanese is based on the mistranslation of a Russian technical term. General Hilinski, chief-of-staff to Viceroy Alexieff, in a telegram said that pyroxilin had been found in the form of small torpedoes, which the Japanese intended to be scattered upon the road over which the Russians were expected to pass in order that the explosions resulting from the impact of the horses' hoofs might cause a stampede. These torpedoes were dish-shaped and six inches in diameter. As the road between Anju and Ping Yang is a very narrow one, the hoofs of the horses of the Russian cavalry and artillery and the wheels of the wagons would be certain to explode the torpedoes, resulting in the bolting of the horses and the causing of great confusion.

Russians on Fighting Ground

Seoul, March 17.—The Japanese have ascertained definitely that a strong force of Russian artillery is on the north bank of the Yalu river and that earthworks have been thrown up. Advices from Chon Ju, a town northwest of Anju, say that the people are in a state of panic, owing to the treatment of women and the seizing of grain by the Russians.

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Jury's Finding In Schell Suit Against Zion's Herald

Boston, March 17.—A superior court jury returned a verdict in favor of Rev. E. A. Schell of Chicago in his suit for libel against Dr. Charles Parkhurst, editor, and the Boston Wesleyan association, publishers of Zion's Herald. The jury fixed damages at $24,000. The suit arose over the statements printed in Zion's Herald in 1899 regarding the publication by Schell, in collaboration with E. O. Excell of Chicago, a composer, of a sacred song book. The alleged libel was contained in statements that Schell was dishonest and had utilized his position in the church for his personal gain. The defense was a general denial of the allegations, and a claim that the published statements were true and privileged.

Three Held In Murder Case

Providence, March 17.—Three members of the Seamen's union were arraigned here on the charge of having participated in the trouble on the schooner S. P. Blackburn which terminated in the fatal shooting of Ernest Frohnhoffer, another union member. The men were held for trial on March 25. Six negro members of the crew of the schooner, together with First Mate York, are being held as witnesses for the coroner's inquest into the death of Frohnhoffer.

Result of Pipers' Misdeeds

Concord, N. H., March 17.—The Wolfboro Loan and Banking company of Wolfboro was placed in the hands of an assignee by the superior court, which named James E. French. The bank was closed on Feb. 10 because of a shortage found in the accounts of Cashier Piper. Later developments showed that the bank had lost about $65,000 through the alleged misapplication of its funds. Piper and his son are charged with misusing the moneys of the institution.

For Reciprocity With Canada

Boston, March 17.—At the annual dinner of the Boston Boot and Shoe club last night President Whitney of the Chamber of Commerce declared emphatically for reciprocity with Canada. He called upon the members of the club to take the lead in a campaign for reciprocity with Canada, and said that if it was thought best that the Chamber of Commerce should stand in the van of this fight it would do so.

Attempt to Wreck Train

Ansonia, Conn., March 17.—The presence in this city during the past few days of several railroad detectives has been accounted for by a statement that an attemptwas made recently to derail a train between this city and Seymour, by driving a large spike in a switch. Railroad officials deny a rumor to the effect that several sticks of dynamite had recently been found on the tracks.

Massachusetts Is Growing

Boston, March 17.—The population of Massachusetts under the state census of 1905, it is estimated by Charles F. Pidgin, chief of the bureau of statistics of labor, will be 3,200,000. If Mr. Pidgin's figures are correct the state will show an increase in population of about 400,000 over the United States census of 1900.

Died From Exposure

Rutland, Mass., March 17.—Morton P. O'Brien of Boston came to Rutland and identified the body of the man found on a back road as that of his brother John J. O'Brien of Boston, who had been missing since Feb. 28. The medical examiner pronounced death "probably from exposure and exhaustion."

Bill Benefits Brakemen

Boston, March 17.—The railroad employes of the state won a victory in the lower house of the legislature in obtaining favorable action on the bill providing that all freight trains shall be manned by at least three brakemen. The bill was ordered to a third reading by a voice vote of 14 to 25.

Must Have Been Demented

Pittsburg, March 17.—Harry I. McAlpine, local agent for a New York tea company, shot his wife three times last night and, thinking that she was dead tried to kill himself by cutting his throat with a piece of glass and then took bi-chloride of mercury. McAlpine has a slight chance for recovery and his wife is not in a serious condition. It is said that McAlpine had been laboring under the impression that his wife wanted to place him in an insane asylum.

New Phase at Telluride

Telluride, Col., March 17.—Mrs Stewart Forbes, wife of the secretary-treasurer of the Telluride Miners union, who was deported by the Citizens' Alliance, has taken the matter of her husband's banishment up with H. V. Pearce, vice consul of the British consulate at Denver, asking protection for Forbes upon his return to Telluride Forbes is a British subject.

Herran to Leave Us

Washington, March 17.—The Colombian legation in this city has been closed and Mr. Herran, who for a long time has been acting as charge of affairs, will leave the United States soon. The closing of the legation is the direct result of the events ending in the secession of Panama and the negotiation of the present isthmian canal treaty.

Alleged Grafter on Trial

Kansas City, March 17.—State Senator Jewell has been brought to trial here on a charge of soliciting a bribe of $9000 from E. W. Hess, manager of a baking powder company, to influence state legislation beneficial to the company.

CITY BREVITIES.

The Junior society of Adams chapter will meet Saturday at 2.30 P. M. with Miss Muriel A. Rogers.

Prof. Kaplan, who has had a dancing academy in Hancock hall for several years, has removed to Taunton. His goods were moved Wednesday.

Arrangements are being made for a school children's festival to be held on Saturday, April 30, for the benefit of the free sloyd and kindergarten classes of the Quincy Home Science association.

Postmaster and Son Jailed

Toledo, March 17.—Myron E. Townsend, postmaster at Edon, is charged with embezzling postoffice funds to the amount of $750, and his son, who acted as his deputy, is charged with rifling registered letters. They were held in $1000 bond each for a hearing. In default of bond they were committed to jail.

Earthquake Disturbs Victoria

Victoria, B. C., March 17.—At 8:18 last night the sharpest shock of earthquake felt in Victoria for 20 years shook the city. The seismographic recorder at the meteorological office cannot be touched until Saturday. The curator expects the record will show a spasm of unusual violence.

Scandal In Cream City

Milwaukee, March 17.—Several arrests have been made on warrants covering indictments returned by the grand jury. Among those arrested and the charges against them are Building Inspector Dunn, bribery; former Alderman Cook, bribery; Alderman Murphy, bribery; Supervisor Sutton, bribery; former County Clerk Hare and Frank Keogh, printer, conspiracy to defraud the county; Deputy Tax Commissioner Hummelstein, conspiracy.

Robbers Skinned "Home Bank"

Morgantown, W. Va., March 17.—Three robbers entered the home of James Pickenpaugh, a farmer living at Cheatneck, and after torturing their victim secured $1100 and escaped. Pickenpaugh had no faith in the stability of the banks and carried the money, which represented his savings for 20 years, strapped around his waist in wallets.

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Jackson, Miss., March 17.—Iva Henderson and the three Legettes of Kemper county, who are charged with having held Shep Griffin, a negro, in servitude, were indicted by the federal grand jury at Meridian and subsequently appeared before the federal court and gave bond in $25,000 each for their appearance for trial.

Stirred Up Over Chinese

London, March 17.—In the house of commons last night Mr. Bannerman, the Liberal leader, gave notice that he would move "that this house disapproves the conduct of his majesty's government in advising the crown not to disallow the ordinance for the introduction of Chinese labor in the Transvaal."

Robbed Safe at Leisure

Elmira, N. Y., March 17.—Two Lehigh Valley railroad stations were burglarized last night, one at East Towanda and the other at Ulster, Pa. At Ulster the United States Express company's safe was carried two miles away before being broken open. The value of the contents is not known.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Friday, March 18.
Sun rises—5:52; sets—5:54.
Moon sets—7:27 p. m.
High water—12 m.; 12:15 p. m.

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Payne Is Very Weak

Washington, March 17.—Postmaster General Payne has undergone a severe attack of gout about the knees and both feet and has suffered intense pain. That he is in an exceedingly weak state is known among his close friends and he is being carefully guarded against any form of excitement. He has been unable to leave his bed for almost 10 days and has had considerable difficulty in taking nourishment.

A Truckload of Gold

New York, March 17.—Five tons of gold coin were moved in a truck from the United States sub-treasury to the New York clearing house yesterday afternoon. The gold was to pay the debit balance of $2,734,394 that was against the government and in favor of the banks. This amount of money, in gold, weighs 10,000 pounds.

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JUSTIFIES LYNCHING

Congressman Thinks It Necessary In Certain Instances

Washington, March 17.—In the house, during the discussion of the postoffice appropriation bill, Mr. Spight (Miss.) discussed the negro question and declared unjust the attacks on the people of the south who had been charged with brutality and barbarism toward the colored race. Comparing the lynchings and burnings at the stake which had occurred in the south with those in the north, he said that the people of the south, in meting out punishment to a negro who had committed a fiendish crime, never followed it up with violence toward defenseless women and children, as had been done in the north.

"So far as I am concerned," he said, "I am opposed to mob violence as a general proposition. I do not think that lynchings for any other crime than the nameless one against womanhood ought ever to occur. No one with a spark of manhood in him can doubt that instant death to the perpetrator should fall upon the ascertainment of the guilty facts. The poor suffering woman who has been the victim of the devilish lust of a brute, white or black, should not be compelled to appear in court and repeat before a jury the horrible details of the outrage."

Has Mania For Dueling

Dresden, March 17.—Lieutenant Von Krohn has been condemned by a court martial to four months' imprisonment for challenging to duels and fighting with his brother officers in defense of his family honor. Three of his opponents were respectively condemned to 6, 15 and 24 months' imprisonment. VonKrohn recently fought eight duels and was about to undertake a ninth encounter in defense of his family honor

Pardon For Filipino Murderers

Washington, March 17.—The president has granted pardons to two Filipinos, Arturo Echelar and Elias Mendoza, who were convicted before a military commission of the murder of a native corporal of police. The offense grew out of the insurrection and the pardons would have been included in the president's amnesty proclamation of July 4, 1902, except for the fact that the cases had gone to final trial.

Two Years of Misery Ended

Chapman, Kas., March 17.—Robert Kenney, a wealthy young farmer, shot and instantly killed his wife at their home here and then killed himself. Two years ago Kenney was sued for breach of promise by the woman he killed and a judgment of $6000 was rendered against him. The suit was compromised by his marrying her, but recently she sued him for divorce, alleging cruelty.

The Pro Patria Is Safe

Halifax, March 17.—A brief message was received here from St. Pierre by local agents of steamer Pro Patria, announcing her arrival at that port. The Pro Patria sailed from St. Pierre for Halifax March 1, and should have been here March 2 or 3, but probably was forced to return to St. Pierre owing to the ice pack. The crew consists of 20 men and the passengers numbered nearly 40.

Explosion Caused a Panic

Buffalo, March 17.—Thirty girls employed at the Ontario Biscuit works were thrown into a panic when a terrific explosion damaged the plant to the extent of $50,000. The stairway remained intact and the girls escaped. Three men were burned and bruised, one of whom may die. The explosion was probably caused by a leakage of natural gas, which was used as fuel in the plant.

Law Needs Amending

Des Moines, March 17.—For two days policy shop gamblers have defied the authorities, who have sought under the state law to seize the gambling paraphernalia and close the doors. Hundreds of arrests have been made and still the policy gamblers continue openly to do business. It is claimed the game does not come under the present state law.

Twenty-Five Million Reformers

Washington, March 17.—Chan Mun Shang, a Chinese merchant of San Francisco, who is head of the Chinese reform movement in this country called on the president. He says that 25,000,000 Chinamen already are enrolled in the movement and that the list is increasing rapidly.

Bank Owner Indicted

Sioux City, Ia., March 17.—W. E. Brown, president of the First National bank of Storm Lake, and owner of three failed banks, was indicted by a grand jury for receiving money after he knew the banks to be insolvent. Brown's liabilities were over $500,000.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The senate has confirmed the nominations of Charles H. Robb to be assistant attorney general and Captain Theodore Jewell to be rear admiral.

The Imperial Russian minister of finance has offered a prize of 50,000 roubles ($25,000) to the person or persons who will invent some way of making alcohol undrinkable.

Steam freighter Eleanor F. Peck sunk at her dock at New Haven. She had been out of commission about six months.

W. E. Stanley, ex-governor of Kansas, has resigned as a member of the Dawes commission, effective April 1.

Senator Lodge has been authorized by the senate committee on foreign relations to make a favorable report on his bill to grade the consular service.

Baron Von Sternburg, the German ambassador, who has been suffering from a severe cold, is reported to be much better.

MASTER'S NOTICE OF SALE.

THE QUINCY GRANITE QUARRIES COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the decree of foreclosure and sale made and entered by the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Massachusetts on the twenty-sixth day of February, 1904, in a certain cause in Equity pending in said Court entitled "American Loan and Trust Company, complainant, vs. The Quincy Granite Quarries Company, Defendant. John K. Hayward, et al's., Complainants, vs. The Quincy Granite Quarries Company, Defendant; Consolidated Causes;" I, Walter B. Farr, Special Master, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder or bidders upon the mortgaged premises at the office of The Quincy Granite Quarries Company, situated on the Hitchcock Quarry property, so-called, on Quarry street, in the City of Quincy, in said District of Massachusetts, on WEDNESDAY, the fourth day of May, 1904, at eleven o'clock A. M., all the real estate and personal property of every nature and description embraced in and covered by the mortgage executed by the Quincy Granite Quarries Company to the American Loan and Trust Company, dated March 10, 1900, upon which the said mortgage is adjudicated by said decree to be a lien, said real estate being described as follows:—

1. A certain parcel of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:—Westerly on land of Elcock Brothers, there measuring about two hundred and eighty feet; Northerly on land of the Granite Railroad Company and others, there measuring thirty-four feet; Easterly on land now or late of the Adams Real Eastate Trust, there measuring about two hundred and ninety feet; and Southerly on land of Badger Brothers, there measuring one hundred and thirty feet. Containing twenty-two thousand nine hundred and sixty square feet of land.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by John Quincy Adams, et. al. Trustees, by deed dated June 20, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 7.

2. Also a certain other parcel of land thirty feet wide, situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point at the dividing line between land of Tobias H. Burke et. al., and land of Badger Brothers, which point is eighty feet southwesterly from the Westerly line of Willard street, and continuing in the same direction, by ending Northwesterly on land of said Badger Brothers, about thirty-one and 6-10 feet; there turning and running in a direct line nearly Southerly, bounded Westerly on land now or late of said Tobias H. Burke, et. al., about one hundred and ninety-seven and 5-10 feet to a point in the Northwesterly line of a certain private way, which point is one hundred and fifty-three and 33-100 feet Southwesterly from the Westerly line of Willard Street; there turning and running in a direct line nearly Northerly bounded Easterly on land of said Tobias H. Burke, et al., one hundred and ninety-two and 64-100 feet to land of said Badger Brothers, and the point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Tobias H. Burke, et al., by deed dated June 20, 1893 recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 178, and the same are subject to the condition and easement set forth in said deed.

3. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the Northerly corner of the premises, at land of the Granite Railway Company; thence running Southeasterly on land formerly of John Quincy Adams, et al., about ninety-two feet; thence running Easterly on said land, about four hundred and thirty-five feet; thence turning an acute angle and running Southwesterly on land formerly of Robertson, about thirteen hundred and fifty-nine feet; thence running Northwesterly on land formerly of O. T. Rogers Estate, about two hundred and sixty feet; thence Northeasterly on land formerly of Robertson, nine hundred and seventy-nine feet to the point of beginning. Containing seven and 5-100 acres of land.

4. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point in the Westerly line of Willard Street, at the Easterly corner of land of Burke Brothers; thence running Southeasterly on Willard Street, about thirty-six feet; thence running Southwesterly on land of the Co-operative Granite Company, about ninety feet; thence running Southeasterly on land supposed to be of Keenan, about one hundred and two and 35-100 feet; thence running Southwesterly on a private way, and land supposed to be of Keenan, about one hundred and eighteen feet; thence running Northwesterly one hundred and ninety-eight and 5-10 feet; thence Southwesterly eighty-five feet; thence Southeasterly, two hundred and seventeen feet, all on land supposed to be of said Keenan; thence Southerly on lands supposed to be of Keenan, McGrath, Dunphy and Clemens, about three hundred feet; thence Southwesterly on land formerly of Robertson and land of owners unknown, about eight hundred and sixty-two feet; thence Northwesterly on land of the Granite Railway Company two hundred and eighty-two and 5-10 feet; thence Southwesterly on land of said Railway Company, six hundred and ninety-seven and 5-10 feet; thence Northwesterly on land of John Quincy Adams, et al., and owners unknown three hundred and sixty feet; thence Northeasterly on land formerly of Robertson and land of Berry and land formerly of Reinhalter, about fourteen hundred and two and 7-10 feet; thence Southeasterly about thirty-four feet and Northeasterly about three hundred and five feet on land formerly of The Quincy Quarry Company; thence Northeasterly on land of Badger Brothers, three hundred and twenty-five and 5-10 feet; thence Southeasterly on land of Burke Brothers, one hundred and eighty-nine feet; thence Northeasterly on land of Burke Brothers, one hundred and sixty-eight feet to the point of beginning. Containing twenty two and 45-100 acres of land.

The last two described parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by John Quincy Adams, et al., Trustees, by deed dated October 1, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 703, Fol. 266.

5. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Northerly on land late of the Adams Real Estate Trust, about two hundred and ninety-three feet; Easterly by the Granite Railway Company, about two hundred and seventy-eight feet; Southerly about one hundred ninety three feet on land of Thomas McGrath; Westerly on land of Adams Real Estate Trust, about eighty-eight feet; Southwesterly on said last named land, about two hundred and twenty-four feet; and Westerly on said land, about eighty-five feet. Containing one and one-half acres of land more or less.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by two deeds, one given by Ellen C. Keenan, Guardian, dated July 28, 1893, recorded with said Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 5.

6. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, triangular in form, containing about forty-two hundred and thirty-five square feet, bounded:—Westerly on land now or formerly of Berry Brothers, about one hundred seventy feet; Easterly on land of Reinhalter, about one hundred fifty-two 5-10 feet; and Southerly on land of the Quincy Quarry Company, about fifty-one and 7-10 feet.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Alphonse Reinhalter by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 703, Fol. 261.

7. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Northeasterly corner of the premises at land of Alphonse Reinhalter, thence running Westerly on land of said Reinhalter and land of the Quincy Quarry Company, seventy-two feet to a stake; thence Southeasterly on a line eight feet distant from and parallel with the centre line of railroad location of said Quincy Quarry Company, one hundred eighty-eight and 8-10 feet to a stake; thence Northerly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company and said Reinhalter, one hundred fifty-four and 2-10 feet to the point of beginning. Containing about four thousand one hundred and forty feet.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Walter A. Berry, et al., by deed dated December 5, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 706, Fol. 406.

8. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, thirty feet wide, running through the property of James H. Elcock, et al., as shown on a plan made by H. T. Whitman, C. E., dated May, 1893. The North and South boundary lines thereof are each parallel with and fifteen feet distant from the red line as shown on said plan.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by James H. Elcock, et al., by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 564.

9. Also a certain other parcel of land, triangular in form, situated in said Quincy, containing about fourteen hundred and fifty square feet, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Easterly corner of the premises at the centre of a private way at land now or late of Alphonse Reinhalter; thence Northeasterly along the centre line of said private way and on land now or late of said Reinhalter, sixty-three and 5-10 feet; thence Southwesterly on land of James H. Elcock, et al., fifty-nine and 65-100 feet to the centre of another private way and to land now or late of said Reinhalter; thence Easterly along the centre line of said private way and land of said Reinhalter, fifty-nine feet to the point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by James H. Elcock, et al., by deed dated February 1, 1894, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib 710, Fol. 50.

10. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called West Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the most Northerly corner of the premises at land now or formerly of C. F. Adams, and thence running Southerly one hundred and thirty-two feet to land now or late of W. A. Berry; thence running Southwesterly by the last named land, one hundred and fourteen feet; thence Southerly by the same, two hundred and seventeen feet; thence Northeasterly by the same, two hundred and sixty-three feet to land now or late of C. F. Adams; thence Southwesterly by last named land as indicated by certain stone heaps, about eleven hundred and sixty-five feet to a stone heap between maple trees; thence running Northwesterly by the "Six hundred acre lot," so-called, five hundred and twenty-eight feet to land now or late of C. F. Adams; thence Northeasterly by last named land and other land, about thirteen hundred and fifty four and one half feet to the point begun at. Being the parcel marked "Wigwam Lot," on a plan of Wood lots belonging to Joseph W. Robertson situated in West Quincy, made by Whitman and Breck, Surveyors, the line of said parcel thereon being tinted red, and containing according to said plan, twelve and three-fourths acres. Excepting from the above described parcel a small lot of land of about one-fourth of an acre conveyed by Joseph W. Robertson to the Oriental Powder Mills, by deed dated February 2, 1888, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 601, Fol. 205, and the said premises are subject to the rights of way therein given.

11. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called West Quincy, and also shown as tinted red on said last mentioned plan, and containing according to said plan, twelve and 68-100 acres bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a stone bound at the Northeasterly corner of the premises at land now or late of C. F. Adams, and thence running Southwesterly by said last named land, nine hundred and seventy-nine feet; thence Northwesterly by a line indicated by certain stone heaps, eight hundred and nineteen feet to land now or late of E. H. Adams; thence Northeasterly by land last mentioned about five hundred and twenty-one feet to land conveyed by said J. W. Robertson to McGilvray and Jones; thence southeasterly by last named land, four hundred and five feet; thence Northeasterly by the same, four hundred and five feet to land now or late of the Granite Railway Company; and thence Southeasterly by last named land, three hundred and seventy feet to the point of beginning.

The last two described parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Barnabas Clarke, et al., by deed dated June 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 350.

12. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in the Westerly part of said Quincy, being a strip thirty feet wide, running through the property of Michael Horrigan, et al., each boundary line there of running parallel with and fifteen feet distant from the red line as shown upon the Plan of Land and Railroad owned by the Quincy Quarry Company as drawn by H. T. Whitman Civil Engineer, dated May, 1893.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Michael Horrigan, et. al., by deed dated July 25, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 563.

13. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the most Southerly corner of the premises, which corner adjoins Dean and Horrigan's land on one side and the Quincy Quarry Company's land on the other side it runs in a Northeasterly direction, two hundred and eighty feet; from thence in a Northwesterly direction, five hundred and twenty-six feet to a point adjoining McDonnell and Sons' land on one side and Jones and Desmond's on the other side; from thence in a Southwesterly direction, three hundred and fifteen feet; and from this point in a Southeasterly direction, five hundred and twenty-five feet. This tract contains three and 45-100 acres, according to a plan made by H. T. Whitman, Civil Engineer.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Thomas H. McDonnell, et. al., by deed dated August 30, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 69.

14. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the Southeasterly corner of the premises at land of Deane and Horrigan; thence running Northwesterly on said land and land of McDonald, six hundred thirty-six and 3-10 feet to land formerly of Jones and Desmond; thence Northwesterly on said land, three hundred forty and 7-10 feet to a stake and stones; thence Easterly on said land, one hundred feet to land formerly of John Swithin, et. al., and John Jones; thence Northerly on said land, about three hundred and forty feet to land formerly of John Lavers; thence Westerly on said land of Lavers, two hundred twenty-five 65-100 feet to land formerly of Baker; thence Easterly on said land, about two hundred sixty-two feet; thence Southeasterly still on said land two hundred and ninety-one feet; thence Southerly still on said land to land formerly of B. Clarke, two hundred and twenty-seven feet and 76-100; thence Southeasterly on said land, about four hundred three and 5-10 feet to land formerly owned by John Swithin, et. al., and John Jones; thence Easterly on said land about seven hundred sixty-three feet to the point of beginning. Containing about four teen and 95-100 acres.

15. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Southerly corner of the premises at land formerly of John Swithin, et. al., and said Jones; thence Northeasterly on said land, about two hundred seventy-six feet to a stake and stones; thence Northwesterly still on said land, about one hundred forty-nine feet to a stake and stones; thence Westerly still on said land, about twenty-six feet to a stake and stones; thence Northwesterly still on said land; about one hundred feet to a stake and stones; thence Southwesterly still on said land, about two hundred seventy-seven and 5-10 feet to a stake and stones; thence Northwesterly still on said land thirty-three feet to a stake and stones; thence Southwesterly on land now or late of S. Lombard, about one hundred and forty-five feet to a stake and stones; and thence Southeasterly on land known as the Quincy Wood Lot, about three hundred and forty-three feet to the point of beginning. Containing about two acres.

Subject to rights of way if any over the two thirty-three foot streets shown on plan of G. A. Devlin, November, 1891.

The two foregoing parcels being a portion of the premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by deed dated July 28, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 73, from John Swithin, et. al.

16. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Westerly corner of land formerly owned by McDonnell; thence extending in a Northerly direction through land of John Jones to land of John Swithin and others. Said strip of land is thirty feet wide. The Easterly and Westerly boundary lines are parallel with and fifteen feet distant from the centre line of the railroad location of the Quincy Quarry Company.

Being the same premises conveyed to the said Quincy Quarry Company by John Jones, by deed dated December 20, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 813, Fol. 372.

17. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing five acres more or less, bounded and decribed as follows:—Beginning at an Oak tree on the Southerly side of a cartway leading to Pikes Peak and running Southerly four hundred and thirty-two feet to a stake; thence running Easterly at right angles, four hundred and twenty-five feet to a stake; thence turning and running at right angles Northerly, two hundred and twenty-seven and 75-100 feet to a stake; thence Northwesterly, two hundred and ninety-one feet to the centre of an old road; thence still Northwesterly along the centre line of said road and then Southwesterly along the centre line of the cartway first mentioned in all two hundred and sixty-two feet to a point opposite said Oak tree; thence at right angles Southerly about eight feet to the point of beginning at said oak tree.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Thomas H. McDonnell, by deed dated August 22, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 68.

18. Also a certain other parcel of land, being a strip thirty feet wide, situated in said Quincy, bounded:—Beginning at land formerly of John Jones; thence extending in a Northerly direction about six hundred seventy feet to land of Barnabas Clarke. The Easterly and Westerly boundary lines of said parcel are fifteen feet distant from and parallel with the centre line of the railroad location of the Quincy Quarry Company

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by deed from John Swithin, et. al., dated December 20, 1893 recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 813, Fol. 372.

19. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing about eleven acres, bounded:—Northerly on the dividing line between Milton and said Quincy, on land now or late of Samuel Babcock; Easterly on land of the Shawmut Spring Water Company, the Prout Brothers Granite Company, Frederick J. Fuller and Barnabas Clarke; Southerly on land formerly of Josiah Quincy; and Westerly on land of the Quincy Quarry Company.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Frederic J. Fuller by deed dated August 29, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 699, Fol. 422.

20. Also a certain other parcel of land, called the "Robbins Lot," situated in said Quincy bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point on the line between Milton and Quincy on land now or late of Fenno, near land now or formerly of heirs of one Root; thence running Northeasterly by the Town Line and bounding on said Fenno land to land of Glover (now or formerly); thence turning and running Southeasterly on said Glover land to land of Bowman; thence turning and running Southwesterly on land of said Bowman and land of Churchill to land of John M. Forbes; thence turning and running Northwesterly on said Forbes land to the point of beginning, or how ever otherwise bounded or described.

Being a portion of the premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Charles Breck by deed dated June 30, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 3.

21. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing about two and three-eighths acres, bounded and described as follows:—Southerly on land now or formerly of Josiah Quincy; Southwesterly on land now or formerly of Edward Robbins; Northerly on land now or formerly of Fenno; and Easterly on land now or formerly of Field and others.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Eunice A. Adams, by deed dated June 24, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 319.

22. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, being three acres of wood land, more or less, bounded:—Northerly on land formerly belonging to Edward H. Robbins; Easterly on land now or late of Ezra Glover, Southerly by land now or late of Josiah Quincy; and Westerly by land now or late of Asaph Churchill.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Barnabas Clarke, by deed dated October 17, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 703, Fol. 267.

23. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, as shown on a plan of wood land of the late J. M. Churchill, made by Charles Breck, Surveyor, dated June, 1875, recorded with Norfolk deeds, bounded and described as follows:—Northerly by land now or formerly of estate of J. M. Robbins, three hundred and forty two-feet; and by land of the heirs of Samuel Littlefield, six hundred and sixty-nine feet; Easterly by land of A. H. Bowman, four hundred and ten feet; Southerly by land of Josiah Quincy, one thousand and two feet; and Westerly by land of heirs of H. N. Glover, three hundred and thirty-five feet, and containing about eight and one-half acres.

The two foregoing parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Andrew Milne, by deed dated June 26, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 70.

24. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the Southeasterly corner of the premises at land now or formerly of John Swithin and others at a stake and stones; thence Northerly about four hundred and fifty-four feet to a stake and stones; thence Westerly about twenty-two hundred and fifty-five feet to a stake and stones; thence Southerly about four hundred and eighteen feet to land of the heirs of O. T. Rogers; thence Easterly about twenty-four hundred and thirty-six feet to the point of beginning. Containing about twenty-three acres. Being lot "A" on a plan recorded with Norfolk Deeds, drawn by H. T. Whitman, Civil Engineer, dated May, 1893. Excepting from the above described parcel the portion taken by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners for a Public Park.

25. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing five acres of land more or less, bounded as follows:—Beginning at a stake and stones at the Southwest corner of the premises, thence running Northerly on land of Andrew J. Milne, four hundred thirty-two and 36-100 feet; thence turning and running Northeasterly, five hundred and eleven feet to a stake and stones; thence turning and running Southerly five hundred sixty-nine and 7-10 feet to a stake and stones; thence turning and running Westerly three hundred seventy-seven and 1-10 feet to the point of beginning. Being part of lot No. 4 on a plan entitled "Quincy Wood lot, owned by Swithin Bros. and Jones," H. T. Whitman, Surveyor.

The two foregoing parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Andrew Milne by deed dated June 30, 1893, recorded with Norlolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 72.

26. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at a point at a stake and stones, distant four thousand two hundred fifteen and 8-100 feet Southwesterly from crazy man's Bound, and thence running Southwesterly on land known as the "Six hundred acre lot" about ten hundred and fifty-four feet to a stone heap at the line between the City of Quincy and the Town of Milton; thence running Northerly on said line, about sixteen hundred and eighty feet to a large pine tree; thence running Northeasterly on land of unknown owners by a line running through a series of stone heaps to land of Milne and Chalmers, about seventeen hundred feet; thence running Southerly on said land of Milne and Chalmers and on land formerly of the Glencoe Granite Company, in all about eight hundred and seventy-eight and 74-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Easterly on the last named land, five hundred eleven and 24-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Northerly still on said land to and through an oak tree to land formerly of Milne and Chalmers, five hundred eleven and 24-100 feet; thence running Southeasterly on said last named land, about one hundred thirty-eight and 76-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Northerly still on said land, five hundred sixty-nine and 7-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Northeasterly, four hundred forty-eight and 2-10 feet to a stake and stones at land formerly of Fitzgerald and Collins; thence running Southerly on the last mentioned land, about four hundred and fifty feet to a stake and stones; thence running on said land and on land of John Lavers Southeasterly, about six hundred thirty-two and 16-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Southwesterly on land formerly of Swithin Brothers and on land formerly of Baker, about eight hundred twelve and 65-100 feet to a stone heap; thence running Southeasterly on said land of Baker, four hundred and twenty-five feet to land formerly of Swithin Brothers at a stake and stones; thence running a little more Southerly on said last named land, about three hundred forty-nine and 5-10 feet to land conveyed by Barnabas Clarke to Andrew Milne; thence Westerly on said land of Milne, about two thousand two hundred and fifty-five feet to a stake and stones; thence Southerly on said land of Milne, four hundred and eighteen feet to the point of beginning. Containing about one hundred acres.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Barnabas Clarke, by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 67.

Excepting from the above described parcel the portion taken by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners for a Public Park.

27. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing about thirty acres, bounded as follows:—Easterly on the Furnace Line, so-called; Southerly on land of Solomon Nightingale and others; Westerly on land formerly of John Savil and others; and Northerly on land formerly of Josiah Quincy and others.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Frederic J. Fuller, by deed dated June 15, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 525.

Excepting from the above described parcel the portion taken by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners for a Public Park.

28. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Southerly by land formerly of O. T. Rogers, there measuring seven hundred and ninety-five feet; Westerly by land of B. Clarke, there measuring about four hundred feet; Northerly by land formerly of Swithin Brothers, there measuring about seven hundred and sixty-three feet; and Easterly on land of Dean and Horrigan, there measuring about four hundred feet. Containing about six and one half acres.

Being a portion of the premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by John Jones, by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 64.

29. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a stake and stones distant Southerly in a straight line from another stake and stones located in the Northerly line of land formerly of Swithin, et. al., three hundred and sixty-seven and 50-100 feet, as shown on the plan drawn by H. T. Whitman, entitled "Quincy Wood Lot owned by Swithin Bros. and Jones" recorded with a deed from Swithin, et. al., to John Lavers of lot numbered 1 on said plan, dated March 30, 1889; and thence continuing in the same straight line, five hundred and eleven and 24-100 feet; to a stake and stones; thence turning at a right angle and running Easterly, five hundred and eleven and twenty-four one hundredths feet; thence turning at a right angle and running Northerly, five hundred and eleven and twenty-four one hundredths feet to an oak tree on the Southerly side of an old roadway shown on said plan; thence turning and running Westerly along the Southerly side of said roadway, then crossing the same, and thence in a straight line, following the line shaded brown, to the point of beginning, about five hundred and eleven and twenty-four one-hundredths feet, as shown on said plan. Containing six acres.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by The Glencoe Granite Company, by deed dated October 28, 1895, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 747, Fol. 621.

30. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called West Quincy and shown on a plan made by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, dated September, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds. Said parcel is bounded and described as follows:—Northerly, two hundred and five feet as shown on said plan; Northeasterly by a curved line on land occupied by the Quincy Quarry Railroad, two hundred and fourteen and 6-10 feet; Southeasterly on land of the Quincy Quarry Company; Northeasterly again on the curved boundary line between the described premises and land of said Quincy Quarry Company, about one hundred and forty feet; Southeasterly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company, sixty-two and 35-100 feet; Southerly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company, four hundred and twenty-three and 32-100 feet; Westerly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company two hundred and twenty-nine and 67-100 feet; and Northwesterly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company, one hundred and fourteen feet. Said parcel comprises about two and 79-100 acres.

Subject to a right of way in favor of the Oriental Powder Mills as set forth in a deed from Joseph W. Robertson to said Mills, dated February 2, 1888 and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 601, Fol. 205.

Being the same premises conveyed by Walter A. Berry, et. al., to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with said Norfolk Deeds.

31. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Easterly by land of the Granite Railway Company, about one hundred and sixty-two feet and seven inches; Southerly by the same, by land of McGillvray and Jones and by land of the Quincy Quarry Company, about twelve hundred feet; Westerly by land of Dean and Horrigan, about one hundred and eighty-three feet; and Northerly by land now or late of the heirs of Townsend and Clements, about twelve hundred feet.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company by John Cashman by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

32. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at an iron rod at the Northwesterly corner of the premises at land of F. J. Fuller and land of the Quincy Quarry Company; thence Northeasterly by land of said Fuller and land of the Shawmut Spring Water Company, about four hundred and six and 8-10 feet; thence Northerly by land of said Shawmut Spring Water Company, fifty two and 84-100 feet to a stone bound; thence Southeasterly by land of owners unknown and land of Barnabas Clarke, one hundred and eighty-three feet to a stone bound; thence Southwesterly by land of said Barnabas Clarke, three hundred and thirty-four and 45-100 feet to a stone bound; thence Northwesterly by the same, eighty-three and 75-100 feet to a stone bound; thence more Westerly by the same, one hundred and fifty-seven and 25-100 feet to a stone bound; thence more Northerly by land of the Quincy Quarry Company 212.68-100 feet to the point of beginning. Containing two and 46-100 acres.

Being the same premises conveyed by the Prout Brothers Granite Company to said Quincy Quarries Company by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

33. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Northwesterly by land of the Quincy Quarry Company, about one hundred and sixty-nine and 7-10 feet; Northeasterly by land of said Quincy Quarry Company, four hundred and thirty-two and 36-100 feet; Southerly by land formerly of the Glencoe Granite Company about two hundred and seventy-two and 9-10 feet; and Westerly by land of the Quincy Company, three hundred and sixty-seven and 5-10 feet. Said parcel comprises two acres and is shown on a plan of land in Quincy belonging to Andrew Milne, dated September, 1899, drawn by H. T. Whitman, recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

Being the same premises conveyed by Andrew Milne to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

34. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Northerly on land belonging to said City of Quincy, one hundred and sixty-six feet; Easterly on land now or late of Nathaniel F. Safford, now or formerly used by him as a private way, six hundred and forty seven feet; Southerly on land now or formerly of said Safford, two hundred and six feet, and Westerly by land now or formerly of Dell and Biganiss, six hundred and forty eight feet.

Being the same premises conveyed by William R. Thomas to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

35. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows: Northerly on land of the City of Quincy, and land of W. G. A. Pattee, four hundred and fifteen feet; Easterly on land of Mary Errickson, about three hundred and seventy five feet; Southerly by land of Safford, two hundred and ten feet; Easterly again on the same, about two hundred and eighty seven feet; Southerly again by a Roadway in two lines measuring one hundred and seventy seven feet and twenty five feet respectively; and Westerly by land of Thomas, six hundred and forty seven feet.

Being the same premises conveyed by Peter T. Fallon, et al, to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

36. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy bounded as follows:—Easterly by Quarry Street, two hundred and sixty nine feet more or less and on land formerly of Richards Munn and Company, two hundred and twenty one feet more or less; Southerly, five hundred and twenty feet more or less; Southwesterly, five hundred and thirty two feet more or less; and Northerly seven hundred and eighty feet more or less on land formerly of the heirs of Josiah Bass. Containing five and one half acres and twenty two rods more or less or however otherwise bounded, measured or described.

37. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy on the Southwesterly side of Quarry street, bounded as follows:—Beginning at a point at the Northeasterly corner of land now or formerly owned by Eleazer Frederick and William Field as shown on a plan by H. T. Whitman and C. E. C. Breck, November 1871, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds; thence running Northwesterly along said Quarry Street, three hundred and seventy feet more or less to an iron bolt in a rock near the Northerly end of an old wall, said rock is marked with the letter "C" cut in the rock on the Easterly side of the bolt and the letter "S" cut in the rock on the Westerly side of the bolt; thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction along line of land of Nathaniel M. Safford to an iron bolt in a rock; said rock being marked "C" on the East side and the letter "S" cut in the rock on the West side; thence continuing in a straight line to the Northerly line of land now or formerly owned by Eleazer Frederick and William Field, being a distance of two hundred and sixty feet more or less; thence turning and running in an Easterly direction along the line of land now or formerly owned by Eleazer Frederick and William Field, three hundred and eighty five feet more or less to the point of beginning on the southwesterly side of said Quarry Street.

The two parcels of land last above described being the same premises conveyed by Sarah J. F. Carr, et al, to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

38. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Northerly on Quarry Street, there measuring about four hundred and forty-two feet: Easterly on lands formerly of Thomas Greenleaf, now, or late owned by W. G. A. Pattee, there measuring one hundred and forty-two feet; southerly by the "Bass Common" lands, so called, now owned by Fallon, et al., there measuring about four hundred and forty-four feet; and Westerly on a private way laid out by the Supervisors of the Adams Temple and School Fund, for about two hundred and seventy-eight feet.

39. Also a certain other parcel of land situated on the Northerly side of said Quarry street in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises at land formerly of said Greenleaf and running Westerly following the Northerly line of Quarry Street a distance of five hundred and fifteen feet to a private way laid out by the said Supervisors: thence turning and running Northerly and bounding Westerly on said private way, sixty feet; thence turning and running Southeasterly and bounding Northerly on said School Fund Lands, eighty feet; thence running Northerly and bounding Westerly on said School Fund Lands, sixty feet; thence running Northwesterly eighty feet to said last mentioned private way; thence running Northeasterly and bounding Northwesterly on said private way, five hundred and twenty-five feet; thence turning and running Northwesterly and bounding Southerly on said private way and lands of the said Funds now leased to the Merry Mount Granite Company, there measuring one hundred and seventy-eight feet; thence running Northeasterly and bounding Southwesterly on lands of

Quincy Daily Ledger.

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and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.35
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 1424 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
A. Pierson, 92 Granite street.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
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WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
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ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	34	31	56	35	37
Monday,	43	48	64	45	35
Tuesday,	38	57	43	44	37
Wednesday,	41	43	42	51	26
Thursday,	39	32	61	38	31
Friday,	—	36	55	31	43
Saturday,	—	40	65	55	58

New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearing.
Lost—Pocketbook.
For Sale—The Criterion Cafe.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Charles W. Reed of Botolph street has been ill the past week.

The street vocalists today further reminded us that spring is near.

Mrs. Winthrop Fearbey of Dorchester formerly of Norfolk Downs, is seriously ill.

Mrs. John Ramsdell has been in Rhode Island the past week, demonstating.

Mrs. J. Welch of Billings street is entertaining her sister, Miss Pearl Hannaford of Readfield, Me.

Mr. Charles H. Sherburne of South street is putting an addition on the north side of his house.

High mass was celebrated by Rev. John P. Cuffe at the church of the Sacred Heart this morning.

Rev. Walter F. Sweeney of Hingham preached a sermon on St. Patrick at St. Mary's church Wednesday evening.

Mayor Bryant attended the banquet of the Boston Paper Trade Association at the New Algonquin club Wednesday evening.

Rev. Fr. Hennessey of South Boston preached on "Hell and Eternity" at the Lenten services at St. John's church Wednesday evening.

A largely attended and very pleasing concert under the auspices of Quincy lodge, I. A. of M., was held Wednesday evening at Hancock hall.

Paul Revere, W. R. C., will have a supper and social on Tuesday evening March 22. The regular meeting of the corps will be held at 2.30 P. M.

Mrs. Robert Cochran and Miss Margaret MacInnes will return to their home in Bath, Me., tomorrow, after a pleasant visit with friends in this city.

High mass was celebrated at St. John's church at 9 o'clock this morning by Rev. Julian E. Johnstone. Fr. Johnstone also gave a short address on St. Patrick.

Representative Fallon viewed the Brockton filter beds on Tuesday with the Committee on Drainage of the Legislature. It included a dinner at the Belmont.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Quincy Point church are packing a barrel of useful articles to be sent to Miss Wright's colored school in South Carolina.

Through the kindness of Miss Georgiana Lane, the Woodward girls will have the opportunity of enjoying the Whistler Memorial Exhibition at Copley Hall, tomorrow afternoon.

The fire department was called to Spear street this morning by a still alarm, for a fire in the chimney of the house occupied by Mr. Clarence Underwood, and owned by Mr. George W. Prescott.

Some anonymous writer has sent the Ledger a communication upholding West Quincy in the community. He not only neglected to sign his name but mailed the letter in Boston. Under the rules it is a candidate for the waste basket.

Mrs. Francis Baxter of Washington street entertained the Brownie whist club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. L. E. Holt with a score of 64 took the first prize, a china plate. Mrs. Celia Baxter, with 58, took a pair of towels. A handsome vase was presented to Mrs. Thomas Hewson as a consolation.

A HOT FINISH.

Team Four Wins the Tournament of the North Quincy Club.

A most interesting and exciting finish of the house club tournament took place on the alleys of the North Quincy club Tuesday evening. Teams 6 and 4 played the game of the series. A win of one string by Team 4 meant a tie of four teams, a win of two strings would give Team 4 the prize. A win of all three strings by Team 6 meant that team would carry off the honors of the tournament.

Thus four teams were directly interested, and Teams 1 and 5 had their rooters present in full force to allow Team 4 one string only.

The first string was taken by Team 4. The second string was fought for by both teams until the beginning of the eighth box showing a tie score of 317 for both. The ninth box started with a strike for Terrell. Pandemonium reigned for several minutes. The strike dampened the ardor of Team 5 enthusiasts and as the game proceeded Team 4, gradually gained and ended with a lead of 5 pins, and won the tournament.

The score follows:

TEAM NO. 4.

Perkins,	77	80	82	239
Beale,	66	61	56	183
Langelier,	81	74	82	237
Hall,	90	87	68	245
Thorpe,	98	91	90	279
Totals,	412	393	378	1183

TEAM NO. 6.

Terrell,	80	95	79	254
Lombard,	76	83	88	247
Harrigan,	93	76	61	260
McGrath,	61	62	71	194
Raymond,	79	72	103	254
Totals,	389	388	435	1209

To Wipe Out His Business.

The proposed government naval station between East Weymouth and Hingham takes twenty acres of quarry and gravel land of Thomas J. Lamb of Quincy. Mr. Lamb has recently equipped his plant with a large stone crusher and gravel sifting machinery. If the government takes his property it will wipe out his business.

—The trading stamp nuisance is on trial before the Legislature, and the evidence produced at the hearings by our merchants and others engaged in legitimate trade fully sustains the conclusions reached by the intelligent public regarding the character of this latest scheme of giving "something for nothing." Of two bills before the Legislature, intended for the suppression of this evil, one provides that every stamp shall be marked across its face with a cash value, at which it will be redeemed. The other provides for high licenses from merchants who use the stamps. Either one is said to be constitutional, and either one, it is expected, would probably kill the business by making previsions under which it would be impossible for these concerns to operate at a profit. It is merely a question of which would be found the more feasible plan, and in this connection it is said the plan of demanding a high license fee has been successful in driving the concerns out of Florida.—Boston Courier.

A Man of Words.



"I wonder why Wise is so popular with the girls. He is the clumsiest skater I ever saw."

"Oh, but he apologizes so gracefully when he bumps into one."

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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The Wollaston Yacht club will celebrate St. Patrick's night with a grand barn dance.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

DIED.

GREY—In Holbrook, March 15, Mr. William Grey, aged 82 years.

CUNNIFF—In Roxbury, March 16, Miss Mary L., daughter of the late Patrick Cunniff, aged 20 years, 10 months and 23 days.

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OLD AGE INFIRMITY

Pension Bureau Places It at Sixty-Two Years

ADVANTAGE ALL ROUND

Veterans Saved Expense of Time and Transportation Incidental to Examination--Order Could Not Have Been Issued Sooner

Washington, March 17.—Commissioner of Pensions Ware, with the approval of Secretary Hitchcock, has promulgated the most important pension ruling that has been issued in a long time. It directs that beginning April 13 next, if there is no contrary evidence and all other legal requirements have been met, claimants for pension under the general act of June 27, 1890, who are over 62 years old, shall be considered as disabled one-half in ability to perform manual labor and shall be entitled to $6 a month; over 65 years to $8; over 68 years to $10, and over 70 to $12, the usual allowances at higher rates (not exceeding $12) continuing for disabilities other than age.

This order will take effect April 13, and shall not be deemed retroactive. The former rules of this office fixed the minimum and maximum at 65 years and 75 years respectively.

After stating that the rules fixing the maximum age limit at $12 for 75 years and the minimum at 65 years had long been in force, Commissioner Ware said: "The act of congress passed in January, 1887, and approved by President Cleveland, put all the Mexican war veterans on the pension roll 39 years exactly after the end of the Mexican war. It would seem that if 39 years after the expiration of service a Mexican war soldier was entitled to a pension at 62 years, and no other requisite for drawing a pension should exist except age, that to soldiers of the Civil war, who fought vastly more and longer, at least as good as rule ought to apply.

"The Mexican war limit of 62 years was probably brought about by the well known army limit of 62 years at which officers are retired. There seems to be a general concensus of opinion that at 62 years the disabilities of old age have set in. The order could not have been issued earlier because it is only now that the 39 years fixed by the congressional limit has been reached. The Civil war ended April 13, 1865.

"There is an advantage and saving to the government in the use of this order, because every old soldier who has reached the age of 62 years is able to prove almost without possibility of doubt that he is one-half disabled from earning his support by manual labor. This being so, it seems unwise to put a soldier to the expense of time and transportation to go to a place where a medical board can examine him to find out that fact, and on the other hand, it seems unnecessary for the government to keep boards established and then pay $6 for the examination of a soldier when the result of the examination can be so accurately foretold. Of the 200,000 examinations in the last year, if one-fourth were saved, it would amount to $300,000 and perhaps an equal amount in time and transportation of the old soldier.

"The experience here in the pension bureau has practically established the manual labor limit. In the rulings of the department the inability to earn a full support by manual labor does not include brain work, but applies to those who can by bodily labor earn support. This is what congress endeavored to do and did do, and in the legislation is continuing to do, and the theory of the term and its legal construction are well known and long acquiesced in. Hence in the bureau where so many examinations have been made through a long series of years the disabilities arising from age are almost definitely fixed, so much so that it may be conceded that at 62 years an old soldier is at least one-half disabled from earning a support by manual labor and under the law he would be entitled to $6.

"I am not able to say what expense the bill would entail in the shape of additional payments. There is a great unknown army that has never applied for pensions. It is not known whether they would, or whether they intend to. It will without doubt increase the payments to some extent, but the bureau has not considered that as the proper element of consideration. What the bureau has considered has been whether it was the right, just and proper thing to do, leaving results to take care of themselves.

"I do not think, however, that the increased expense in the long run will be very noticeable, because the death rate is always to be considered and there is also to be considered the fact that the ones to whom we give the pension without proof other than their ages would have proven themselves anyhow under former circumstances as entitled to the pension by reason of their disabilities."

Indians In Dire Distress

Washington, March 17.—Representations have been made to the Washington authorities that the Copper River Indians in Alaska generally are sick and dying from lack of nourishment. The war department has telegraphed General Funston, commanding the department of the Columbia, to do anything he can for the Indians in the interests of humanity.

OSTRICH FEATHERS.

How to Clean Them at Home and Have Them Nice and Fluffy.

"Hardly any woman who owns an ostrich feather thinks of washing it at home," Henry D. Surbled tells me. "She believes the cleaning of the feather involves some intricate and delicate process and is withal such a delicate matter that it can only be accomplished by a professional cleaner. But, if she only knew it, cleaning an ostrich feather is not any more difficult than cleaning a bit of lace. All there is to it is the knowing how, and that it what I'll tell you.

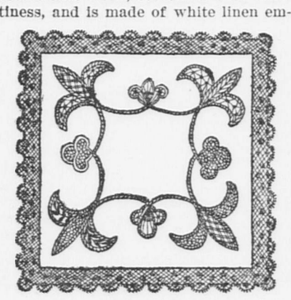
"A suds of soap and lukewarm water must be prepared, and then the soiled feather should be dipped into it and drawn through the hands a few times, as often as necessary, until the feather appears clean. Under no circumstances should it be allowed to remain in the soapy water. Just dip it in and then draw it through the hand to squeeze the water and soap from it before dipping it in again. If it is very dirty it ought to be washed in two suds; then when the cleaning process is over it must be rinsed through several bowls of clear, cold water, the rinsing method being the same as the cleaning, dipping the feather in the water and then drawing it through the hand.

"When it is thoroughly rinsed it must be drawn through the hand repeatedly until it is about dry; then it should be placed on the thigh and slapped with the hand to bring it out fluffy. That is the whole operation. The fluffing of the feather may require a little practice, and it would be well to clean a poor feather before taking a more expensive one through this course of home cleaning in order that the necessary dexterity, a thing that readily comes to one, may be obtained."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

DAINTY PILLOW COVER.

One That Can Be Sent to the Laundry When Soiled.

Every housewife knows the value of a pillow cover that can be sent to the laundry when soiled. This one possesses that merit, combined with daintiness, and is made of white linen em-



LINEN AND LACE PILLOW COVER.

broidered in lace effect, with an edge of German valenciennes lace. The design in the center is first couched, then filled with various lace stitches executed with linen thread, and the back is a square of plain linen stitched to the outer one at three sides, buttoned into place at the fourth, so rendering it quite easy to slip the pillow in and out.—New York Mail.

Danger In Enamel.

Just now there is much alarm in many establishments concerning kitchen utensils. It is said that many of the enamel and porcelain lined goods are dangerous on account of certain combinations with chemicals and acids and heat which will produce a melting of the glazed substances and thus introduce into the stomach poisons resulting in appendicitis. It is a well known fact that before the modern kitchenware was introduced appendicitis was almost unknown, and people ate just as many grapes and other fruits and vegetables with seeds as at present. In Paris the restaurants and many of the private kitchens are subjected to visitations from the health authorities, and even the old fear of being poisoned by food cooked in copper fades away when the present danger is considered.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Pickled Lemons.

In case any one should like to try pickled lemons, here is a recipe by which to make them:

Choose a dozen nice, sound lemons and slit the rind up into four quarters, but do not break the fruit. Fill the cracks with plenty of salt and set them upright in a deep pan in a warm place till the salt melts. Turn the lemons very often and baste with the liquor till they are tender. It will take about a week for them to become soft. Then drain off the liquor and put the lemons in a jar. Meantime boil the liquor with two quarts of vinegar, half a pound of bruised ginger, a quarter of a pound of mustard seed, a quarter of a pound of black pepper. When it boils pour it over the lemons and when cool tie down. This pickle will keep for years, but it ought to be stored some months before using.

For Bad Figures.

A narrow, hard bed is said to be the best preventive of bad figures. If one can also forego pillows, so much the better. Women with round shoulders and double chins have a means provided for their cure if they are heroic enough to give up the downy couch in which they revel. When one thinks of it, the place and position in which one spends a third of every twenty-four hours must have an effect upon the figure.

Girls of Old.

To show the feminine disadvantages it is worthy of note that Northampton, Mass., now one of our most famous educational centers, voted in 1788 to be at no expense for the schooling of girls, and they were not admitted to its public schools until 1802.

IMPORTANT SALE.

Forty-five Valuable Parcels of Quarry Property Offered.

From the size of the foreclosure sale in this issue one would think that a large portion of the city was to be sold. Probably the granite business of the city will improve after the sale.

The sale includes the quarry property which formerly belonged to John Quincy Adams, et. al., trustees; Tobias H. Burke, et. al; Ellen C. Keenan, guardian; Alphonse Reinhalter; Walter A Berry, et. al.; James H. Elcock; Barnabas Clarke; Michael Horrigan; Thomas H. McDonnell; John Swithin, et. al.; John Jones; Frederic J. Fuller; Charles Breck; Eunice A. Adams; Andrew Milne; the Glencoe Granite Company; John Cashman; Prout Brothers Granite Company; William R. Thomas; Peter T. Fallon, et. al.; Sarah J. Carr, et. al.; Adams Temple and School Fund; George S. Paterson, et. al.; also other quarry and personal property.

MILTON.

The annual parish meeting of the East Milton Congregational church wil be held the last Monday in March.

A private dancing party was given in Ellsworth hall Wednesday evening by Paul Babcock.

Rev. Charles Hutchingson of the Church of the Ascension, Boston, will preach at the Mission of Our Saviour church on Sunday evening.

William Atkins is going to Montana next month.

The Thursday Evening club will give a concert at the Sailors' Haven in Charlestown on Monday evening, March 28.

The new church of the Mission of Our Saviour is expected to be completed by the first of May.

The fire department was called out by an alarm from Box 62 at 10.22 A. M. March 11 for a fire in the chimney in the old Malcolm Forbes house on Milton hill. The damage was slight.

Reconsidered.

In the House of Representatives on Wednesday, upon motion of Representative Ward of Brookline, the vote accepting the report of the Committee on Roads and Bridges, leave to withdraw, on the petition for the care of the Weymouth Fore River bridge by the Highway Commission, was reconsidered and recommitted.

"A Railroad Beautiful"

Is the title of an interesting critism by Charles Mulford Robinson of the Boston & Albany R. R. artistic suburban stations and landscape gardening. It is reissued in pamphlet form and may be secured b addressing A. S Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt., Boston.

Queer Sympathy.



"Poor Fido! I've been neglecting him shamefully of late. You see, the nursegirl was sick, and I had to devote some of my time to the baby."—New York American.

Piano Test For Engines.

Pointing to a piano that was standing in the locomotive roundhouse of the Missouri Pacific railroad near Kansas City, an English visitor remarked, "Ah, I see your road supplies you with musical entertainment."

"Guess not," replied the foreman. "That piano is for testing the engines."

The Englishman thought it a joke, says a writer in the World's Work, but when a uniformed pianist struck a note which harmonized with the noise of vibration in each part of the locomotive as it was tested he understood that there could be no flaws or cracks in the engine. He was informed that if the noise of the locomotive made a discord with the musical note the locomotive would be thus proved defective. The method has been discovered to be more accurate than the old way of hammering each part.

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THE BLACKMAILER

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The career of Miss Hattie Saunders, as she called herself, was brief, but full of incident, and the way she happened to become an inmate of the prison I was connected with was a fair sample of the adventures she engaged in.

The "job" for which the woman was convicted and sentenced was carried out in London. She invented excuses to go to the office of a wealthy broker several times and to have him call on her at least twice. He was a widower, but was soon to be married again. One day she demanded $5,000 of him, and he stood up and defied her to do her worst. She was angered over his defiant attitude and made the mistake of taking him into court. The woman he was to be married to at once broke the engagement, and he was the subject of public and private scandal.

This made him thirst for revenge. He won his case, but he set private detectives at work, and in the course of time the girl was traced clear back to the home from which she had run away. Then he caused her arrest and unmasked her in court, and pretty soon the doors of a prison closed on her on a three year sentence. At her trial a prominent divine testified:

"I was favorably impressed with her appearance. I never saw a more truthful, honest face. Her voice charmed me. She was very shy and diffident, and all my sympathies were aroused. I received her in my study, as I did all others. She was there for about twenty minutes and told me a story that was false from beginning to end, but which I implicitly believed at the time. When she rose to go, she demanded $500 of me, threatening to go before a judge and swear out a warrant for me if I did not hand it over. She was cool and calm, and, while admitting my innocence, she argued that I could not afford to be dragged into court and scandalized. The result was that I gave her the money."

Prison officials are not easily beguiled, but I must admit that Miss Saunders pulled the wool over our eyes in great shape. She hadn't been with us two weeks before we began to look upon her as a martyr. She won the heart of the matran in a month, and within three she was being treated more as a guest than a prisoner. Our prison was open to the public several hours each day, and everybody who came wanted to see "the beautiful prisoner." In one month six different men offered to marry her in case she could get a pardon, and nine-tenths of the female visitors gave her their sympathies. The prison doctor, the chaplain, the warden and a guard were all "soft" on her at the same time, and yet all of them were old prison officials and married men.

The matron had a sister living about half a mile from the prison. After Miss Saunders had been with us for five or six months this sister was taken ill, and the matron would go over after breakfast and after supper. One evening I was coming up from the village in a buggy and encountered the woman on the highway. We nodded to each other, but after I had passed on it struck me that the female, whose weight was 160 pounds, had suddenly lost flesh. I turned to look and then became certain that some one had borrowed her clothes. Whirling the buggy around, I overtook her, and, behold, it was Miss Saunders!

I took her back to prison and made an investigation, and it did not surprise me overmuch to learn that the matron was in the plot. She believed the girl innocent and was willing to help her get away. The political situation was rather ticklish just then, and so the facts were kept from the public. A month later the commissioner from London dropped in and inquired for Miss Saunders. He had been appealed to by a score of outsiders who did not believe her guilty. The matron and myself were present at the interview. The commissioner had the record of her trial, and he started in without a doubt of her guilt, but two hours later he was very much befogged.

The prisoner not only explained away the points bearing hardest against her, but accused the broker so circumstantially that it seemed to be a case where he had evoked the law to carry out a private spite. She spoke without halting or hesitating. She seemed to anticipate every question and have an answer ready. It was not her words alone, but she knew just where to fetch a smile and where to shed a tear, and at times she looked so sad and heartbroken that you wanted to pat her on the head and tell her to put on her hat and walk out. It may be a mean thing to give the commissioner away, but I'll bet boots to buttons that he was a bit stuck on our prisoner when he left the institution.

I don't know how things would have turned out in the matter of securing a new trial or a pardon had not something occurred to render further proceedings useless. The doctor's wife was an almost daily caller at the prison, and of course she had the run of the place. She was greatly interested in Miss Saunders, but not foolish enough to help her to escape. It amounted to the same thing, however. She brought laudanum to cure a supposititious toothache, and in return Miss Saunders gave her a dose of it in something they were drinking together in the matron's private room. When the drug had taken effect, the fair prisoner dressed herself in the other's raiment and passed the guards and got safely away.

The search for her was only half hearted, and she made good her escape, and later on we heard that she was living in France. Her escape could not be concealed from the public this time, although every effort was made to hush things up.

M. QUAD.

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LAND MOVEMENT RUMORS

Russians on the Retreat, According to One Report--Another Has Them Advancing on Korean Territory--Impartial Observation Would Indicate That Japanese Have Much the Better of the Situation

London, March 18.—The correspondent of The Daily Mail at Che Foo, who has just visited Chinampo, Korea, says: "On the way to Chemulpo we passed a constant succession of Japanese transports. Three thousand Japanese landed at Chemulpo at the end of last week." The correspondent adds that the Russians are retreating across the Yalu river before the advance of the Japanese outposts, and that their forces in this district number 20,000.

Another report has it that the Russians have thrown a large force, 20,000 is the figure stated, over the Yalu, which is moving south, presumably on Ping Yang, while another army corps has crossed the Tumen and is advancing down the northeast coast of Korea. If there were really any truth in the story that Russia had a sufficient number of troops available properly to execute this movement, hard fighting would be the immediate result.

As, however, there is some doubt as to the condition of Russia's ships, and much more doubt as to Russia's ability to provide at this time an army large enough to meet the Japanese on their own grounds, the reported operations should be viewed with suspicion. Japan has a large army in Korea and if the necessities of the case demand it could withdraw enough of her ships from the blockade of Port Arthur to convoy transports from which to land troops on the right flank and rear of this alleged Russian advance. The ice goes out of the Yalu at about this time so that it would be possible, if the river were free, to land troops astride of the Russian line of communication, virtually under the guns of the Japanese fleet.

It is more than probable that at the present stage of the war Russia considers the Yalu merely as a sort of buffer, to be used to delay the Japanese advance as long as possible, so as to permit of the completion of the concentration of troops at Harbin and their dispositions along the defensive line adopted.

If the Japanese determine on an advance across the Yalu the retiring Russian forces will have to display considerable skill and mobility to escape the embrace of their alert foe. A Russian retreat to Liao Yang would entail a withdrawal from New Chwang and the lower Liao Tung peninsula. The Port Arthur garrison would be driven in upon its works.

It seems likely that within the month there will be a test of strength along the lower Yalu, and that the general bearings of the strategy of the campaign will be developed.

The Daily Mail's Wei Hai Wei correspondent learns that Viscount Aoke, formerly Japanese minister to Germany, is going to Seoul to establish practically a Japanese administration for Korea.

The Che Foo correspondent of The Standard reports that provision trains are arriving hourly at Port Arthur, the railway being intact.

The Daily Telegraph's Tokio correspondent asserts that the Russian fleet has returned to Port Arthur. If this is correct, the correspondent adds, it is evident from Rear Admiral Baron Von Stackelberg's report that the Russian cruisers which left Vladivostok returned to that port without an attempt having been made to unite the fleets, or, if any attempt was made, it was unsuccessful.

The Che Foo correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald asserts that a portion of the Russian fleet made several cruises within a radius of 50 miles of Port Arthur without finding any trace of the enemy.

Russians Recrossing the Yalu

Seoul, March 18.—The Japanese authorities have been advised that the Russian cavalry in northern Korea has partly recrossed the Yalu river and that a Cossack battery has also withdrawn. A small Russian force still occupies Cheng Ju.

Five thousand engineers are now employed in the building of the military railroad from Seoul to Wiju. Only a few miles have been completed. Civilians are working on the railroad from Seoul to Fusan. This road cannot be completed before next October.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

TEST LIQUOR CASE.

N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Summoned into Court.

The Globe reports that City Marshal William A. Boyden of Brockton took out summonses on Thursday for the N. Y. N. H. & H. railroad company as a corporation and for one of it local agent, to appear in the police court March 22, to answer to a charge of unlawfully selling intoxicating liquor.

The agent mentioned is Willis Harding, an employe at the Brockton freight house who was summoned by Inspector Grose, the warrant alleging that on March 16 he "did unlawfully sell intoxicating liquor to Antoni Kozlowski."

The summonses against the corporation alleges that on the same date the road violated the liquor law by selling to William J. Boyd, Antoni Koslowski, J. S. Burneti and Nathan Guerin, Brockton expressmen. It is alleged they had liquor brought to them as freight by the corporation and delivered to them for their customers. This Marshal Boyden contends is illegal. The summonses for the railroad corporations are yet to be served.

Judge Farnam answered a letter from Marshal Boyden last week, in which he claimed that the railroad corporation must take such freight as was presented for shipment as a common carrier.

The case will be very interesting, since if it is won by the city, will tie up prohibition towns as they were never tied before.

The hitch probably comes over the time of payment, whether at the time of ordering the liquor, or upon delivery.

Rebekah Visitation.

I. O. O. F. hall held a gay and happy party last evening, it being the regular meeting of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge. The work of initiation was performed on several candidates in an able and praiseworthy manner. There were present the board of grand officers, Grand Master Sumner P. Lawrence of Fitchburg, Deputy Grand Master George H. Fuller of Boston, Grand Treasurer J. Lawrence Martin of Boston, Grand Marshal Willey, District Deputy Mrs. Annie M. Sawyer and suite of Boston; delegations from Amana of Braintree, Reliance of Brockton, Helping Hand of Duxbury, Steadfast of East Weymouth; also from Cambridge, Somerville, Newport News, Virginia, and other places.

Remarks from the grand officers, district deputy and other visiting members were very interesting, as well as encouraging, and were listened to by one hundred and twenty-five.

At the close of the meeting a fine collation was served and a social time enjoyed by all.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Joseph Marshall, for larceny from Robert E. Foy at Quincy, was called and he was sent to the Lyman school for boys. Appealed.

James Faircloth was fined $3 for disorderly conduct on the public streets at Quincy.

John Dunham was fined $3 for drunkenness at Braintree.

Jerry Lordan was fined $10 for creating a disturbance on a street car at Braintree.

The continued case of Louis Petcil for larceny of an overcoat and gloves from H. A. Gilchrist was called and he was fined $10.

Slipped on Ice.

Elizabeth A. Souther, a teacher at the High School, had a bad fall on Saville street this morning. She had just arrived in Quincy on the train and started to walk from the depot to the school. Just after leaving the depot platform she slipped on the snow-covered ice and fell, striking heavily on the back of her head. She was taken to the office of Dr. Garey where it was found fortunately that no bones were broken and that she had received no serious injury.

Perfect Schoolhouse.

A photograph and description of the new Washington school will be exhibited at the World's Fair in St. Louis by the State Board of Police, as what it considers a model of a perfect building, and as a standard for public buildings in the State. The State board has made a number of tests of the heating and ventilating system, and pronounce it, and the lay out of the system, as coming the nearest to being absolutely perfect, of any building in the state.

"A Railroad Beautiful"

Is the title of an interesting criticism by Charles Mulford Robinson of the Boston & Albany R. R. artistic suburban stations and landscape gardening. It is reissued in pamphlet form and may be secured by addressing A. S. Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt., Boston.

WIN AGAIN.

The St. Marys Too Much for the Quincys.

They Make It Three Straight.

St. Mary's Hall Unable to Hold the Crowd Interested.

The third game of basket ball between the St. Marys and Quincys, for the championship of Quincy was played Thursday night at St. Marys hall, and was a close contest. The result was another victory for St. Marys, making three straight. It was hoped that the Quincys would secure one game at least in the series. They did try hard but could not win.

St. Marys hall was hardly large enough to hold the crowd that desired to witness the game. The rooters for both teams were present, however, and kept the air full of their encouraging cheers.

At the end of the first half the score stood 8 to 3, in favor of St. Marys. In the second half Quincy played a fast game and added three points to their score, and St. Marys did the same, making the score 11 to 6 in favor of the latter.

ST. MARYS	QUINCYS
Morrell rf	lb Gibson
Weston lf	rb Crowell
Barry c	c Garey
Mullen rb	lf Knox
Donovan lb	rf Mahoney
	rf Collins

Score, St. Marys 11, Quincys 6. Goals from floor, Morrell 2, Barry 2, Knox 2. Goals from fouls, Donovan 3, Collins, Knox. Referee, G. D. Marshall. Scorers, King and Jones. Timer, Barron. Time 20m halves. Attendance 800.

The game between the two junior teams resulted in a victory for the St. Marys by a score of 14 to 12.

ST. MARY JR	QUINCY JR.
McLaughlin rf	lb Doyle
W. Duggan lf	rb Parker
Buckley c	c Harkins
Hebert rb	lf Martell
D. Duggan rb	
Amet lb	rf Dawson

Score, St. Mary Juniors 14, Quincy Juniors 12. Goals from floor, McLaughlin 2, Amet 2, Hebert, D. Duggan, Martell 2, Doyle, Parker. Goals from fouls, W. Duggan 2, Martell 4. Referee, G. D. Marshall. Scorers, King and Jones. Timer, Barron. Time 15m halves. Attendance 800.

Whist Party.

The Twenty Associates of G. L. Gill Rebekah lodge held a whist party in I. O. O. F. hall Thursday afternoon, nine tables being in play. Souvenirs were awarded to the following: Mrs. Kate A. Hayden, umbrella; Mrs. Josie Daw, Japanese tray; Mrs. Mary Thomas, beer stein; Mrs. Albert Wilscher, pair pillow slips; Mrs. M. A. H. Crane, fancy collar; Mrs. Lizzie Thomas, dust bag. Consolation to Mrs. Thomas Burke, a basket.

Big Car Fare.

Young men who get drunk will learn some day that they can not do as they like upon street cars, and that other passengers have some rights. It cost Jerry Larden of North Easton $10 to find it out this morning. Larden was on a street car, and not only refused to pay his fare, but to keep quiet. The conductor tried persuasion but it was no use. When the car reached the Braintree depot Larden was turned over to Officer Mischler, and in court Judge Avery imposed a fine of $10.

—When a man sees a woman putting on her headgear with a lot of hat pins, he feels that he should call a policeman and have her arrested for "recklessly flourishing deadly weapons."

—The Y. M. C. A. appropriated $10,000 on Thursday for a new front on the association building at 167 Tremont street.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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EX-MAYOR ADAMS.

Elected President on Thursday of the Massachusetts Yacht Racing Association.

OPEN YACHT RACES.

Dates Assigned to the Quincy and Squantum Clubs.

The Squantum Yacht club will have its open race this year on June 18, and the Quincy club on July 29. This was decided at the meeting of the Massachusetts Yacht Racing association in Boston on Thursday when ex-Commodore C. F. Adams, 2d, of the Quincy Yacht club was elected president and a member of the executive committee.

A new 30-foot class was established by vote of 15 to 4, Quincy and Squantum delegates both favoring it.

The dates for the association open races were assigned as follows:

May 30, South Boston.
June 17, Boston at Hull.
June 18, Squantum.
July 16, Winthrop.
July 27, 28, and 30, Boston at Hull.
July 29, Quincy.
Aug. 2, Boston at Marblehead.
Aug. 8, Manchester.
Aug. 9, Manchester, Crowhurst Cup.
Aug. 11, East Gloucester.
Aug. 12 and 13, Annisquam.
Aug. 25, Plymouth.
Aug. 26 and 27, Duxbury.
Aug. 29 and 30, Wellfleet.
Sept. 1, 2 and 3, Cape Cod, Provincetown.
Sept. 5, Lynn, at Nahant.
Sept. 11, rendezvous and parade at Hull.

NAVAL MAGAZINE.

Appropriation for Quincy Land Twice in the Bill.

The item in the Naval Appropriation bill carrying an appropriation for a new naval magazine in Quincy was stricken out of the bill when it was under consideration by the House of Representatives on a point of order. It was, however, restored by the Senate and passed that body.

After careful inquiry at the Naval Department, Congressman McNary has received the information that if the naval magazine is built, it will be on a site outside of the city of Quincy.

Old Hotel Burned.

The old Mayflower Park House at Braintree was totally destroyed by fire last night. An alarm was given about 11.30, but the Box 46 was nearly a mile away and the fire apparatus still further. Two families occupied the hotel.

Annual Banquet.

The Tawasentha club held its annual banquet Thursday evening at the United States hotel, Boston. There was a good attendance of members and a pleasant evening was enjoyed. The committee in charge were Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hunt and Miss Fletcher.

Brigham in Randolph.

It is reported that Brigham, the New Hampshire murderer, was seen in Randolph this morning.

—Men care more for the opinions of strangers than do women. A man will not, if he can avoid it, buy a dime's worth of anything lest the salesman think him cheap. He even wants to pay fifteen cents for his whiskey, says a women.

Halibut Steak, a la Doughnut. Cut in small pieces and dip in egg and then in flour, put in boiling fat. Serve a nice brown.

THE BARN DANCE.

Enjoyable Party by the Wollaston Yacht Club.

The barn dance given Thursday evening under the direction of the entertainment committee of the Wollaston Yacht club was attended by about fifty couples, and a jolly grand time was enjoyed by all. There were many farm costumes. The music was furnished by McTears orchestra, each musician being in farm rig. The hall was placarded with funny reading posters. Mr. Robert Fraser, chairman of the entertainment committee, being editor of the same. During the evening the party was treated to clog dancing by Mr. Robert Fraser and Mr. Clarence Cleaves, also a dialogue by Dr. Merrill and Dr. Marshall entitled "Nit." The happy party broke up about twelve o'clock all feeling that the Wollaston Yacht club is the place to enjoy an evening.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 16th, 1904. The Committee on Election Laws will give a hearing to parties interested in House bills No. 737, 872, 873, 874, for legislation to prohibit the issuance of false and anonymous political circulars; for legislation relative to illegal registration and voting, to attempts there at and to aiding and abetting therein; for legislation to make more definite and effective the law relative to corrupt practices in elections; for legislation relative to corrupt practices in elections; at room No. 438 State House, on Tuesday, March 22, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. JAMES McKINLEY, Chairman. GEORGE A. TURNER, Clerk of the Committee. 18-2t

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgaged deed given by George W. Hurd to Foster Rogers, dated November 14, 1903, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 962, Page 504, will be sold at Public Auction upon the premises upon TUESDAY, the twelfth day of April, 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgaged deed, namely:

A certain lot of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on Vassall street, being Lot No. 463, on Plan of Norfolk Downs by Charles D. Elliot, dated April, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans No. 14, Plan 640, bounded westerly by Vassall street, 50 feet; southerly by Lot No. 464 on said plan, 78 feet; easterly by land now or formerly of John H. Storer et als trustees, 50 feet; northerly by Lot No. 462 on said plan, 78 5-10 feet. Containing, according to said plan, 3912 5-10 square feet; subject to the restrictions referred to in the Deed of said trustees to Wilkinson, dated December 23, 1895, and recorded with said deeds, Book 751, Page 105, and any unpaid taxes or assessments. $75 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

FOSTER ROGERS, Mortgagee.
101 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.
March 18. 3t--18-25-1

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

CORNELIUS MOYNIHAN,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Cornelius H. Moynihan of Quincy, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, or some other suitable person, the executors named in said will having declined to serve.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
March 11. 3t—11, 18, 25

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

The city of Northampton reduced its annual budget by $3,127.00 this year. The larger items include: Fire department $12,051, streets $15,000, poor $10,000, street lights $14,000, salaries $13,661, interest $13,000, schools $72,770, notes $13,500, sinking funds $9,000, sewers $1,600, Forbes library $50,000, Clark library $2,000, sidewalks $3,000.

West Quincy can hardly expect to gain support for any pet measure by attacking Ward One. It would amount to little if there were facts to warrant the assertions, for that is hardly the way to gain support. But what shall we say when the claims have no foundation in fact—"that Ward One gets about everything that can be got."

Ward One has not had Councilmen who have been grasping; in fact they have introduced very few appropriation orders, but have been known as oppositionists or economists. Had Ward One had some pushers, councilmen ready for trades, it would before this have had a new Coddington schoolhouse, more permanent sidewalks, etc.

Ward One has in fact received very little from the city treasury since the organization of the city government, although it is the business centre of the city. The central fire station has been moved out of the ward, the police station has been moved from City Hall to the street which divides Wards One and Three, and the High school has been placed near the Ward Five boundary.

What has Ward Four received? Well, make a note of these items:

Enlargement Willard school lot.
New Willard school.
New school lot at Railway.
New Gridley Bryant school.
New Hose house.
Widening and paving of Copeland street.
Common street improvement.
West street improvement.
Rebuilding of Crescent street.
Appropriation to pave Willard street.
Furnace avenue improvement.
Furnace brook culvert and brook improvements.
Quarry street paving.
Willard street improvements.
Rodman street sidewalk.
Rogers street improvement.
Willard school lavatory.
Grove street improvement.
Plumbing Willard school.
Playground improvement.

Most of these items, and more, can be found on reference to the loan orders in the City Books. Payments have yet to be made on most of the improvements above enumerated.

We congratulate West Quincy upon its numerous improvements, but trust the people of Ward Four will not attempt to blindfold the city.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ There has been a stringency in the egg market, owing to a falling off of deposits, many of the hens having entirely suspended. They will resume, however, in the spring, when the crops begin to move.—Lynn Item.

☞ "Some of the ladies could not refrain from kissing him, and the General gallantly returned the salute." The text is from a press dispatch describing the departure of General Kuropatkin, field commander of the Russian troops, from St. Petersburg for the front. Here is a side of the Russian character, hitherto believed to be phlegmatic and undemonstrative, that has not been exploited. Had it occurred in France, or even in the United States, the description would have provoked but a shrug of the shoulders, and a comment on the effervescent effusiveness of the people. But a be-whiskered Russian! This war is not only to change the map of the far East, but it is to create new impressions of the character of the participants. Shades of the hero of Plevna, woman's kisses were not your portion! Nothing but the deadly bullets of the Turks lightly touched your gallant cheeks. Where are we at?—Lynn Item.

A NOTABLE FIGURE

Duke of Cambridge Long Held the Stage In England

HONORABLE WAR RECORD

Had Prejudiced Opposition to Modernization of Army, and Was Ousted Upon Refusal to Retire at Request of Queen

London, March 18.—In the house of commons both Premier Balfour and the Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, referred to the death of the Duke of Cambridge, joined in eulogizing the duke's devotion to the service of his country, and expressed in behalf of the house sympathy for the royal family.

The duke died peacefully in his London residence, Gloucester house. He suffered another recurrence of the hemorrhage of the stomach, bringing on profound exhaustion from which he failed to rally. King Edward and Queen Alexandra had been constant visitors to the sick room, while the duke's sons, Admiral and Colonel Fitz George, were almost incessantly at his bedside.

The title of Duke of Cambridge died with the late duke, as his sons were born of a morganitic marriage, and his death also places at the disposal of the king a field marshal's baton as well as an Order of the Garter.

George William Frederick Charles, second Duke of Cambridge, was one of the most conspicuous and popular figures in English life. He was born March 26, 1819, in Germany at Hanover, of which kingdom his father, the late Duke of Cambridge, was viceroy at the time for his father, King George III. Indeed, he spent almost his entire youth at Hanover, as his father continued to hold the viceroyalty of Hanover until the accession of Queen Victoria brought about the separation of Hanover from the possessions of the English crown.

The duke was first cousin to Queen Victoria, nearly of her age and so closely connected with her in the public interest and goodwill that a marriage between them would have been immensely popular.

He entered the army in 1837, shortly after Queen Victoria's accession to the throne, and became a major general in 1845, lieutenant general in 1854, general in 1856 and field marshal in 1862. In the Crimea he commanded the first division and participated in the battles of Alma, Balaklava and Inkermann, his horse being shot under him at the latter engagement. On retiring from active service the duke was honored with the special appointment of chief personal aide-de-camp to the queen. In July, 1856, the duke was appointed commander-in-chief of the British army, holding that place until November, 1895, when he was succeeded by Lord Wolseley, the first professional soldier to hold the position.

The duke, who was a Conservative, objected on principle to all reforms, and in consequence of this became such an insuperable obstacle to all attempts to bring the English army up to date that it was determined, after he had been at its head for nearly 40 years, to get rid of him. This, however, was a matter of no little difficulty. He absolutely refused to take any hints, and when the intervention of the queen herself was invoked and she urged him to retire on the ground that advancing years and long service rendered it advisable that he should stop work and spend the remainder of his days in well-earned repose, he cleverly replied that being of the same age as her majesty, he could not dream of shirking his work as long as she remained at the helm, and that he considered himself in duty bound to remain at his post until she helself saw fit to abdicate. The duke was eventually disposed of through clever management by the Salisbury government, which disregarded the queen's known wish to have the command of the army passed on to a young member of the royal family.

The duke married, morganatically, Louise Farebrother, an Irish actress of great beauty, with whom his life was very happy. The marriage was legally invalid because it had not received the sanction of the sovereign, and the queen could not sanction it even if she had wished to do so, owing to the fact that it would not only have placed the actress' children in the line of succession to the throne of Great Britain, but likewise to the crowns of Hanover and Brunswick as well. The children of this marriage include a daughter and three sons. Of the latter, Rear Admiral FitzGeorge and Colonel FitzGeorge are well known. Mrs. FitzGeorge, as the duke's wife was known, died in 1890. She is said to have held very friendly and somewhat intimate personal relations to the queen, who was unable to legalize her marriage.

Tillman Not a Candidate

Aiken, S. C., March 18.—Theodore G. Croft has been nominated by the people of this place for the unexpired term in congress of his father, recently deceased. James H. Tillman and several other candidates withdrew and will throw their influence to Croft.

Disagreement of Jewell Jury

Kansas City, March 18.—The jury in the case of State Senator Jewell, on trial on charges of soliciting a bribe of $9000 to influence his vote and that of two other members of the legislature to repeal a baking powder bill, disagreed and was discharged.

REDUCED TWO OUNCES

Smaller Loaves of Bread For Consumers at the Hub

Boston, March 18.—The Master Bakers' association last night voted to reduce the size of loaves of bread by at least two ounces to the pound. The new sized loaf will be produced on Monday. The bakers say that the reduction in the size of the loaf will not make up for the increased price of flour. Not for 20 years have the bakers in this city taken similar action.

In order to escape infraction of the law a 14-ounce loaf will be hereafter known as a half-pound instead of a pound loaf. Loaves sold at other prices will be reduced in proportion, the two-ounce reduction on the 5-cent loaf standing as a scale rate to be charged against the consumers.

G. A. Sanderson, who was delegated to give the results of the master bakers' conference to the press, said that the working men and their families would not suffer through this reduction in the weight of bread. "They will buy just as much bread because it will be necessary for their living, and the decrease of two ounces on the 5-cent loaf will be hardly appreciable to them, but means a tremendous saving to the bakers of the city."

It was also said by Sanderson that the increase of bakers' wages under the agreement made last May, which was to hold for a year, has placed the master bakers in a position where they had to seek this means of securing an equitable profit for themselves.

Giants of Coastwise Fleet

Boston, March 18.—With the arrival today of schooner George W. Wells there are assembled in Boston harbor seven and four six-masted schooners. The vessels are the Thomas W. Lawson, 4914 tons; the Eleanor A. Percy, 3062; G. W. Wells, 2793; Addie M. Lawrence, 2695, and the William L. Douglas, 2470, a total of 15,384 tons net. Such a fleet of large schooners have never before floated at one time in any harbor in the world.

Feared Losing Her Money

Winsted, Conn., March 18.—After following the life of a recluse for many years, Miss Amanda Church died in her little hut near here. She was 80 years old and was supposed to be very rich. E. M. Clossey, a former Winsted lawyer, was sent to state prison several years ago in an attempt to get Miss Church's money through a bogus will drawn up by him. Since then she hid her money and was in constant fear of being robbed.

Made Certain of Death

New Haven, March 18.—The body of G. G. Rochwell of Danbury was found on the railroad tracks under a bridge here last night, badly mangled and with a bullet wound in his head. Nearby was a revolver and the police say that there is no question but that he committed suicide. When his clothing was searched $30 was found and there was also a gold watch and chain, and about 40 cartridges.

Victim of a Bold Robbery

Boston, March 18.—Frank Zataro, an Italian, is proprietor of a shoe store on Pitts street. Two strange Italians entered the store last night, made a pretence at looking at some shoes and suddenly turned out the light and held a dirk at Zataro's throat. The terrified proprietor gave them $300, all the money in the store, and the robbers escaped.

Victim of Midnight Footpads

Worcester, Mass., March 18.—James Hughes of Boston, 60 years old, was held up and robbed under Front street viaduct at 12:30 this morning while on his way to Union station. One man shoved a revolver into his face, then two others helped take him into an alley and took his gold watch and $3.50, all the money he had, and ran.

Twenty-Six Cars Left Track

White River Junction, Vt., March 18.—A delay of 15 hours in traffic on the Central Vermont railroad was caused by a freight werck between Hartford and West Hartford. A broken rail caused 26 cars to leave the track, and three of them went down an embankment. No one was injured.

Bank President Was Prepared

Albert Lea, Minn., March 18.—A big pistol instead of money is what President Freeman of the Security National bank pulled out of the cashier's drawer when a man entered the bank, shoved a revolver through the window and demanded all the cash in reach. Freeman, who was alone at the time, held the would-be robber safe until help arrived. The highwayman is now in jail.

Ghost Failed to Walk

New York, March 18.—The French Grand Opera company of New Orleans, which began at the Casino theatre on Monday what was to have been a three weeks' engagement, struck last night after the audience was seated and after a wordy warfare left the house in a body. The singers refused to appear because back pay was not forthcoming to several of them.

Deserved His Fate

Roanoke, Va., March 18.—Henry Williams, the negro assailant of Mrs. Shield and her little daughter in this city, confessed to killing an Italian woman in Ohio and to cutting a woman's throat in Pennsylvania. Williams was hanged here today.

Cleveland's Sixty-Seventh

Princeton, N. J., March 18.—Former President Grover Cleveland is passing the 67th anniversary of his birth today at his home here. He said: "There is not anything in the way of what one might call a celebration. I shall be with my family all day."

CITY BREVITIES.

Snow storm No. 35.

An eight-page Ledger tomorrow.

The City Council Committee on Finance will meet tonight. The committee is hard at work upon the budget.

There will be a meeting of the Fragment society with Mrs. Charles Spear, Washington street, at 2 P. M. next Wednesday.

Hurdy gurdys were about Thursday playing "In the Good Old Summer Time." It did not look much like summer time this morning.

Charles S. Costa, engineerman of the steamer, who has been off duty on account of illness, is convalescent, and will return to work this week.

Every time it snows, no matter how little, the wind blows it upon part of the Houghs Neck and Squantum street car lines, so as to block them and require the use of a snow plough.

More Capital Wanted.

The Globe reports that a meeting of the bondholders of the Fore River Ship and Engine Co. was held in the office of Kidder, Peabody & Co. Wednesday to consider the future needs of the company. As a result of the meeting a bondholders' committee composed of S. N. Aldrich, president of the State National bank, and S. Reed Anthony, of Tucker, Anthony & Co., was appointed to consider plans for the raising of new capital and to report at a later meeting. This committee has power to add a third member from New York to represent the $300,000 of bonds held in that city.

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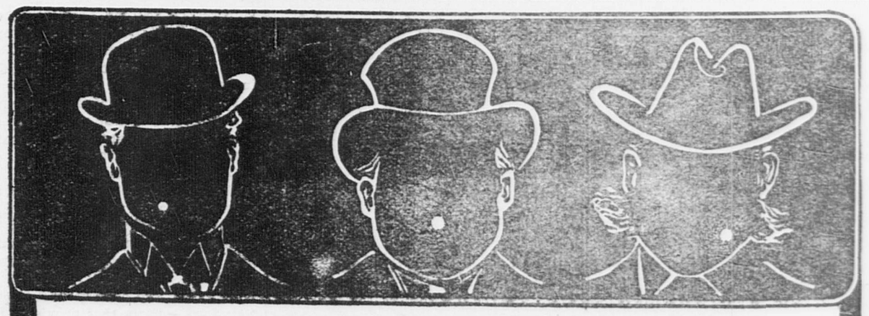
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St. Petersburg, March 18.—United States Ambassador McCormick has communicated to the government a memorandum containing the assurance received by United States Minister Conger from the Chinese authorities at Pekin pledging the neutrality of China while the neutral territory is respected by the belligerents. Satisfaction is expressed here at this new assurance of China's neutrality. The Russians deny that they have any intention of going west of the Liao region. The railroad from Pekin west of the river from New Chwang and to Sin Min Tin Russia considers neutral territory and beyond the sphere of operations unless the Japanese invade it.

The Chinese legation here states most positively that the government at Pekin intends not only to observe the strictest neutrality during the war between Russia and Japan, but that the government thoroughly realizes the danger threatening the integrity of the Celestial empire in case it should become embroiled in the conflict.

"We are well aware," said a member of the legation, "that the eyes of other powers are watching our every movement and we know also what is being said about a general uprising against foreigners should we take sides with Japan; but there will be no chance whatever for our giving the slightest ground for complaint. China can only play one role during the war, namely, that of absolute quiescence. I will not deny that there is some pro-Japanese feeling among my countrymen, but there is also a good deal of pro-Russian feeling. One neutralizes the other.

"I know nothing officially," continued the diplomat, "concerning China's new neutrality undertaking with the United States, but the reports are doubtless correct. We are not carrying on negotiations with the Russian government here, but I believe that some matters are being discussed at Pekin. I see no reason why the fullest agreement should not be reached with Russia. Our position is very clear. We have 20,000 men guarding our frontier of Manchuria. This force is intended solely to maintain order to prevent either belligerent entering our territory. The talk of the foreign newspapers about General Ma making common cause with the Japanese is nonsense. Should the Japanese attempt a landing on the coast, they would be resisted."

Preparing For Emergencies

New Chwang, March 18.—General Linevitch, who was accompanied by General Kondratonovitch after a survey of New Chwang and its defenses, which had been prepared for his inspection, has returned to his command at Liao Yang. He also visited Kai Chou and points affecting the protection of the general coast and the holding of the weak zone along the main line of the railroad opposite New Chwang. Although disclaiming any apprehension of the Japanese landing here, the authorities are satisfied to have foreigners understand that the Russians are prepared for any local emergency and the arrival of an additional battery of artillery and also 150 scouts yesterday is significant of coming events.

It is apparent that both civil and military strategists and the diplomats at Mukden apprehend a collision with the Chinese, probably fearing that the increasing number of their small bands of scouts operating between the Liao river and the Great Wall are the surest instruments for their entanglement in a conflict, particularly as this zone is in the nature of a no-man's land on account of having been abandoned by the powers and also because the Chinese jurisdiction is incompetent. Russians able to judge profess to regard General Ma's attitude as dangerous to the peace of Russia and China.

Will Vote For Roosevelt

Minneapolis, March 18.—The Minnesota state Republican convention to select four delegates at large to the national convention at Chicago selected Senators Nelson and Clapp, Governor Van Sant and Thomas Lowry as the four delegates. The platform endorses the Roosevelt administration and demands the renomination and election of the president.

Killed and Mutilated Child

Detroit, March 18.—Emil Waltz, who has been on trial here for six weeks on the charge of murdering Alphonse Welmes, aged 4, whose horribly mutilated body was found Aug. 18, was found guilty by a jury and sentenced to imprisonment for life. The police claim that Waltz was connected with a similar murder of a boy in Rockford, Ills.

To Press Adjournment

Washington, March 18.—The Republican steering committee of the senate have decided to press appropriation bills to the front, side-track all legislation likely to engender party strife and then, if the session is prolonged, place the responsibility for the delay on the Democrats.

BRISTOW TESTIFIES

Clears Up Wrong Doing Touching Members of Congress

Washington, March 18.—Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, in testifying before the house special committee on the postoffice report, claimed for himself responsibility for only the first seven pages of the report which was sent to the postoffice committee and said the other portions of the document were the work of other officials of the department. The clerk hire section, he said, was prepared in the office of the first assistant postmaster general and that part relating to leases by inspectors and others in his own department.

Bristow's testimony threw considerable light on all phases of the inquiry. He practically cleared members of congress from wrong doing, touching the clerk hire section of the report by stating that it was the duty of the first assistant's office to ascertain the condition of the work in an office where an increase had been recommended.

Lithographic Labor Troubles

Cleveland, March 18.—Over 150 members of the Lithographers' union were locked out by their employers in this city last night because they refused to re-engage as individuals.

Buffalo, March 18.—Over 800 lithographers who have refused to sign the agreement submitted by their employers were locked out this morning.

St. Louis, March 18.—The lithographic firms of this city have notified their employes that those who are unwilling to sign an agreement accepting the arbitration plan must resign.

Milwaukee, March 18.—About 200 lithographers were locked out here because of a refusal to sign individual agreements with their employers.

St. Paul, March 18.—Journeymen lithographers in eight plants in the twin cities have quit work, owing to a failure of the national organization of employes to agree with the national organization of employers.

Summers to Be Removed

Washington, March 18.—As a result of the inquiry into the charges against Senator Dietrich, Williamson S. Summers, United States district attorney of Nebraska, will be removed from office by President Roosevelt. Chairman Lindsay of the Republican state committee of Nebraska will be appointed to succeed him.

Lincoln, Neb., March 18.—H. C. Lindsay is very ill at the city hospital here. Lindsay is Dietrich's candidate for the office of district attorney.

Part of Loot Recovered

New York, March 18.—Detectives last night arrested Oliver Finley and John Hendricksen, cab drivers, on a charge of stealing $5000 worth of jewels belonging to Mrs. J. H. Rhoades, Jr. A pearl necklace, valued at $1500, was recovered with a few other gems, and the police say they have a list of the pawnshops where Finley is alleged to have pledged the remainder of the jewels.

Winter Still Hanging On

Chicago, March 18.—In a furious snowstorm yesterday afternoon enough snow fell to make the total for the winter more than break all previous records in Chicago. As a result of yesterday's storm the elevated railroads of the city were brought to a standstill for two hours.

Stead Shut Out by Milner

Cape Town, March 18.—Lord Milner, British high commissioner in South Africa, has cancelled the permit granted to William T. Stead, the English writer, to travel in South Africa, owing to the character of the speeches recently delivered by Stead.

Payne Shows Slight Gain

Washington, March 18.—Postmaster General Payne is reported to be more comfortable. On the whole there has been a slight gain. There is less restlessness and irritation.

Tornado Struck Texan Village

Neyland, Tex., March 18.—A tornado struck this village, demolishing a number of houses and doing much damage to property. One person was killed.

NEWS IN BRIEF

A conditional gift of $50,000 has been made to Mt. Holyoke college, Northampton, Mass., by Andrew Carnegie, the understanding being that the friends of the institution raise a like amount before June 1 next. It is understood that a new library is contemplated.

Henry Tucker, father of President Tucker of Dartmouth college, died at Hanover, N. H., aged 89. Born in Griswold, Conn., and educated at Amherst, he was for nearly half a century a successful cotton manufacturer.

While shaking a rug over the piazza rail at her home at Somerville, Mass., Mrs. Francis T. Blake lost her balance and plunged headlong to the ground. Her skull was fractured, and she died five minutes later.

Thomas Nunan, a house painter, fell from a house at Winsted, Conn. He landed on his head and was killed.

Sir Donald Currie has donated $500,000 to the University college and London university to build a school of advanced medicine. It will also enable the university to incorporate the college in its system.

Mrs. Miles, wife of General Nelson A. Miles, is ill at their home in Washington. Her condition has been exceedingly critical and no hope is held out for her recovery.

Michael Kinney, the oldest man in Buffalo, died at the Erie County almshouse at the age of 104. Kinney entered the almshouse on Aug. 17, 1853. His last 50 birthdays were celebrated at the institution.

JAPS EXONERATED

Rules of Warfare Not Violated In the Use of Shells

St. Petersburg, March 18.—The charge against the Japanese of violating the rules of civilized warfare in using explosives forbidden by The Hague convention find no echo in responsible circles. The Japanese are acquitted on that score by a high naval officer who holds a very responsible position and who said:

"The accusation against the Japanese of using explosives to produce poisonous gases is based on a misconception. They are employing the same explosives as other armies and navies. It is notorious that the bursting of a melenite shell between decks generates fumes from which the men are liable to asphyxiation, but the Russian shell is no better and no worse than that used by the Japanese. We have not complained in this respect, whatever we may think about the manner in which Japan began hostilities."

Russian Fleet at Port Arthur

Washington, March 18.—A cablegram received at the Japanese legation from the Japanese consul at Shanghai says that the captain of a Norwegian vessel which has arrived there from Port Arthur reports that the Russian fleet left Port Arthur on the morning of March 12, but returned the same evening.

Could Not Deliver Supplies

Odessa, March 18.—Steamer Kitai, which left for the far east with supplies, has safely returned, though the vessel failed to deliver its cargo.

Bishop Loses In Church Row

Lincoln, Neb., March 18.—Bishop Bonacum of the Catholic diocese of Lincoln was defeated in a long pending controversy with Rev. William Murphy, one of the priests of his diocese, by an opinion rendered last night by the supreme court. The court enjoins the bishop from disturbing Murphy in the possession of the church property at Seward. Bishop Bonacum's appeal is dismissed. Many months ago the bishop removed the priest as pastor at Seward and later ex-communicated him, but Murphy, with the aid of the trustees, retained possession of the church property and continued to hold services.

Opposed to Tariff Discussion

Des Moines, March 18.—Lieutenant Governor Herriott delivered an address before the Grant club last night, in which he attacked the position of Governor Cummins in advocating reciprocity and the "Iowa idea." He said that discussion of the tariff at this time in Iowa was irrelevant and would tend to bring about the defeat of President Roosevelt. He advised the dropping of tariff discussion at this time.

General Thomas' Sudden Death

Chicago, March 18.—The death of General H. H. Thomas, who was recently removed as federal appraiser at the port of Chicago, was as dramatic as his removal. He had served in the Civil war, but never had made application for a pension while in receipt of other income. After ineffectual efforts to secure other work, while in a lawyer's office preparing a pension application, he fell dead. He was 70 years old.

Senators Practiced Gambling

Washington, March 18.—With the paraphernalia for playing jai alai, a game which figures conspicuously in the contest against the confirmation of General Wood to be major general, members of the senate amused themselves for more than an hour, protected from the gaze of the public by the closed doors of an executive session. Wood's case may not be settled until next week.

Argentine Likes United States

Buenos Ayres, March 18.—The government has categorically denied the statement published in New York that an alliance has been formed of South American nations against the United States. President Roca declares that Argentina is content to continue on terms of amity with the United States.

Dissapointment For Big Fair

Washington, March 18.—President Roosevelt has decided not to attend the formal opening of the Louisiana Purchase exposition. It is doubtful, indeed, whether the president will visit the fair at all. At the present time he does not see his way clear to be among the fair's visitors during its progress.

Good News For Peach Lovers

Atlanta, March 18.—The Constitution quotes one of Georgia's leading peach growers as saying: "Georgia's peach crop, which will be the largest and finest ever raised, is safe from cold weather. Even a drop in the temperature to 25 degrees above zero would not seriously damage the crop."

Love Causes Double Tragedy

Nemaha, Neb., March 18.—David Carroll, aged 30, shot and killed Anna Maxwell, 16 years old, and then killed himself. Carroll was employed by Miss Maxwell's father as a farm hand. The double tragedy resulted from the girl refusing to accept Carroll's attentions.

Strike of Non-Union Men

Richmond, March 18.—About 800 non-union negro employes of the American Tobacco company have struck for an increase in pay.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Saturday, March 19.

Sun rises—5:50; sets—5:55.

Moon sets—8:26 p. m.

High water—12:30 a. m.; 12:45 p. m.

The disturbance central in western Texas has advanced rapidly northeastward. Rain is indicated for New England.

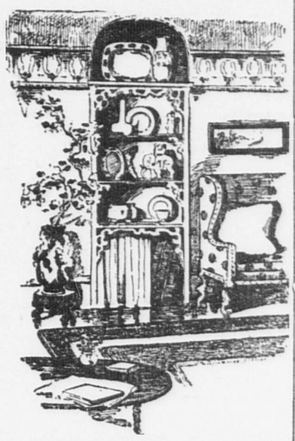
IN THE WALL.

A Structural Opportunity Successfully Employed.

It sometimes happens in an old fashioned house that there is a small space between the side of a chimney and a division wall, or there may be a recess leading to an unused door. Such a structural opportunity may be turned to very pretty account, as suggested by the accompanying sketch, especially if it happens to occur in parlor or living room.

The recess is lined with a material of some dark color, velvet, velours or fluted silk, so as to make a good background to the china and bric-a-brac ranged on the shelves. These latter might be variously designed to suit the character of the room. In the illustration they are supported by fretwork brackets, or they might, if preferred, be shaped with curved fronts like the shelves of an old Dutch cupboard, colored and varnished or lacquered.

The lower part of the recess, screened off with a silken curtain and divid-



PLEASING TREATMENT FOR A RECESS.

ed with shelves or not, as may be required, makes a capital storage place for books or odds and ends.

One may imagine a pleasant color effect in the arrangement shown in the sketch, the walls a clear daffodil yellow, with soft greens and touches of purple in the frieze; the recess lined with russet brown, the little curtain of purple silk.

A delightful note in the color harmony would be struck by the branch of copper tinted beech leaves set in the oriental jar in the foreground.

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Spring Medicine

There is no other season when good medicine is so much needed as in the Spring.

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TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 43	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	ab	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
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r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

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r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

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MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7 21 9.21 P. M.

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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6 50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A. M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON -7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

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EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	34	31	56	35	37
Monday,	43	48	64	45	35
Tuesday,	38	57	43	44	37
Wednesday,	41	43	42	51	26
Thursday,	39	32	61	38	31
Friday,	40	35	55	31	43
Saturday,	—	40	65	55	58

New Advertisements Today.

State House Hearing.
Mortgagee's Sale.
Johnson Bros.—Coffee.
Wanted—Girl for housework.
D. E. Wadsworth & Co.—Wash Dress Goods.
Probate Notice.
Wanted—Girl to sew.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

The City Council will meet Monday evening.

Johnson Bros. are offering Red Lily canned goods at low prices.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co. are having their spring opening of new goods.

Mrs. George Hill of Walker street has been ill with the grip this week.

It snowed all the morning, although the thermometer registered 40 degrees.

Quincy was represented at the parade in Boston on Thursday by divisions of the A. O. H.

Green was very much in evidence in honor of St. Patrick, at the Washington school on Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Thornton entertained a few of her friends at her home on Charles street Thursday evening.

The Quincy Point Young Men's Club in the future will hold its regular meetings on the first and third Thursday of each month.

A very interesting talk on "Christianity in the Home" was given at the Park and Downs church by Mrs. Tead of Somerville on Wednesday.

Among the organizations to take part in the afternoon parade at South Boston Thursday was a company of bluejackets from U. S. S. Des Moines under command of Ensign Wallace.

Mrs. James W. Young while returning home from an entertainment Thursday evening was held up by a man on Penn street. She was badly frightened. The fellow was frightened off.

Twenty-one little folks attended the birthday party of Annie Charlotte Adams at her home at Wollaston on Tuesday from 4 to 6. It was the occasion of her fifth birthday and she was remembered with a number of presents.

The funeral of Miss Esther Allen Howland was held Thursday afternoon from her late residence on Adams street. The services were of a simple nature and were conducted by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy of Bethany church. The remains were taken to the Massachusetts crematory at Forest Hills.

The social at the Wollaston Unitarian vestry Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Alliance brought out a full house. A first class supper was served at 6.30. The entertainment for the evening was a farce "My Milliner's Bill" with Mrs. Hight, Mrs. Curtis and Mr. Collyer in the cast.

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"THE TIGER'S TAIL."

ROCKY SPIT WHICH GUARDS THE HARBOR OF PORT ARTHUR.

How the Russian Stronghold In Manchuria Is Fortified—Miles of Guns Line the Entrance—Capacity of the Inner Harbor.

In the news reports from the seat of war in the far east frequent mention has been made of the "Tiger's Tail," which perhaps has mystified many who are not familiar with the geographical features of the great Russian stronghold in Manchuria, Port Arthur, in which the Russian fleet has been blockaded by the Japanese.

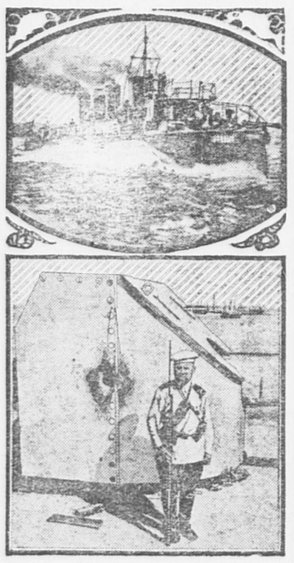
Port Arthur harbor is formed by an oval inlet of the sea about two miles long from east to west and a mile from north to south. It is surrounded by hills, and its sole entrance on the southern side is by a narrow channel, guarded at the southwestern end by a couple of dangerous reefs. It is well protected from storms by a narrow spit of rocky land known as the "Tiger's Tail," which runs diagonally across its northern extremity.

The high bluffs on each side of the narrow entrance are strongly fortified, the Golden hill forts on the eastern shore having the greatest elevation. The main fort on Golden hill is 410 feet above sea level, and it is flanked on either side by two smaller forts, that nearest the channel being 270 feet above the water, while its companion to the east is 110 higher. On the west side of the channel is a large fortification with an elevation of 118 feet, while along the shore is a string of smaller fortifications reaching up to the "Tiger's Tail." These close to the shore command the sea.

Near the tip of the tail is another big fort, the guns of which have a straight sweep down the channel to the entrance of the harbor. On the north side of the harbor is another string of fortifications, while the whole eastern shore above Golden hill bristles with guns.

In one of the forts on the west bank is a relic of the Chinese war of 1894-95. It is a gun with a perforated shield. The hole was made by a Japanese gun during the siege which resulted in the fall of Port Arthur, until then considered impregnable.

The approach to the harbor and basin is very narrow. The width of the entrance from Pinnacle rock on the west to the opposite shore is barely 350 yards, while the three fathom channel at its narrowest is not more than 500 feet wide. Within the heads it widens out somewhat, and between the end of the "Tiger's Tail" and the entrance to the basin there is a width of 430 yards. Even this makes it a difficult task for any vessel over 300 feet in length to enter or leave either the harbor or basin. This was shown just before the outbreak of the war, when the Russian fleet was mobilized and taken from the inner harbor into the roads. The operation took the greater part of three days.



RUSSIAN TORPEDO BOAT AND HISTORIC GUN AT PORT ARTHUR.

The basin or east port was excavated primarily by the Chinese, as was also the dry dock cut in its northern side. It has an average depth of twenty-one feet and can accommodate nearly a dozen large vessels. The western end is devoted exclusively to torpedo craft, though a dock for these small boats is being built on the eastern side.

The dry dock, repaired and enlarged by the Russians, is 452 feet over all, 370 feet over blocks, 90 feet wide at the entrance and has a depth on the sill at high water in ordinary springtides of 32 feet. On the "Tiger's Tail" are placed seven Canet 5.5-inch quick firers in an open battery at an elevation of not more than ten feet above the water level.

Ships moored in the inner harbor can lie in perfect safety, and it is doubtful if the dock yard could be damaged by high angle fire. The works and arsenal lie so closely under the Kwangchin hill that any projectiles so directed would probably range far into the town at the back.

Port Arthur, or Lushunk'ow, was formerly only a small fishing village until it was selected by Li Hung Chang, under advice of German engineers, for a naval station to defend Peiho and Peking. In 1894, however, it was captured by the Japanese, and the treaty of Simonoseki provided for its cession to Japan, with the whole southern coast of Manchuria from the Liau river to the Yalu, but Russia, France and Germany intervened and induced Japan to relinquish the territory for the sum of 30,000,000 taels.

QUICK DECISION.

The Successful Person Does the Right Thing and Does It First.

Impetuous people are sometimes wrong, but impetuous people are not always wrong. This is a truism, but unless a truism be repeated occasionally it ceases to be identified and is looked on by the casual reader as a daring flight of fancy. Really it does not matter how quickly one runs if one will but make sure that the right turning is selected. It is the man who rushes away without sparing a moment to look up at the signposts who loses his way and has to return slowly, with an apologetic look upon his face; he it is who gives to impetuosity a bad name and causes folk to look upon it as a defective trait.

Most of the great things have been done by impetuous people while the overcautious have been making up what they term their minds. There are some who never can perform this task for themselves. They can take no action without asking advice of every person they meet.

The overcautious are in a never ending state of astonishment at the fact that disaster so seldom occurs. When it does happen they are able to say, with gloomy content, that they had foreseen it all along. Prophets who stick to the game are certain to score sooner or later.

What servants think of the indecision of mistresses would be useful, but probably not flattering, to know.

The impetuous also lend themselves to criticism, but for the people who dare there is always admiration.

Impetuosity has cut some of the most difficult knots the while cautious folks were hurting their fingers in futile attempts to unravel them.

The successful person is the one who not only does the right thing, but does the right thing first.—W. P. Ridge.

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DIED.

DiRIASE—In Quincy, March 17, Maria F., daughter of Mr. Augustine and Mrs. Caroline DiRiase of Newcomb place, aged 5 months.

McGLONE—In New York, March 15, Mr. Stephen McGlone, of Pleasant street, Milton, aged 28 years.

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Night Call At the Ferry

By Charles Sloan Reid

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"Hal-loo-eh-hoo!"

It floated over the river, up the little ravine and in through the doorway of the cabin where Mat Wellesley sat looking out into the night.

"Hal-loo-eh-hoo!"

The hills, the sky, the rocks and the trees all were lost in one formless sea of darkness outside, but this was occasionally rifted by zigzag streaks of fire from the heavens, and Mat found a grim sort of enjoyment in watching these.

"Hal-loo-eh-hoo!"

For the third time the call for the ferryman came stealing through the darkness. Mat looked back into the cabin to where an old man lay stretched across a bed.

"Poor old dad!" she murmured. "It's a pity to wake him. He's so tired, and the old boat's a load. Seems to me the feller could just as well go back and stay the night at Amos Salter's as to want to make the crossin' on a night like this."

"Hal-loo-eh-hoo!"

Mat arose reluctantly.

"I reckon there's nothin' else for it," she said to herself, "but it's hard on dad."

She went to the bed and put her hand on the man's shoulder.

"Dad," she called in his ear, leaning forward.

But there was no response. She waited a moment, then dropped her hand upon his forehead.

"O-h, dad!" she exclaimed and fell to her knees, with a moan, by the side of the bed. The forehead was clammy to the touch, and an instinctive messenger of the truth had darted to the girl's heart—the old man was dead. Mat laid her ear over his heart, and another moan of horror escaped her lips.

"Hal-loo-eh-hoo!" came over the river, floated in through the cabin doorway and fell upon the girl's ears.

The ferryman would never more carry the boat over the river, and the terrible loneliness which came to Mat with the thought almost prostrated her. Alone, alone, alone with the dead, with the storm gathering outside and the voice on the breeze calling from over the river.

"Hal-loo-eh-hoo! Hal-loo-eh-hoo!" it came again.

But this time it brought a mite of comfort to the ear of the girl; it relieved a little of the loneliness. A sudden thought came to Mat's mind, and she rose and staggered to the doorway. Inflating her lungs, throwing out her chin and tiptoeing with the effort, she called out through the night:

"Hal-loo-eh-hal-loo-eh-hoo!"

It thrilled through the blackness of the sky, every tremor of it bearing the suffering of her breast. Mat wanted the companionship of a living human being through this night, and she had determined to take the boat over the river for the traveler. She had done it before in the daytime, and she did not fear the trial at night.

"Dad," she murmured, kneeling again by the bedside, "you will forgive me for leavin' you—you'll forgive me in heaven, I know, for leavin' you this little while, but I am so lonely."

She pressed her lips to the clammy brow and went out, closing the door behind her. Down the rugged ravine with nothing to guide her footsteps, she made her way. She knew the big tree where the boat path led off from the main road to the landing place at the edge of the water, and she knew every inch of the path, which was now one with the unbroken darkness of everything. The roar of the river grew louder as she approached until she could hear the waves lapping the sides of the boat at her feet.

"Hal-loo-eh-hoo!" Mat called softly and "Waitin'" came the answer from over the water.

Mat shoved off in the long bateau and carried it with all her might against the current of the stream.

"Hal-loo-eh-hoo!" she called again when near the opposite shore, and the traveler's answer told her she was making the landing safe.

But when the keel touched the sand Mat's strong arms gave way under the strain they had had to sustain.

"Get in, stranger," she said; "but I must rest before we go. It is days since I brought the boat over."

"Give me the blade. I'll take her back myself," said the man. "I can't see ye, little un, but I can tell by yer voice ye're a woman. I knew it the moment I heard yer answer from the hill on the other side. But where's the ferryman that ye're sent to bring me across?"

The stranger had pulled the boat into the stream, but it was some time before Mat answered his question. She was sitting in the stern end of the boat, with her chin on her bosom, shedding silent tears.

"The ferryman—the ferryman," she stammered at last, "is dead!"

"Since when?"

"Tonight."

"An' ye're alone?"

"Yes."

"H'm! When ye answered me tonight from over the river the cry brought a sadness to me heart. But who was the ferryman?"

"Abe Wellesley, my father."

"H'm, h'm!" muttered the man after several minutes' silence. And Mat knew that the oar had ceased to move in his hands.

But presently a few quick strokes made by the strong arms of the stranger carried the nose of the bateau out upon the sand of the shore.

"Landed!" said the man. And Mat was conscious of a softness in his tone that had not marked his first words.

"Lead the way," he added, as the girl brushed past him on the sand. "I'll try to follow."

Mat turned along the path, and the stranger kept close behind her.

"H'm, h'm!" he muttered again presently, and the tone of it brought fresh tears to Mat's eyes.

Toilsomely she led the way up the ravine, and the man kept track of her with a good degree of skill.

"If ye'd left the door open we might have had the light to lead us," he suggested.

But Mat shrugged her shoulders. "I—I couldn't do that," she said.

"No; I guess not." The stranger's voice had grown so wonderfully soft that Mat felt an impulse to fall back and put her hand upon his arm.

But now the faint light shining through the chinks outlined the cabin door to their eyes, and Mat soon caught the latchstring in her hand. But she paused. The horror of the death scene inside filled her with dread. The stranger came up the steps and stood beside her. It was a long silence. Mat stood with her head pressed against the door, the unpulled latchstring held in her hand. Presently the stranger's arm slipped about her waist, and the girl made no resistance.

"Did—did ye ever hear the old man say anything about Joe?" The words fell from his lips in whispers, but Mat caught them.

"Joe! Joe!" she exclaimed. "Yes; tell me, do you know anything of Joe?"

"I'm Joe."

Mat's hand suddenly drew tight the latchstring, and as the door swung inward she buried her face against the breast of the stranger.

"I wonder, dad," said the man a few minutes later as he bent over the corpse on the bed, "how many minutes too late I was. But I reckon ye know all about it now."

Weeks slipped by, and Joe Wellesley was doing the duties of the ferryman. The loneliness which had held Mat one awful moment had not come upon her again.

One day Joe came and sat down beside Mat on the cabin steps and lit his pipe.

"Ye were two years old when I left Mat," he said presently, "an' of course ye don't remember me then. I was sixteen. There was a misunderstanding. Dad accused me o' takin' his weasel skin, with two gold pieces in it. Well, I hadn't done it, but I guessed who had, for the chap had skipped out. So I swore I'd follow him all over the west or have a confession from him an' I got it."

Joe unfolded a paper, and Mat read a confession of theft.

"But it seems I got here too late with it, Mat."

Joe sucked his pipe slowly.

"But it warn't about that I wanted to talk particularly, Mat," he went on at length. "I reckon dad never did tell ye anything about yerself?"

"No. Why, Joe?" Mat sought his gaze.

"Never told ye that ye warn't his flesh an' blood daughter?"

"What are ye tellin' me, Joe?" Mat was holding her breath.

"Jest the truth, Mat. Your father an' mother were killed in a tornado, an' dad found you, without a scratch, in a haystack a hundred yards from the house. An' somehow I knowed after I left dad would never let on ye warn't his flesh an' bone."

Silence for some time.

"But I'm glad it's that way now Mat, for I—I been thinkin' that if ye'd have me I don't see the use o' we two goin' different ways through this old world. What d'ye say, Mat?"

"I'm so glad we're no blood kin Joe," the girl said softly as he drew her to him.

Saved by a Firefly.

In a night attack, before the fall of Seringapatam in 1799, a curious incident occurred while the British forces were returning in the dark through thickly planted bamboos and cocoa trees. The men were making for their quarters, as all imagined, when the suspicions of Lieutenant Lambton were aroused, and he assured General Baird, to whose staff he was attached that the troops were actually marching on instead of from the enemy.

The guide was obstinate in asserting that he was leading them right, while the lieutenant declared that in the starlight he had clearly ascertained that, instead of moving to the southward, the troops were proceeding due north and were every moment approaching the point of danger.

General Baird called a halt, procured a pocket compass, and, putting a firefly on its glass, was speedily satisfied that he had been misled. Fortunately there was time to remedy the mistake, and he changed his line of march, jocularly observing that in future he should put more faith in the stars than he had done formerly.

The Woman's Proposal.

The real origin of the custom which grants women the privilege of the marriage proposal is unknown and is generally supposed to possess rather an uncertain foundation. However, one story says that St. Patrick decreed that women should be accorded the right to propose in leap year. Another professes to refer the right to an act of the Scottish parliament of 1228 which gave it to "Ilka Maiden" during the reign of "her maist blessed Maiestie Margaret." There was no Queen Margaret in Scotland in 1228, however. There was a book published in 1606 referring the right of matrimonial proposal to women to the common law of England, but such a law is not chronicled. Therefore we accept the existence of this custom without busying ourselves to seek the source of its foundation, which is no doubt mythical.

THE OLD MADE NEW.

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The long shoulder line of both day and evening gowns leads in the latter



TYPICAL OF 1830.

to the round decolletage worn completely off the shoulder, and where this is not in reality adopted the effect striven for with various artifices is the same.

The angel sleeve is one of the attractive things of up to date fashion. To be true to name the pointed end should nearly approach the hem of the garment; but, in fact, it usually terminates well above the knee.

The sleeve still dominates the costume and the latest fancy is represented by the Henry II. sleeve, bouillonnee or puffed from shoulder to wrist or with puffs alternating with soft lace frills.

Any rigid connection of ideas between material and season has been pretty well discarded. Through the winter white and light colored wash fabrics have furnished material for shirt waists, and with the spring velvet costumes promise to find quite as much favor as ever before. Nothing new except the good taste with which it is carried out can be claimed for the alliance of fur and lace shown in the first cut, where flounces of cream lace are overlaid with fringe of ermine tails. But of the freshest vogue are the little flat bows with buckles, the bretelles and sash ends in velvet, carried also through a buckle, and the sleeves of two deep flounces. These, together with the hair dressed low and its single rose at the neck, make up a typical 1830 costume—the last word in fashion.

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Whereas, Mary A. Andrews, executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the final account of her administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

March 18. 3t--18-20-1

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An Irish Tea.

On the evening of March 17, St. Patrick's Day, an "Irish Tea" was served in the Wollaston Baptist church at 6.30 o'clock, to about one hundred and fifty people. The menu included the following: Irish stew and dumplings, pickles, potatoes, rolls, Irish moss blanc-mange, cake, coffee.

After the supper came a delightful entertainment. Miss Egenhoff of Boston gave in Irish dialect many readings some of historic nature.

A piano solo "The wearing of the green," was contributed by Mrs. Carleton. The Star Spangle Banner in Deaf and Dumb language with raising of the flag, accompanied by the Boys' Glee Club was very pleasing. America and Columbia the gem of the ocean were also sung by the Glee Club.

Wisteria formed the decoration, and consisted of nineteen bunches which hung from a large branch. It was made of tissue paper and presented a beautiful appearence. The program included the auction of the Wisteria.

Will Not Overrun.

The Committee on Counties of the Legislature gave a hearing yesterday on a bill authorizing the Norfolk County Commissioners to expend a sum not exceeding $100,000 to equip and furnish the registry of deeds and of probate and for the probate court now under construction at Dedham. The indebtedness incurred is to be paid out of the amount received for taxes. Approximate estimates of furnishing were submitted. These will amount well up to $100,000. The commissioners, Messrs. Blanchard, Hewin and Wright, were present and promised that they would not overrun the appropriation.

Not the Man Wanted.

The man seen in Randolph by Officer Knight yesterday, who was thought to be Brigham, the New Hampshire murderer, turned out to be some one else. The man's actions were suspicious, and aside from that he wore a red wig, which was thought to be part of his disguise. It turned out, however, that the fellow did not have a spear of hair on his head and wore a wig from choice.

Expects to Ride Out.

H. H. Faxon is reported as being much better today, and he is slowly on the mend. He walked out this morning and has planned to take a little ride this afternoon if it is not too cool.

TODAY'S COURT.

Frank Clark was arraigned for drunkenness and disturbance on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., at Randolph, and fined $10.

Mr. Henry P. Madden was arraigned for violation of the liquor law at Braintree. Case continued two weeks.

John F. Mahoney was fined $3 for drunkenness at Randolph.

☞Rev. Peter McQueen, the popular preacher, noted traveller and interesting lecturer, will give the fourth lecture (illustrated with 150 views) in the Quincy Point lecture course, on the "Great Servian Tragedy" next Wednesday evening, March 23, at eight o'clock at the Washington street Congregational church. Mr. McQueen saw King Peter and talked with the leading men of Belgrade. He went carefully over the scene of the tragedy and got the personal story of Alexander and Draga from the secretary of the late king. He also talked with the conspirators. Views of Siberia, Manchuria, Korea and Japan will also be given. Tickets 25 cents. 2t

—Gustavus M. Pratt, the chief engineer of the Weymouth fire department has resigned.

The Social Realm.

"I've learned as days have passed me
Fretting never lifts the load,
And that worry, much or little,
Never smooths an irksome road.
For you know that somehow, always,
Doors are open, ways are made,
When we work and live in patience
Under all the crosses laid."

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Mr. Henry H. Faxon took advantage of the pleasant weather Thursday and enjoyed a short walk. He continues to gain steadily and will soon be about as usual. His genial face has been missed and he will be heartily welcomed when he makes his usual round of calls.

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Miss Floretta Vining expects to go to Washington early in April.

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The members of the Granite City club are looking forward to the annual banquet and theatre party to be held next Thursday evening. The banquet will be served at the United States hotel, Boston. The club will then attend the Tremont theatre and witness "The Prince of Pilsen."

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Miss Georgiana Lane of Presidents hill, has been the guest for a few days this week of Mrs. Weeks of Framingham.

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The General Society of the Danghters of the Revolution have sent out invitations for a reception to be held on Tuesday, March twenty-second, from three until six o'clock, in the east room of the Waldorf-Astoria, Fifth avenue, New York.

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Mr. James F. Harlow, of Mill street, has so far recovered from his illness as to be able to get out of doors on pleasant days.

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On Friday afternoon March twenty-fifth, Mrs. Arthur E. Sproul of Hancock street will entertain the Friday club. Miss Edith Randall is the committee on the literary entertainment which will consist of papers on Thomas Carlyle.

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Mrs. William Whiting has been the guest for a few days this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Curtis, of Ridge Hill.

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The date of meeting of the Study club of Christ church, has been changed from Tuesday evening, the twenty-second to Thursday the twenty-fourth, when it will meet in the Parish house. Mr. Derby will be the chairman of the evening and papers have been prepared dealing with the plot and characters in Shakespeare's play "The Comedy of Errors."

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Mr. and Mrs. William Wragg of Hyde Park are on a trip to Washington and Philadelphia.

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The New England Woman's Press Association, in which a few Quincy ladies are interested, has prepared a course of subscription Lenten recitals, to be given on Wednesday afternoons at three o'clock at hotel Vendome, Boston. The first will be on the twenty-third, an afternoon with Japan, and the following Wednesday an afternoon with Russia, and the third and last on April thirteenth, which will be an afternoon with Shakespeare, followed by a reception and tea.

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Miss Blanche Porter of Braintree entertained several of her friends at a pit party last Friday evening. The prize were taken by Arthur C. David and Mrs. Marion C. Gillette.

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The Junior Friday club goes to Wollaston next Monday afternoon where they will be the guests of Mrs. Alfred P. Thompson of Brook street. The seventh year of the Revolutionary War 1781, etc., will be studied and discussed under the leadership of Miss Beatrice Tisdale.

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The Monday club of Weymouth observes its annual children's day next Monday afternoon.

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Miss Eva Brown, who has been ill at the Quincy City Hospital since November was able to return to her home on Spear street on Friday. Her mother will stay at the hospital a few weeks longer. Miss Brown is much improved in health although not looking quite her former self, but her friends hope for continued improvement.

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Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Gertrude Ellen Billings and Mr. Edwin Munroe Stetson, both of Randolph.

Mrs. and Mrs. Frederic W. Plummer of Greenleaf street entertain the Pickwick club, at their home next Wednesday evening, the twenty-third. Mrs. William E. Alden and Miss Josephine A. Simonton have the program for the evening in charge, the subject being "The National Gallery."

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The engagement is announced of Mr. Alex. Falconer and Miss Margaret E. Dwyer, both of Hyde Park.

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Mrs. O. H. Durrell of Cambridge, will address the members of the Women's Auxiliary to the Quincy Young Men's Christian Association at the home of Mrs. George H. Brown on Elm street next Monday afternoon. Mrs. Durrell is the widow of the Hon. O. H. Durrell who was president of the Cambridge association for many years; and her long connection with auxiliary work ensures an instructive talk.

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Mr. Fred T. Clayton and wife, of Boston, have taken apartments at Hotel Greenleaf.

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Mrs. W. G. Shaw, Mrs. C. W. Guy, Mrs. G. E. Hatch and Mrs. E. G. Gay attended the annual conference of the fifth distict of the Mass. Women's Auxiliaries of the Y. M. C. A. held in Brockton on Thursday. A pleasant and profitable gathering is reported.

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Mrs. Henry M. Faxon and Mrs. Lister matronize the dance at Colonial hall, this evening, given under the management of Mr. C. A. Howland, Jr., Mr. Eaton Pierce and Dr. Ramon Burke.

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The Philergians met March 15 with Mrs. W. C. Harding, of Braintree, the president, Mrs. O. W. Allen, in the chair. The afternoon was pleasantly passed in listening to Mrs. Florence V. R. French on "South Shore Types." Refreshments were served by the hostess and assistants.

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Although able to get out after his recent attack of appendicitis, Mr. William Edwards, of Greenleaf street, will undergo an operation at the City Hospital, as soon as his health permits.

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Miss Clara Dickey or Miss Clara Blandick as she is known on the stage, is to star next season as Marianne in A. M. Palmer's revival of "The Two Orphans." She has played successfully the past season with Kyrle Bellew in "Raffles" and as "Glory Quayle" in "The Christian." Miss Dickey passed her girlhood in this city, residing on Hancock street and attending the Coddington school. She is becoming well known in the theatrical world and is an actress of much promise.

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Adjt. H. L. Kincaide and other officials of the Fifth regiment attended the annual dinner of Battery B, 1st Heavy Artillery, at the United States Hotel, last evening.

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Mr. Henry S. Poole and Miss Cora B. Stackpole of South Weymouth were married on Tuesday evening. A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Poole will be at home after April first at 287 Pine street, South Weymouth.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Munroe Bruff, nee Kidd, formerly of this city and now of Rochester, New York, are receiving congratulations, a son being born to them on Friday, March eleventh.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Thayer of Braintree entertained the evening whist club Thursday evening, March, 17. Miss Agnes Locke and Austin Torrey won the first honors, and the consolation prizes went to Mr. and Mrs. Oakes A. Bridgham. A very dainty lunch was served.

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The marriage of Miss Catherine Hill of Bath, Maine, and Mr. Howard Cook of this city will be solemnized the second week in April. They will make their home in Quincy, Mr. Cook being employed as draughtsman at the Fore River Ship & Engine Company.

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The Fairbanks Chapter Daughters of the Revolution, of Dedham, held their annual meeting on Saturday March fifth. Mrs. W. E. Dow, of Braintree, was elected treasurer. Mrs. Dow is also an associate member of Adams Chapter of Quincy.

The people of Quincy have come to look upon the Knights of Columbus ball as one of the great social events of the year, and the management for the annual party on Easter Monday evening promise that it shall excel all its predecessors. If it equals the brilliant ball of last year no one will complain. The State officers of the order will be guests. The music will be by Cuff's orchestra.

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Henry P. Kittredge returned yesterday from several weeks' visit to Florida and Cuba. He reports having had an enjoyable trip.

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Miss Beatrice Walker, who graduates from the Emerson College of Oratory in May and whom many have heard and appreciated, has been selected from a class of seventy, to fill one of the two leading roles in the senior class play, the chief event of commencement week As this is the goal striven for by all the pupils, that she should be chosen is certainly a marked tribute to her ability and the Quincy High. She is receiving congratulations from her many friends on her good fortune.

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Mrs. E. C. Butler of Russell park has been confined to the house this week, by a severe cold.

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The Junior Sons and Daughters of the Revolution, of Adams Chapter, are to give a fine entertainment, in Colonial hall on the evening of Friday, April first. Among the attractions will be vocal and instrumental music and stereopticon pictures.

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Mrs. Herbert Hayden of the Point, entertained the Soap club, at her home on Wednesday evening.

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Mrs. Lawrence who is to speak on Japan Tuesday evening in the chapel of First church has lived for three years in Tokio and has very delightful accounts of her Japanese neighbors. This being the last lecture of the course given by the Women's Alliance an informal reception will be held at the close and tea will be served by four young Japanese maidens.

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Mr. F. W. Plummer of the Woodward school, is confined to the house by a severe cold and threatened with an attack of grip.

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Mrs. James Rummel of this city has an interesting little sketch on "Tea" in the Home Department of the March National magazine in which she tells of the use of tea for other purposes than as a beverage. Mrs. Rummel with her husband and sweet little daughter make their home with Mrs. Carr of Thayer street. Mr. Rummel is connected with the Fore River Ship and Engine Company.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman F. McIntire expect to reach Paris next week and will sail for home from Liverpool some time in April.

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Mr. William P. Thompson of the firm of Nowland & Thompson expects to return with his mother and brother to reside in Quincy in the late spring. Mr. Thompson is very popular with the young people here, being a fine singer and a good companion.

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Miss Christine Bumpus of Goffe street has returned from Ashville. While away she spent several weeks with her brother at Milwaukee.

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The pupil's recital given at the Quincy Mansion on Wednesday evening reflected credit upon the excellent instruction of Mr. Henry and Prof. Marceau. The selections were varied and pleasing to the audience. Schubert's serenade sung by Miss Elizabeth Dearborn with violin obligato by Mr. Howard, was well rendered. Mr. Carl Faelton, who was present, kindly favored the audience with selections from Bach, Chopin and Liszt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Tobey are enjoying a change in Thomasville, Georgia. Mr. Tobey is much improved in health.

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Adams chapter of this city was honored at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Society, Daughters of the Revolution, by the reelection of one of its members, Mrs. Granger of Randolph, as historian. The Boston Advertiser says: "Mrs. Alice Granger, historian presented excellent reports of the society's work in general during the last fiscal year, and gave interesting accounts of what has been done among children of foreign parentage in this city, who have been guided into patriotic paths and directed in the study of American history."

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THE COTTON PANIC

Announcement of Sully Failure Was Unexpected

A SLUMP OF 250 POINTS

Half a Million Bales of Cotton Represented Selling Out of Men Whose Margins Were Nearly or Quite Wiped Out

New York, March 19.—Daniel J. Sully, the cotton operator who has for 15 months been the biggest figure in the cotton markets of the world, and who has "bulled" cotton from 7 cents a pound to over 17, announced his inability to make good his engagements on the New York Cotton exchange. Within a few moments cotton fell nearly $13 a bale from the highest figures of the day. Edwin T. Hadley of Providence was a member of Sully's firm.

Scenes such as followed the announcement of the failure it has been the privilege of few brokers to witness. Traders in the street have witnessed stock panics in previous years, corners have been broken and many crashes have been recorded, but none have been accompanied by such frenzy and confusion.

While there had been no premonition of the impending crash, no morning of the season had witnessed a more demoralized market. In less than 10 minutes after the opening ½ cent had been taken off the price of cotton. Prices went up and down 10, 20 and 30 points within two and three minutes. There was nothing in the news to account for the excitement. It seemed merely a renewal of bear operations and the catching of further stop orders.

Shortly after the afternoon session, however, there was a lull in the pit and at about 2:05 o'clock the announcement of the suspension was made by Superintendent King, who read from the rostrum this notice:

"We regret that we are unable to meet our engagements and will therefore have to suspend. Daniel J. Sully & Co."

For a few seconds there was an ominous quiet over the floor, as though the news had stunned all within the hearing of the announcement. Then with one impulse a mighty shout went up from the bears who had been fighting Sully and the bull clique for months. Hats were thrown into the air, coats were torn by frantic brokers in the mad efforts to unload holdings and chairs and camp stools were dashed into the pit, to emphasize wild traders' efforts to sell. Messengers were hastily summoned and soon were rushing in and out of the building, telephone booths were besieged and telegraph offices flooded with dispatches.

It was estimated that something like 750,000 bales of cotton were traded in during the 20 minutes of the panic that followed the announcement and that of this upwards of 500,000 bales represented "forced liquidation" or the selling out of men whose margins have been nearly or quite wiped out. As the market slumped 250 points during this period the loss falling on this element amounted to something over $1,000,000.

The market steadied after about 20 minutes and then there was a sudden upward shoot of about 100 points. This sharp rise was brought about by the buying of brokers and speculators who saw that the market had slumped too far and would react. A part of the excitement on the floor of the exchange was caused by the scramble of brokers who wanted just such bargains and had to fight to get in the ring to get them. The buying rush was almost as exciting and just as noisy as the panic.

The announcement of Sully's suspension was put out on the tickers everywhere within a few moments after it was made, and there was somewhat of a flurry on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange after the news reached there. Sully is a member of that exchange. The weakness was only momentarily, however, for word was passed around that Sully had not been trading in stocks, and, in fact, that the clearing house sheets had never shown a single transaction by him. The market was reassured and stocks went up again.

Upon the announcement of the failure, press representatives hurried to see Sully for the purpose of getting some statement. Sully, however, shut himself in his private office and would not be seen. Shortly after 3 o'clock Sully went into conference with counsel and later Edwin Hadley, Jr., of Providence, one of the members of the firm, sent out a message by his secretary, which read: "No statement of any kind or description, Mr. Sully directs me to say, will be given out from this office today. Possibly a statement will be ready Saturday."

Mr. Hadley was later quoted as stating that the firm would pay its debts in full; that the suspension was due to the impossibility of meeting demands for large sums of money due the Sully firm from European sources, sums that the quick slump in the market made payable too quickly for them to be able to meet. Mr. Sully left his office at 4 o'clock.

England Glad of It

London, March 19.—The morning papers editorially express satisfaction with the suspension of Daniel J. Sully & Co., which they urge should be a further warning to foster the growth of cotton in the British empire.

WOOD IS PROMOTED

Nomination For Major General Confirmed by the Senate

Washington, March 19.—By a vote of 45 to 16, the senate in executive session confirmed General Leonard Wood as major general, thereby giving him the rank from Aug. 8, 1903, the day President Roosevelt made the promotion. The contest against his confirmation has been a notable one, beginning Nov. 19, 1903, soon after congress convened in special session, and continuing through the present session until yesterday. The late Senator Hanna was recognized as the leader of the forces opposed to Wood, and had it not been for his death it is conceded that the vote would have been much closer. It has not been believed at any time since the contest opened, however, that the fight against confirmation would be successful.

Of the Republican senators who, relying on the judgment of Hanna, would have stood by him in opposition to the promotion of Wood, only two voted against the confirmation, Senator Scott and Senator Kittredge.

Five Democratic senators voted with the majority in favor of confirmation. They were Senators Cockrell, Pettus, Patterson, Clarke (Ark) and Dubois.

Dependent upon the confirmation of Wood were 167 promotions for other army officers. These have been held up since their nominations were made by the president, but now will be confirmed without opposition.

Uncle Russell Must Pay $12,500

New York, March 19.—A verdict for $12,500 with interest since May, 1901, was returned by the jury in the suit of Robert D. Vroom, a broker, against Russell Sage. Vroom claimed that Sage had agreed to purchase for his account several shares of stock, at a stated price, but that the purchase was made when the stocks were several points higher. As a result he lost the $25,000 profit which would have been his had the purchase been made at the low figure. Sage denied any such agreement, and declared that Vroom was indebted to him in the sum of $3750 as commission on the transaction.

Dick and Foraker Men Split

Celina, O., March 19.—The Republican convention of the Fourth congressional district split and nominated two sets of delegates to the Chicago convention and two candidates for congress. The Foraker adherents bolted and chose Frank Conklin for congress and W. L. Russell and H. M. Coles as national delegates. The Dick men nominated R. D. Kahle for congress and W. L. Russell and O. E. Harrison as delegates. The national delegates were instructed to vote for Roosevelt for president.

Boy Murderer Convicted

Buffalo, March 19.—Herman Heimberger, 17 years old, one of the four boys who on Jan. 22 killed Bernard Balzano, a grocer, was found guilty of murder in the second degree. The three lads who were indicted with Heimberger will be tried next month. The defense admitted that the fatal shot was fired from Heimberger's revolver, but claimed that the gun was accidentally discharged when the boys entered the store for the purpose of robbing Balzano.

Big Majority Against Striking

Indianapolis, March 19.—The tellers who counted the vote of the soft coal miners on the acceptance or rejection of the scale of wages offered by the operators announced the result as follows: Total votes cast, 165,887; for accepting the scale, 98,514; against the scale and in favor of a strike, 67,373; majority against a strike, 31,361.

Steamer Long Overdue

Savannah, Ga., March 19.—The agents here express fears for the Belgian steamer Clematis, which left Antwerp on Feb. 5 and was sighted Feb. 7, since which time she has not been reported. She is now 21 days overdue. She carries a crew of 32 men.

Stop-Overs For St Louis Show

St. Louis, March 19.—At a meeting of the Association of General Passenger Agents of St.. Louis terminal lines it was decided to allow a 10-day stop-over privilege during the World's fair on all tickets reading through St. Louis.

Steamer Crushed by Ice

St. Johns, March 19.—The sealing steamer Elliott has been crushed by ice floes in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. She was abandoned by her crew of 120 Newfoundlanders, who reached St. Paul's island.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Watson Ambruster, for nearly 40 years identified with the editorial staff of the Philadelphia Evening Telegraph, is dead.

Rear Admiral Coghlan, commanding the Caribbean squadron, will shortly be relieved from service on the Isthmus of Panama by Rear Admiral Sigsbee, commanding the south Atlantic squadron.

Thomas Beaven, father of the bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Springfield, Mass., died of pneumonia in that city, aged 87. He had been a machinist and engineer, but of late years had retired from active business.

A considerable number of refugees are emigrating from San Domingo to eastern Cuba.

Chancellor Andrews of the Nebraska university, who but recently was able to leave a Chicago hospital to return to Lincoln, has been taken to a sanitarium.

Civil Service Commissioner Cooley has left Washington for a tour of the western states to organize local examining board districts. He will be away about six weeks.

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A Dresden Shepherdess

By F. B. Wright

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It had been a hard day for the little schoolmistress. The children had been stupid and mutinous and at the worst time had come a supervisor to criticise the lack of discipline. Miss Winthrop was too young, he had said. Perhaps the board should get a more experienced teacher.

What that meant Cicely did not dare to think, and now, crouched in the darkness by the garret window, she was trying to forget her worries, for there was to be a garden party and masquerade at the Stonington place near by. From the window she could overlook the grounds, all a twinkle with innumerable Japanese lanterns; see the house itself, its lighted porches, its windows lively with many colored passing figures, and watch the ladies arriving at the entrance and floating in like white moths out of the summer night.

At first it was enough just to sit there, head on sill, watching it all and hearing the swing and rhythm of the faint dance music. But little by little came over her a longing to have some part in the gayety her whole young spirit craved. She was young too. She was pretty—as her mirror told her. She had loved dancing in the old days. Ah, those days! They seemed so far off, and yet only two years separated them from the present. Now life was so different—no more girlhood, no more pleasure, no more pretty clothes or jolly parties. That last one, the one just before her father died—that had been a bal masque too. The costume was in her trunk now—as if she would ever get the chance to wear it again! And yet, why not? A sudden thought set her heart thumping. Why not go to this one? Only for a moment. It was a masquerade. No one would know her. She could slip in through the shrubbery unobserved, mingle with the crowd and then— The plan was very dazzling to the little girl in the garret window.

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Two hours later Cicely—no, not Cicely, but a Dresden china shepherdess—who had stolen away from her own life and forgotten all its cares, found herself one of a hundred or two other gay, fantastic conundrums, who chatted, laughed, bandied repartee, flirted in obscure corners, sat on shadow porches or glided beneath soft lights to the dreamy music of a hidden orchestra.

The life and movement, the kaleidoscopic play of color, the sheen and luster of silk and satin, the gleam of snowy arms and shoulders, the fragrance of flowers, the admiration of her partners, filled the girl's heart with delight, and her courage rose to the occasion. She was surprised to find how behind the protection of her mask she could act her part even as if she, too, belonged to the party.

Once in the swirl of a waltz she caught sight of herself in a long mirror and doubted her eyes. Could that be she, that dainty, graceful madcap with her cheeks flushed, her eyes sparkling through the slits in her visor, her hair in golden disorder at her neck—that Cicely Winthrop, with her own living to make and shabby clothes to wear? And the music—it seemed to lift her on its wings and bear her over the floor as lightly as any thistledown. That was what her last partner had said, a cavalier of Charles II., when at the end of a dance they were sitting in the dimly lighted conservatory.

"Thistledown! I believe that's what you are, or else a fairy. No shepherdess could dance as you do, not even one out of Watteau, and besides where are your sheep? You haven't even one little innocent snow white lamb!"

"I've escaped for a moment from them."

"Faithless shepherdess! Aren't you afraid of wolves?"

"Awfully! One came into the sheepfold today, a very savage one."

"The poor lambs! My heart bleeds"—

"It needn't. They only eat shepherdesses."

"The brutes! Do you have to fight them single handed?"

Cicely nodded. "It's hard sometimes."

"Don't you need an assistant shepherd to help? I like to kill wolves, and I adore sheep and—shepherdesses."

"You wouldn't if you could see them as they really are. The lambs are not a bit adorable, only stupid and tiresome, and the shepherdess—she'd be wearing a shabby gown and big shoes and her hair untidied. No; you'd best remain with the court."

"Hang the court! I'd heaps rather be a shepherd. Won't you take me on trial?"

There was just a note of earnestness in the cavalier's voice, and Cicely tried to turn it away lightly. "I don't think you would do at all. You are much too fine a gallant."

"I may not be as fine as I seem," he returned. "I may be something quite different."

"That's it. You might be a wolf, you know, and then what would happen to my flock? No; I can't take the risk."

"Then when is the shepherdess coming to court again?"

"Never, I'm afraid. You see, she's only allowed one evening off in years, and, besides, she has no court costume. Oh, this—a fairy godmother touched the shabby gown and the big shoes and when the night is over they change back as they were."

"And the girl?"

"Oh, she will be whisked away too."

"Not before unmasking time comes anyway. There is the signal now," he said as a chime of bells rang in the distant hall, followed by the sound of laughter. "Ah, you are caught, fairy shepherdess! Now disappear if you can." He dragged off his mask and waited expectant, looking at the girl.

Cicely felt the blood rush to her face. "I—I must go," she said hurriedly and rose. "I didn't know it was so late."

"Go! Why, you know you promised me supper, and"—

"I didn't think. I forgot for a moment. No, I must."

"Without unmasking?"

"I can't. Don't ask me why. There are reasons. Oh, I can't explain. Please let me get away!" she cried, for the man had stepped before the door. Cicely cast a hurried glance about. She spied a door leading into the garden and before the cavalier could guess her intention she had fled through it blindly into the night, he after her.

She did not know where she ran nor care. Her only thought was to escape discovery, to get away home before exposure came. On she sped, across the lawn, into the shadow of the shrubbery, tripping over roots, held back by clinging vines, her mask brushed from her face, her breath giving out and discovery and shame at her heels. Then she tried to find some hiding place and, failing, sank down on a bench, with a bitter, despairing cry, and buried her face in her hands.

"Why did you run? You might have known you couldn't escape me," said her pursuer as he came up. Then as he heard the girl's sobs, "Are you hurt?"

"Yes, yes," she sobbed, "but not as you think! Oh, why did I ever come? How am I to tell you? What will you think of me? I ought not to be here tonight. I am not a guest. I had no right to come."

It was a confession punctuated by sobs and little gasps of pain that the cavalier listened to.

"I saw the lights," Cicely added, "and then the waltz music came to me, and I couldn't resist it. I thought there'd be no harm—just for an hour, and then I could go back and no one would know, and I could have one pleasant memory among dreary, drudging days. I'm—I'm not so very old, and I haven't had any pleasure or happiness in so long, and this was a chance, and I took it."

She rose and dried her eyes. "You see, I told you the truth. I'm only a shepherdess and had no place in court, and now I must go back to the sheep—and the wolves again. It's been—I can't tell you what this evening has been—except this last."

"Do you care so much then that I know who you are?" The cavalier was standing beside the shepherdess looking down at the bent head showing so softly in the dusky shadows. "I would have sought you out in any case—if I had to search the world over. Do you care, now that I know?"

"No," returned Cicely softly.

"And I may come tomorrow and see the lambs—and the shepherdess?"

"I don't think it would be best for the lambs, but—I usually come home from the sheepfold by way of the red bridge and"—

"If you saw a wolf waiting by the bridge, would you mind?"

"Not if it was a nice wolf."

"And if the wolf were to carry you off and the lambs have to have another shepherdess, would you be very much scared?" asked the cavalier.

"I—I don't think so," whispered the little Dresden shepherdess. "I think—I'd rather like it."

A Weighty Reason.

Before a certain gentleman set out for Japan and India his relatives gave him errands. One wanted an Indian shawl, another a silver Buddha, a third a chryselephantine carving, and so on, till the list of commissions was appalling. He agreed, however, to fill them so far as possible.

But when he returned he had executed but one of the nineteen commissions that had been given him. He had brought back only the chryselephantine carving. This he gave to one smiling cousin amid the disappointed looks of the other relatives. Why, the disappointed ones asked, had he executed that one particular commission and disregarded the rest?

The traveler smiled. "It happened," he began quietly, "that each of you had written your commission on a sheet of paper. On the second day of the voyage out I took all these sheets of paper from my notebook, opened them and spread them on my lap as I reclined in my steamer chair.

"The air was very still at the time, but suddenly a brisk wind sprang up, and every sheet was blown away except that of Cousin Max. Max's sheet was weighted down with the gold coin he had given me to pay for his carving."

Meals Taken In Drinks.

Every one interested in the matter of sane living must wonder at the things the average person drinks. It's a question whether people seek to save time by drinking foods or are merely gratifying their taste. Half an hour passed at any well patronized soda fountain will show the great majority to be indulging in egg mixtures or others in which fruits, ice cream or other food is placed.

A cup of rich chocolate is a small meal. It's a wonder people live at all, considering the insanity displayed in eating and drinking. As for the craving for novelty, the average person will eat or drink anything he has never seen, tasted or heard of before. Expert and lightning mixers of drinks count the day lost whose low descending sun sees no new drink achieved. They add the name to their list, and every other person jumps at the chance to taste this new mystery. The good part of it is that so many live through it.—Philadelphia Record.

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ALL ON BOARD LOST

Submarine Boat Run Down While Maneuvering

STRUCK BY OCEAN LINER

Accident Befell Craft While Maneuvering--Vessel Which Struck Her Thought It Was a Torpedo--Eleven Men Dead

Portsmouth, March 19.—The British submarine boat No. A1 was run down and sunk off the Nab lightship by a Donald Currie liner and her crew of 11 persons were drowned, including Lieutenant Mansergh, the senior officer engaged in submarine work. The liner passed on and reported that she had struck a torpedo.

At the time she was struck the vessel was off the lightship engaged in the maneuvers and was lying in seven fathoms of water, waiting the approach of a battleship. The boat was one of the newest of the fleet of submarine vessels and was built from the latest models, but she has always been a bad diver. She was inspected recently by both King Edward and the Prince of Wales.

The liner which struck the submarine boat was the Berwick Castle. The loss of the boat was not known for some hours after the liner had reported to the maneuvering fleet that she had struck a torpedo. The officers of the liner say that they saw a glistening torpedo-like hull in the water and it is thought, therefore, that the submarine boat rose just before she was struck.

The officers of the fleet did not suppose for the moment that the submarine had been struck, and continued the operations, expecting that vessel to reappear at some other point. Finally a search was made and the breaking of the waves revealed the presence of the ill-fated boat.

There is no doubt that all the members of the crew died in their steel tomb. It is presumed that the Berwick Castle in striking upset the trim of the boat and spilled the gasolene in her tanks, rendering her helpless. The crew were buttoned down and must have met their terrible fate from suffocation in the absence of fresh air and owing to the fumes of the gasolene.

Cash For Baltimore Sufferers

Annapolis, Md., March 19.—The bill appropriating $250,000 of state funds to relieve the destitution caused by the late Baltimore fire was passed by the state senate. It had already passed the house of delegates and will now be signed by Governor Warfield, in order that these funds may be available to alleviate the wants of the needy.

Burton Trial Next Week

St. Louis, March 19.—United States Senator Burton of Kansas, who is to be placed on trial here next week on a charge of having accepted $1500 in fees from the Rialto Grain and Securities company, has for the past week visited the federal building looking over papers pertaining to the case and preparing his defense.

Humbert Threats Withdrawn

Paris, March 19.—Mme. Therese Humbert has notified the parliamentary investigating committee, appointed to inquire into her allegations against persons occupying high positions, that she prefers to maintain silence. This terminates the expectancy over her vague threats to expose many high officials.

Not Worried by Bullet In Brain

New York, March 19.—John M. Peters, son of a Brooklyn manufacturer, who was found near his father's factory last November with two bullet wounds in his head, has been discharged from the hospital in better health than ever, but with one of the bullets still in his brain.

Would Benefit Navigators

Ottawa, March 19.—A delegation from the Dominion Marine association waited upon the minister and deputy minister of marine and arranged for the conformity of all lights and signals for navigation between Montreal and the Great Lakes, whether in Canadian or United States waters.

Warship Damaged

Washington, March 19.—A mail report received at the navy department tells of the grounding of the Columbia near Santo Domingo. No details of the accident have been made public, but it is understood the Columbia will be ordered north to be docked and repaired.

Tight Fit For Railroad Merger

Jackson, Miss., March 19.—The state senate passed a house bill confirming the merger of the Mobile and Ohio railroad with the Southern railroad. The fight was a bitter one and the bill passed the senate by a majority of only one.

Stead Still Has Permit

Johannesburg, March 19.—The report that Lord Milner had cancelled the permit issued to William T. Stead to travel in South Africa, owing to the character of the speeches recently delivered by Stead, is officially denied.

Work Drags In House

Washington, March 19.—Although the postoffice appropriation bill was under discussion the entire time the house was in session, only one page was completed, making 11 pages in all disposed of.

ALONG THE LIAO RIVER

Russians Begin Measures to Keep the Japanese at Bay

New Chwang, March 19.—The work of undocking the Russian gunboat Sivoutch has begun, so as to enable her to enter the Liao river at the earliest possible moment. Three small boats from Port Arthur have been disembarked at the railway station. The above facts, together with the Russian demands for a market here for lumber and grain bags, is taken to indicate the proposed execution of plans to fortify the east bank of the Liao river from the railway station to the forts and the coast line to Kinchau.

Official denials have been made of the reports prevailing in Jajan that Vice Admiral Makaroff fears the loss of his fleet if he remains at Port Arthur and he therefore contemplates an attempt to escape. Competent authorities much doubt the probability of the Japanese reducing Port Arthur under two years.

No Fleet at Vladivostok

Paris, March 19.—The Petit Parisien's St. Petersburg correspondent cables: "I learn from a sure source that the Russian Vladivostok squadron has left port. The officials absolutely refuse to discuss the destination of the squadron. Seventy-two hours have passed since the ships left Vladivostok."

Made Deaf by Cannonading

Moscow, March 19.—Mme. Shtchensnovitch has been informed that her husband, the commander of the battleship Retvizan, has become deaf as the result of the cannonading in the Japanese assaults on Port Arthur.

Finnish Sympathy With Japs

Chicago, March 19.—Condemnation of the Russian government and expressions of sympathy for Japan in the present war are contained in a set of resolutions passed and made public by the combined six Finnish organizations of this city.

After Grafting Policeman

New York, March 19.—Police Commissioner McAdoo has made it plain that in his efforts to keep the lid down he would get after some members of the force whom he called "grafting patrolmen," who, while stationed outside of places suspected to be poolrooms, allowed them to continue business unchecked. His remarks were called forth by the raid made on an alleged poolroom in Mercer street. The two men who had been stationed at this place, he said, would be placed on trial, as would all others who were detailed to like duty, but who failed to perform it faithfully.

Queer Theory In Poisoning Case

Boone, Ia., March 19.—A theory that Miss Rena Nelson of Pierre, S. D., mailed to herself the box of poisoned candy which caused her death is now being worked upon by officials of this county, who expect to prove that Mrs. Dye of Boone is innocent of the charge of sending the candy. It is claimed that Miss Nelson, in letters written to Mrs. Dye, had threatened to take poison.

Charged With Robbing Dead

St. Louis, March 19.—Dr. John B. O'Keefe and Dr. William Hayes, who last Monday were summarily discharged from the coroner's office, have been indicted by the grand jury upon charges of having stolen personal effects of dead men, ranging from shaving mugs to gold watches, of value aggregating $275. Both had previously been arrested and each gave bonds.

Alleged Quadruple Murderer

Salt Lake City, March 19.—Malanka Narancic, a Greek, has been arrested at Stockton, charged with committing four murders. Narancic is said to have killed his sweetheart in Austria four years ago, his brother-in-law in Greece two years ago, and two men in Chicago, one three years ago and the other five months ago.

Trade Improvement Continues

New York, March 19.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says that improvement in trade and industry continues, favorable reports largely outnumbering adverse influences. The most important event of the week was the two-thirds vote by bituminous coal miners to accept the proposed reduction in wages.

Extensive Repairs Needed

New York, March 19.—Battleship Illinois has been docked at the Brooklyn navy yard for repairs made necessary by her collision with the Missouri in southern waters on March 1. She will probably remain in dry dock two months or more.

Man and Woman Asphyxiated

New York, March 19.—Mrs. Johanna Glavin and her brother-in-law, William Glavin, were asphyxiated in Mrs. Glavin's home in Brooklyn by gas escaping from a broken tube connected with a stove.

Mail Pouches Missing

Memphis, March 19.—It is reported that drafts and checks, representing many thousands of dollars, sent in two mail pouches from Memphis to St. Louis, have mysteriously disappeared.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Sunday, March 20.
Sun rises—5:48; sets—5:56.
Moon sets—9:27 p. m.
High water—1 a. m.; 1:30 p. m.

The weather has cleared rapidly in eastern districts under the influence of an area of high pressure that has moved rapidly northeastward in the rear of the area of low pressure. The indications point to several days of warm weather. It will be fair in New England.

FETCHING SUMMER GOWNS

Attractive Dresses Made From the Pretty New Thin Fabrics.

[Special Correspondence.]

New York, March 15.—Many of the pretty new thin stuffs for summer and late spring would be suitable for making after the model of the dress in the accompanying illustration, and all would be fetching, each after its kind The model is developed in chene silk which is of the same old yet ever new design. The soft half tints are vaguely defined, but all are lovely. There are challies quite as beautiful and no end of soft figured silks and thin cottons and linens, to say nothing of the voiles and other transparent materials, and by following the general plan dainty frocks of inexpensive materials can be made and will be all that one could wish.



A HANDSOME CREATION.

There are washable Persian braids which are to be placed on the waist, down the front of the skirt and around the hips, as shown in the design. The skirt is not by any means so difficult to make as it looks, for it is cut just like any ordinary skirt. The ornate effect is brought about by the arrangement of the braid and folds. In the model, which is of silk, the waist is cut away at the neck and the space filled with shirring of white lisse or chiffon, while pretty braid is applied in points. Below the cap is a succession of two puffs of chiffon and two falls of lace reaching just below the elbow. Six bias folds of the material are stitched around the skirt. If the skirt is of thin cotton or other very flimsy material, these can be left off in favor of very slightly gathered ruffles.

It is a pleasure to be able to state that boleros are back again and with a new degree of vigor which shows they are to stay at least a year. They can be made indiscriminately of anything on hand, but black of some kind of firm goods trimmed more or less elaborately is best form. The fancy for having plaited boleros with the fronts hanging to a point below the waist is much affected for medium thin goods.

In one big shop here there are some beautiful imported gowns made entirely of fish net, either black, white or ivory. The skirts are made full and long and have from one to three flounces of the same, and these are bordered with one or more rows of narrow satin ribbon, with a self ruffle below them and directly on the edge. These are most often arranged so as to have or appear to have a double skirt, double skirts being now much fancied. The waists are in full blouse shape, with the bolero effect wrought by the trimming.

A crepe de chine gown has the skirt gauged at the waist in deep lines so that the work simulates a sort of cuirasse around the hips, and then it is left to puff naturally for about twelve inches, when there is a six inch depth of shirring, and then comes another puff, followed by a deep flounce, which is set on with a ruche at the top, followed by several inches more of the shirring, and the bottom of the flounce is hemmed and edged with a ruching of the same material. The waists, two being considered necessary for such nice material, are made by shirring the crape to fit the figure. At the shoulders are deep ruffles forming a bertha, while the front of the waists is bloused in both.

The hats are growing in beauty side by side in every place, so that it is a difficult thing to single out any hat for special mention. I must confine my remarks on that score to types. Picture hats in chip and fancy straws will be great favorites this season, but there are chenille and straws and also chiffons that will run a close second. For the first of the season long shaded plumes, even on the chips and straws, will be preferred, but the flowers are so beautiful and so many that it is impossible that they will not be very popular. The violets of velvet are so very pretty that no one can help admiring them, while the roses and other blossoms look as perfect as if just plucked from their bushes. Flowers are always in vogue. Some fruit is presented for millinery, and certainly it is beautifully made, even if in questionable taste for head wear. Very many fancy buckles, mostly oblong and in bronze, steel and oxidized silver, and many cameos are seen on the new hats to hold the drapery or the long plumes.

OLIVE HARPER.

A FAREWELL LETTER

[Original.]

Billy Bowen and I were lieutenants on the old wooden United States ship V. when she sailed into the harbor of Nagasaki, Japan. It was soon after the civil war, and we had got our promotion rapidly, neither of us yet being twenty-seven years old. Billy was in a fever of excitement, for his girl was at Nagasaki, and he was going ashore to meet her. He insisted that I should go with him, and we succeeded in getting leave among the first batch of officers permitted to go ashore. Billy met his girl and persuaded her to marry him before he returned to his ship.

The wedding of course was a very hasty affair. Miss Etheridge was an orphan and was in company of friends who were not related to her.

She could marry whom she pleased without consulting any one. Nevertheless I saw that there was a hitch in her happiness. She was very much in love with Billy—I could see that plainly—but for some reason or other appeared not to wish to marry him. If I have any one trait to be thankful for, it is an ability to refrain from prying into other people's affairs. I noticed all this in Miss Etheridge, but made no inquiries. There were at the ceremony, which took place at a hotel, a Mrs. Worthington, a widow, and her daughter Clara, the people with whom Miss Etheridge was traveling, and myself. Billy was the happiest man in the world, the only thing to mar his happiness being that his honeymoon must be deferred till the end of the cruise, which would not be for several months. Then the bride and groom were to meet in America, Billy was to get a long leave, which would then be due him, and they were to go on an extended land tour.

I felt sorry for the couple when they separated, as they did within an hour after the ceremony. The ship was only touching at Nagasaki, and Billy and I were expected back in twelve hours from the beginning of our leave. There was a long adieu, the bride clinging to her sailor boy till he was obliged to release himself from her embrace. On our way back Billy volunteered the information that the reason of his wife's having been reluctant to marry him was because in doing so she would probably lose a fortune. Billy said that the wedding was to be kept secret till he met his wife in America, when they were to break the matter as opportunely as possible to some one from whom the fortune might come. He ended his remarks by requesting me to keep mum. Of course I promised.

Not long after leaving Japan we put into Hongkong. Billy was taken ill with some cursed Chinese fever, and it was decided to send him ashore to a hospital. He was a great favorite with the captain, who, knowing of our friendship, sent me with him to look out for him. Billy died in two days. When he knew he was doomed, he wrote a few lines on a bit of paper which he folded and handed to me, asking me to put it in an envelope and seal it. I did so, and he wrote his wife's name on the back. Then he handed the message to me, charging me with its delivery.

I did not have Mrs. Bowen's address or I would have sent the note to her at once on my arrival in New York, which occurred a few months later, nor had I any data whatever whereby to find her. I expected that she would communicate with me. She did not nor with any officer aboard. The consequence was I sailed again, with the note still in my possession. Of course Mrs. Bowen had known of her husband's death since the date of its occurrence, for it was telegraphed to Washington and published.

Ten years went by, during which I passed most of the time on long cruises. I still retained the note in case I should run across Mrs. Bowen, but of course all would be changed. She might be married, in which case I questioned if I should even mention the message. Finally eleven years after her marriage I was ordered to Newport. I had served on a number of ships and had been returned to the V. as its commander. We gave an entertainment aboard, and one of the guests whom I received was a lady whose name was given as Miss Etheridge. Our eyes met as our respective names were spoken, and we recognized each other immediately.

"Miss Etheridge," I said guardedly, "I am happy to see you aboard my ship."

"And I," she replied, "would be pleased to see you at my cottage."

The next afternoon I was in her drawing room. She told me that on her return from abroad a rich aunt had agreed to leave her her property provided she in turn would agree not to marry till after the old lady's death but live with her and take care of her. The bride had heard of her husband's death long before her return to America, and, as there was nothing in the way of her accepting her aunt's offer she did so, retaining her maiden name. The aunt had recently died.

I gave her her husband's farewell message. She tore it open, read it with evident emotion, which ended in a blush; then put it away.

I had now earned a long term of shore duty and saw much of Mrs. Bowen. It was not long before I decided that I wanted her for my wife. I received every encouragement and won her.

"I fancy," I said to her one day after our engagement, "that my easy victory is because of your dislike of the role of a miss when you were a widow."

She arose, went out of the room and returned with her late husband's last note, which she handed me. It expressed a wish that she should become my wife.

I had carried it eleven years.

CHESTER DALRYMPLE.

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

A Jersey man found $475 in an old blacksmith's bellows that had lain in his garret for twenty-five years. The original owner evidently intended to blow it in.

Up to date Gov. Bates has not forwarded a veto to the Legislature this year. Those he sent last year evidently taught the legislators to be more careful.

It is indeed an honor for the city to have the new Washington school building at Quincy Point selected by State inspectors as a model schoolhouse. There are few frills but the building looks solid and substantial, and is admirable adapted for school purposes.

When the present board of County Commissioners say they will keep within an appropriation, they can be depended upon to do it. It required close figuring on the new Fore river bridge, but they had a few dollars to spare, and the furnishings for the new registry will also come within the $100,000 asked.

The statement made at the meeting at West Quincy Monday evening that parents were taxed $20 in car fares for each pupil sent to the High school was a little far fetched. As a matter of fact the number of school days in a year will not exceed 180. As school children ride on half fare it means five cents a day for each pupil or not more then $9 for the year. With a High school at South Quincy many West Quincy children would continue to ride to and from school.

The decision of the Supreme Court in the great Northwestern Securities Merger case was rendered on the 14th instant, Mr. Justice Harlan reading it before a crowded court-room filled with members of the bar, Senators and Congressmen. The opinion of the court is wholly against the defendants, declaring the merger to be illegal, in restraint of competition, and in contravention of the Interstate Commerce act. The company which holds the stock was declared to be a trust, against the acts of which the people are entitled to be protected. It will be restrained from exercising any control whatever over the competing railways, and competition will be restored.

Drift of Opinion.

☞The Chicago Journal says the reason why professor Triggs has been dropped from the faculty of the University of Chicago is that he thinks Longfellow was not a great poet; that not all of the hyms in the hymnal are true poetry and that, the test of genius is quality of mind rather than composition of material, the industrial leaders in an industrial age are as much entitled to the title of genuis as men like Shakespeare and Milton. If the Journal is right, the offending of Professor Triggs is not very great.—Beverly Times

☞Children should be encouraged at home in the practice of reading aloud, in writing letters, or other similar work, and their spelling and methods of expression supervised, and they should be drilled in the multiplication table and other rudiments of arithmetic, all at the time when such studies are taken up at school, and all pursued rigidly until such facility is gained as to make the work almost automatic, as above described. Parents who have never tried it will be surprised at the slowness of acquisition by children, and there facility in forgetting, and thus have a better appreciation of the difficulties of the teacher, and will realize that teachers need all the home help they can get. The home can accomplish much more for the child than the school. The parent has the right to demand that the elements be thoroughly taught in our schools; we can only request the parent to aid us, but we can hope the request will not be made wholly in vain.—School Committee of Brookline.

ROLL TOP DESK.

Presented to Mr. D. T. Drummond—Then All Danced.

At their home on Jackson street, Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Drummond were visited by over one hundred and fifty of their friends. Having had no advance notice that such a large company would make them a call, Mr. Drummond and his wife were very much surprised, and for a moment were at a loss just what to do.

By the time the surprised couple had composed themselves, and, as best they could, recognized and welcomed the happy jostling crowd, an elegant roll-top desk had been carried into the front parlor, where Mr. Drummond and his wife were escorted and presented with the new piece of furniture.

Ex-Councilman A. O. Diack, in a very felicitous speech, made the presentation. He referred to the social and friendly qualities of Mr. and Mrs. Drummond, and it was in appreciation of these good qualities that the party had gathered to enjoy a social evening and leave with the hosts a substantial acknowledgement of esteem.

Mr. Drummond, in reply, thanked all present for their kindly remembrance of himself and wife. After the presentation the party, including Mr. and Mrs. Drummond, adjourned to Doble's hall where preparations had been made for a good time.

Marnock's orchestra was in attendance and to the music dancing was enjoyed. Mr. Alex Russell acted as floor director. At intervals refreshments were handed round.

There was some fancy dancing such as "breakdowns," in which Mrs. A. McDonnell and Mr. Robert Smith showed much proficiency.

In a cake-walk competition, Mr. Pete Williams carried off the bun. Mr. John C. Murray and his partner, Mrs. William McIntosh, were a close second. Mrs. Isabella Pierce, Miss Lizzie Marnock, Mr. S. Tutten and Mr. John Robertson rendered several songs in a most acceptable manner, and Mr. Alex. Russell told stories that tickled the risibilities of all present. It was not until the hours of the morning that the party were disposed to make for their homes.

Among those present were:
H. Nicol and wife.
John Gillis and wife.
John Mason.
John McQueen and wife.
Richard Gordon.
Fred Dell and wife.
E. O'Conner.
F. Craig.
Alex. McHardy.
T. Mitchel and wife.
William Deacon and wife.
George Prout and wife.
William Prout and wife.
R. Prout and wife.
R. Mavers and wife.
William Farquharson and wife.
P. Williams and wife.
Wm. Birnie and wife.
Wm. Spargo and wife.
A. McIntosh Sr. and wife.
James Birnie and wife.
Wm. McIntosh and wife.
A. McIntosh Jr. and wife.
Alex. Birnie.
Wm. Fyfe and wife.
A. Hall and wife.
Mrs. A. D. Smith.
A. Cowe and wife.
Alex. Wilson.
John Troup.
A. O. Diack and wife.
Wm. Marshall and wife.
A. Russell and wife.
John C. Murray and wife.
A. Marnock.
Miss Brady.
John Gauld.
Maggie Esson.
James Wood.
Miss E. Wood.
Miss G. Wood.
Mr. A. Raleigh and wife.
James Smith.
James Malcolm and wife.
William Pratt and wife.
D. Ross and wife.
G. Mavers and wife.
A. Black and wife.
S. Tutten and wife.
F. Barnicoat and wife.
Louis Dunham.
Miss B. Robbie.
Neil McFadyan and wife.
M. A. McDonald and wife.
Albion I. Dixon and wife.
William Lillie and wife.
John Wedderburn and wife.
John Robertson and wife.
Angus McDonnell and wife.
James McLeod.
John Robertson and wife.
James Marr and wife.
Miles McGinnis and wife.
John Mackay.
Charles Smith.
A. Emslie and wife.
Dr. McLennan and wife.
Ed Sandberg.
George Knox.
Dr. McCauseland.
S. Kain and wife.
A. Booth and wife.
George Craig and wife.
F. Morrison and wife.
Walter Wader.
Edward Pierce and wife.
H. Adrian.
P. Mitchel and wife.
D. McLeod and wife.
Miss K. Black.
Miss Mary Drumgold.
A. Phillips.
Miss McDougal.
R. Smith and wife.
John Robbie and wife.
James M. Birnie and wife.
Edward Marnock.
Mrs. Emma Marnock.
T. Raleigh and wife.
Miss M. Hall.
Miss N. Drummond.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Joseph Bishop to Thomas Bishop.
Thomas Bishop to Mary Bishop.
Frank E. Barr to Charles L. Hawn, $450.
Edwin H. Keene et al trs. to Mary Cross.
James H. Churchill to George A. Richards.
George A. Richards to Nellie M. Churchill.
Wm. P. Barry et al to Wm. B. Barry et al.
William B. Barry to William J. Parker.
William J. Parker to Alice T. Barry.
Kath. J. Stedman to Rebecca F. Sampson.
Cornelius Murphy to Patrick Carey et al.
Nellie M. Churchill to Sarah T. Willey.

The strongest magazine novel of the month is by all odds that published in Lippincott's called "A Provident Woman." This is written by Neith Boyce, author of "The Forerunner," and it opens in a New York business office at a critical time for Cecilia Clayber. Her beauty and undeviating calmness in all circumstances so compel the admiration of her employer, Frederick Hawley, widower and millionaire merchant, that he asks her to become his wife. There had been a budding love-affair between Cecilia and one of her mother's boarders, and the erstwhile lover reappears under other conditions which add zest to the tale.

Extreme Measures.



Mother—If I catch you chasing those hens again I'll wash your face every day next week!

—After a visit of several days or even for over night a courteous note should be sent to the hostess, thanking her for her hospitality and expressing your pleasure in the visit.

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CITY BREVITIES.

Fair Sunday.

Councilman Stone now has a telephone at his residence.

Councilman Holmes had another ill turn this week.

J. P. Mowry & Co. continue to offer bargains in clothing and gent's furnishings.

Two new houses have been started on Totman place off Chubbuck street this week.

The Guild of St. Perpetua of Wollaston will meet with Mrs. Page on Tuesday at 3.30 P. M.

The choir and Sunday school of the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal church are preparing Easter music.

The special committee of the School Committee met last evening and examined plans for additions to the High school.

The proposed six- tenement house on Revere road will not be built, as Charles F. Pettengill has purchased the lot adjourning his estate.

St. Ambrose court of Foresters of West Quincy will entertain the high standing committee and also St. Francis court on Monday evening.

Considerable discussion is anticipated at the meeting of the City Council Monday evening over the annual appropriations, and other reports.

Members of Quincy chapter of the Eastern Star visited Brockton chapter Thursday evening, when the Grand lodge officers were entertained.

The rain yesterday afternoon made bad walking. Not only were the sidewalks all slush but slippery as well. The slush froze during the night.

The body of Robert Ireland who died at Winthrop yesterday will be brought to Quincy Sunday for burial in the family lot at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Rev. Mr. Heath, pastor of the Wollaston M. E. church is arranging for a series of sermons to young people, to be delivered Sunday evenings during April and May.

The last of the "Welcome meetings" of St. Chrysostom's church will be held on Wednesday of next week at 8 P. M. The meetings have already gained in interest and attendance.

The Woman's Guild will hold its monthly missionary meeting on Friday at 2.30 P. M. in the parish room. Attention is called to the change in day from Wednesday to Friday.

The Epworth League of Wollaston had a pleasant gathering Thursday night, one half being guests of the other half. A good supper and lively debate were features of the evening.

At the Probate court this week administratians were granted on the Quincy estates of Sarah A. Woodworth, Osmon P. Plummer and Emily M. Dickey and an account was allowed on the estate of Elizabeth A. Davis.

L. J. Baldwin, a well known granite dealer of Torrington, Ct., has been in town this week and placed a number of orders for monuments. He reports that the outlook for business is good. That there is considerable work in the market, and that business should be good as soon as seasonable weather arrives.

Mr. Kent invites the boys of the choir and of the main Sunday school for a second meeting in the parish room of St. Chrysostom's on Friday evening, March 25, from 7.30 till 9 o'clock. Mr. Harry R. Osgood will speak about his experiences as a soldier in the Philippines. The meeting will adjourn at 9 a'clock.

Miss Nellie Y. Norrie of 100 Centre street, was surprised at her home last evening. In behalf of her friends and playmates Master Theodore Turner presented her with a handsome opal ring. She in response thanked her many little friends and wished them all a good time. The evening was passed in a very pleasant manner, with songs and recitations and many games. Refreshments were served.

BORN.

BRUFF—In Rochester, N. Y., March 11, a son to Mr. George Munroe and Mrs. Eunice Kidd Bruff.

WOLFE—In North Weymouth, Mar. 12, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolfe.

REDWAY—In Newark, N. J., a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George M. Redway, and granddaughter to Mrs. Andrew Culley of North Weymouth.

MARRIED.

STEINRERG—ANSELEVICH — In Quincy, March 17, by Rabbi Julius Sandlowitz, Mr. Max Steinberg to Miss Ozi Anselevich both of Quincy.

SILYAMAKI — NIKONDER — In Quincy, March 17, by Rev. Karl F. Hendrikson, Mr. Nikoclemus Silyamaki to Miss Louisa Nikonder both of Quincy.

DIED.

BABCOCK—In East Braintree, March 18, Mrs. Sarah M. Babcock, aged 51 years, 6 months and 4 days.

ELKINS—In Quincy, March 18, Mrs. Grace D., wife of Mr. Herbert G. Elkins of 41 Edson park, aged 26 years.

DALFE—In Quincy, March 19, Mr. Phileas J., son of Phileas A. and Mrs. Malida Dalfe of 53 Common street, aged 16 years, 9 months and 21 days.

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Fearful of the notoriety thrust upon her by the publication of her $20,000 suit for alleged libel, Miss Louise Cook a former school teacher of Natick, who is figuring in a sensational action against Joshua T. Small of Provincetown, has disapeared from sight, and even her closest frieuds are in ignorance as to her present whereabouts, says the Post.

She made a hurried departure from her abode at the home of Frank Atkinson Friday. It is thought that she sought shelter with friends in New York until the present agitation has subsided.

Stylish of dress, prepossessing in appearance, and endowed with talents which added to her charming personality, Miss Cook became a prominent factor in society when she came to Natick about four months ago. She was received at the leading homes and her company at exclusive functions was eagerly sought. Then came ugly rumors and subsequent dismissal from the local educational force.

Miss Cook blames Small, claiming that he wrote letters to Superintendent Albert Barbour and others.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 16th, 1904. The Committee on Election Laws will give a hearing to parties interested in House bills No. 737, 872, 873, 874, for legislation to prohibit the issuance of false and anonymous political circulars; for legislation relative to illegal registration and voting, to prevent attempts there at and to aiding and abetting therein; for legislation to make more definite and effective the law relative to corrupt practices in elections; for legislation relative to corrupt practices in elections; at room No. 438 State House, on Tuesday, March 22, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. JAMES McKINLEY, Chairman. GEORGE A. TURNER, Clerk of the Committee. 18-2t

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Social Realm.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Parents and teachers have every reason to feel proud of the Founder's day program as carried out at the Woodward school last Saturday evening. The chorus and solos by the girls were finely rendered and the play Tennyson's "Princess" was a remarkably finished production, even to the little details.

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Miss Gladys Sargent observed her twelfth birthday by giving a party to her friends at her residence on Farrington street on Wednesday, from 6.30 to 9. About thirty were present and after playing games they were entertained by piano selections by Miss Ruth Cahill. Refreshments were served and the young hostess was remembered with numerous presents. The party closed with dancing of the Virginia reel.

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Miss Marcia Wilder of Squantum street is spending the month of March with relatives in New York.

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The Monday Evening whist club met with Miss Georgiana Priest of Atlantic street Monday evening. Miss Ethel Hill and Mr. Verna Bede were prize winners. Refreshments were served.

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The New England Woman's Press association will be guests of the Boston Business League on Tuesday afternoon March twenty-second from three to six, at Woolson hall, New Century building, Boston.

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The paper on "The Moors of Spain," which was read by Mrs. Lawrence of Winchester before the Ladies' Alliance at Wollaston on Wednesday afternoon was of unusual interest to all present. Tea was served and a social chat followed.

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A Vermont paper announces the marriage of Miss Beatrice T. Smith formerly of the Wollaston school, and Mr. Lewis N. Walker of Pittsford, Vermont. The ceremony was preformed at the home of Rev. John D. Phillips. Mr. and Mrs. Walker are to reside at the Walker farm, Chinnecook.

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Mayor Bryant has for his guests his mother and sister.

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☞Milliners say that this spring fruit hats will be in vogue. That is, every one is supposed to be a peach.—Haverhill Gazette.

—The largest glass bottle ever made in the world will be exhibited at the World's Fair, St. Louis, this year. It was blown in the plant of the Illinois Glass Company at Alton, Ill.

—In Russia people must marry before 80 or not at all, and may marry only five times.

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WITH THE WRITERS.

Mrs. Mackay's Study In a Log Cabin Stewart Edward White.

[Special Correspondence.]

New York, March 15.—Mrs. Clarence Mackay's much talked of novel, "The Stone of Destiny," was written in a log cabin situated a mile from her beautiful home, Harbor Hill, at Roslyn, on Long Island. The tiny workshop is furnished with mission furniture and decorated with newspaper cartoons, the most important object in the place being the typewriter upon which its owner wrote her story. In fine weather Mrs. Mackay walked to and from her secluded workshop and carried her luncheon in a basket like any schoolgirl. She is still a young woman in the middle twenties and not overfond of society and its exactions. Mrs. Mackay is a granddaughter of the famous wit, William R. Travers, and a great-granddaughter of Reverdy Johnson. At the time of her marriage she was said to be the most beautiful bride of the season.

Stewart Edward White, whose "The Blazed Trail," "The Conjuror's House" and "The Forest" have given him wide celebrity, is an athlete, a fine horse



STEWART EDWARD WHITE AND HIS DOG.

man, a dead shot and a master of woodcraft. He is very fond of horses and dogs, and his favorite dog is a decidedly intelligent animal. On a recent 1,200 mile trip on horseback through the high Sierras of southern California Mr. White caught some of the famous but rare golden trout which are only found in two streams in the world, one in the Sierras and one in Asia.

Senator Beveridge, author of "The Russian Advance," was being discussed by a group of politicians in one of the committee rooms at the capitol the other day.

"Beveridge sometimes plays bad politics," said one of his old friends.

"That isn't what they say out in Indiana," replied a Hoosier politician.

"When I say 'sometimes,'" explained the first speaker, "I mean at times when the interests of any good friend of his are involved. I remember that when Beveridge was running for the senate Frank Littleton, a close friend of his from the same city, was a candidate for speaker of the house. A delegation called on Beveridge to get him to sidetrack Littleton. He listened attentively, then replied: 'Gentlemen, Frank Littleton is one of the best friends I have, and he has as much right to run for speaker as I have to be a candidate for the senate. I won't sidetrack him. I would rather be defeated.' Both Littleton and Beveridge were elected, and afterward one of the delegation said to me, 'It was bad politics, but it was great.' That is what I mean when I say that sometimes Beveridge plays bad politics."

Miss Ellen Glasgow, the author of "The Deliverance," has but one pet, and that is an Irish terrier named Joy He is named after the hero of her fine civil war story, "The Battleground." Joy, it appears, has a particular aversion to literary work of his mistress. Whenever he finds her engaged in writing he tugs at her right arm and becomes so much aroused that he must be carried from the room. Joy is one of the few dogs who sent New Year's greetings. Miss Glasgow, who is spending the winter in New York, received a postal card on Jan. 2 marked by the paws of her pet. To the people of Richmond, Va., Miss Glasgow's home city, Joy is a familiar figure. He accompanies his mistress on her daily walks. He bears animosity to but one other dog, and that, strange to say, is his own brother.

Bram Stoker, author of "The Jewel of Seven Stars," is not in appearance the popular conception of the "literary man." He is both large and ruddy, and his looks do not belie his reputation as an athlete, for Mr. Stoker was once athletic champion of the University of Dublin, where he received his education. Unlike some students, his interest in university life was not monopolized by athletics. He was also president of the Philosophical society and auditor of the Historical society, taking the latter's silver medals for history and composition. Mr. Stoker is by profession a barrister.

Miss Mary Johnston, whose novel "Sir Mortimer" is attracting attention, was born in Buchanan, Va., in November of 1870 and is therefore only thirty-three years of age. She is one of the very few women novelists in the history of literature who can describe a fight on sea or land, as she has described it in "Sir Mortimer," with convincing power.

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BRAINTREE.

Hon. B. Herbert Woodsum was re-elected chairman of the board of selectmen.

Mrs. Otis B. Oakman of Franklin street has been confined to the house the past week by a severe cold.

The Wyelljaycee second annual dancing party is to be held in the Town hall Tuesday evening, April 12. From eight to eight-thirty there will be a reception. The matrons are Mrs. John Cuff, Mrs. John Sullivan and Mrs. John Mulcaly. There will be ten ushers: Misses Marie F. Shay, Anna M. Tracey, Helen A. Cuff, Claire E. Shay, Helen T. Moran, Agnes L. Cavanagh, Mary E. Drinkwater, Winnifred G. Shay, Helen V. Branley and Gertrude A. Berry.

George DeBoar of Franklin street has bought out the butcher business of Mr. Weeden at Quincy.

Don't forget the town meeting Monday evening and remember that 10.30 is early enough to adjourn.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Arnold are spending a few days in Springfield the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Arnold.

The Easter concert of the Sunday school of the Union Congregational church will be given on Easter Sunday, April 3d, at 4 P. M. The topic to be considered at the midweek service of the church next Thursday evening, the 24th, is "The Judgment Test." References—Matt.: 31-46; Rom. 13: 8-14; John 5: 19-30.

Be careful to take the right train from Boston or you may get switched to Hyde Park. Trains for Braintree which left on track seventeen now depart on twenty-one.

Moderator B. H. Woodsum has appointed an up-to-date committee to investigate the needs of a new school building at South Braintree. The gentlemen we hear are William C. Harding, George H. Holbrook, H. W. Borden, J. P. Hayward, O. B. Oakman, T. D. Dyer and Paul Monaghan.

The annual parish meeting of the First Universalist parish will be held at the home of Mr. F. A. Smith, clerk, next Tuesday evening at eight o'clock.

Rev. C. F. Hill Crathern, of the Congregational church, South Braintree will preach in exchange with Rev. F. R. Griffin, on Sunday March 20.

On Friday evening, March 25, the senior class of the Braintree High school will give a dramatic recital consisting of two one-act comedies. The first, "Dunducketty's Picnic," is modern in setting. The scene of the second, "Cicely's Cavalier," is laid in the time of the rebellion against Charles II. Both are filled with interesting and comic situations.

The Colonial club has accepted the invitation of the Cochato club and will send a ladies' bowling team early in April to compete with a picked team from the ladies bowling in the candle pin tournament. They expect to bring a large party of friends and will be entertained by the ladies of the club under the direction of the ladies' bowling manager, Mrs. George E. Williams.

Mrs. Sarah, wife of Converse Babcock, passed away at her home on Elm Knoll road early Wednesday morning after a brief illness of pneumonia. For many years she had been a patient sufferer of asthma, thus undermining her health and leaving her unable to cope with the severe disease. A husband, son and daughter have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement. The funeral services were held from her late home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Nash of the First Universalist church officiating.

The regular meeting of the Jonas Perkins School association was held Wednesday evening with Mrs. W. H. H. Bailey in her new home on Union street, South Braintree. Quotations were from Pope. Mrs. Scolland read a very interesting and instructive paper. During the evening the hostess served dainty refreshments. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Scolland, April 6, quotations to be from Byron.

Puritan lodge, I. O. O. F., held its regular meeting in I. O. O. F. hall Tuesday evening. A committee was appointed to arrange for the celebration of the anniversary of the lodge and order to be held April 22d. Application was received from one candidate for admission. All sick brothers are doing well except brother Connell. Nothing special being on hand the lodge adjourned until next Tuesday.

The monthly business meeting of the Penniman School Association was held Wednesday evening at the home of the secretary Mr. O. W. Hollis. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected: Henry F. Arnold, president; Eben Prescott, vice president; George H. Holbrook, second vice president; Orrin W. Hollis, secretary; Solomon Fuller, treasurer; William G. Nixon, Frank H. Palmer, Henry F. Arnold, Orrin W. Hollis, Misses Sarah Drake, L. May Whitney and Maud Carter, executive committee. Two new members were voted in and the association will gladly welcome more. Business over, refreshments were served and a social hour spent.

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Will March on Pekin In the Event of the Slightest Move on China's Part--Small Forces of Russian Troops Falling Back Wherever Pressed by the Enemy--Every Moment of Japan's Delay an Advantage to Russia

London, March 19.—Again there is little news from the far east, with the exception of vague rumors of unsuccessful attempts of the Port Arthur and Vladivostok fleets to join hands.

The Standard's Tien Tsin correspondent says that Paul Lessar, Russian minister to China, has renewed his protest against the dispatch of Chinese forces outside the Great Wall, and intimates that unless they are withdrawn Russia may be compelled to act on the assumption that China is abandoning her neutrality in favor of Japan. The minister is also reported to have renewed his threat that on the slightest movement on China's part Russian troops will march on Pekin. It is understood that in reply to this, the correspondent adds, China refused to recall her troops.

The New Chwang correspondent of The Times cables that there are no Japanese north of the Yalu river and that none of their scouts has been seen there since the beginning of March. On the other hand, the correspondent says, the Russians are reported to have crossed the Yalu to the south, leaving a small force to guard the river.

All the other dispatches give the lie to the stories to the effect that the Russians were over the Yalu in force and were moving south. As previously pointed out, the Russians are in no condition at the present moment to assume an aggressive campaign into the heart of Korea. The latest dispatches say that the small forces of Russian troops which have been keeping in touch with the Japanese advance are falling back wherever pressed by the northward movement of the enemy. The Japanese hold Anju and the line of the Cheng Cheng river, 75 miles north of Ping Yang, where the main force is concentrating.

Japan's delay in striking at Russia's vulnerable points can be explained only on the assumption that she has met unexpected obstacles to her plan of campaign or else that she is sure that she has so accurately gauged Russia's ability to move her troops that she can afford to be deliberate in her operations. Every moment's delay is of distinct advantage to Russia. Experts have figured that one day's delay is worth five times as much to the czar as to the mikado.

Japanese Infantry at Ping Yang

St. Petersburg, March 19.—Viceroy Alexieff cables to the emperor from Mukden as follows:

"General Mishtcheng reports that Ping Yang is occupied by Japanese infantry with some guns and that Korean carts are carrying their supplies. The enemy's cavalry is not visible in large bodies and only isolated horsemen are seen. Their horses are poor. Our patrols discovered the presence of the enemy's infantry in banks of the Cheng Cheng river five versts (about 3 1-3 miles) from Anju. The enemy opened fire and killed one of our horses."

Ito at Korean Capital

Seoul, March 19.—Marquis Ito had a formal audience with the emperor yesterday afternoon. The ceremonies were conducted in the presence of the court. The secretary of the Japanese privy council, who accompanied Marquis Ito to Korea, says that the visit of the marquis was made purely in behalf of the Japanese emperor to express sympathy with Korea in the present troublous times. Marquis Ito had not come to discuss the political or war situations, although his visit may have consequences which will develop later.

"Under Japanese Pressure"

St. Petersburg, March 19.—A communication from the foreign office is published here confirming the statement that Russia does not regard Korea as belligerent and will not do so until there is evidence that Korea is actively making common cause with Japan. The communication reiterates the assertion that Russia considers Korea simply a neutral state, acting under violent pressure by Japan, and deprived of the power of free action, and that Russia therefore cannot regard as valid any treaty to the benefit of Japan nor the abrogation of Russian concessions.

Figuring on Supplies

Moscow, March 19.—The provincial government of Moscow has asked Dr. Nansen, the Norwegian explorer, for information concerning the kind of conserves which proved most satisfactory during his Polar expedition. Dr. Nansen's experience will be useful in enabling the province to arrange for the supplies for the Manchurian army.

BENEFITS NEW ENGLAND

General Opinion of Ultimate Result of the Cotton Slump

Boston, March 19.—New England, more than any other part of the country, will be affected by the failure in New York of Daniel J. Sully, the cotton operator, and the consequent slump in the cotton market. Mill treasurers and agents are, however, but little inclined to venture a prediction as to the probable effect on the mill centres of New England of the collapse of the market.

The concensus of opinion, as nearly as can be determined from guarded expressions, is that the trade situation would be ultimately improved through the break in the market, but that the cloth market is temporarily threatened by a collapse of prices, which mills that have purchased raw material at the advanced figures will be forced to meet.

Labor leaders are generally elated over the developments, believing that the period of spectacular speculation, against which they charge the recent curtailment of production, is at an end for the time being.

Couple Suffocated In Hotel

New Haven, March 19.—A man and woman who registered as "Jack Mack and wife" were found dead in a room in Hotel Europa, an Italian lodging house, apparently victims of accidental asphyxiation by gas. The woman was about 30 years old and shabbily dressed. The clothing of her companion was apparently that of a workingman. He was perhaps 25 years of age. The police are inclined to think that the names on the register were fictitious. The medical examiner decided that death was accidental.

Lynn May Have "Free Shops"

Lynn, Mass., March 19.—The latest development in the handturned workmen's strike is the declaration from the Manufacturers' association that free shops will be declared if the men who are out from three factories do not return to work by next Monday morning. Agent Bauer of the union declines to make any comment on the decision of the association, but states that it will be handled by the general executive board of the union.

Would Have Servants Licensed

Boston, March 19.—In an address before the Women's Health club last evening, Mrs. Edith M. Kettelle said: "There is nothing more dangerous to the public health than an ignorant domestic. To license them would mean to insure their capability. Domestic servants are responsible for the ill-health of the community in two ways—by ignorant cooking and by carrying disease from one place of employment to another."

Webb Sent to State Prison

Cambridge, Mass., March 19.—James M. Webb, Civil war veteran, who alleges that during his career he has been a war correspondent, author and personal friend of prominent Washington men, was sentenced to not less than seven years nor more than ten years in state prison for forging and uttering and obtaining money under false pretences from the principals of various private schools throughout the state.

Russia Favored In Tufts Debate

Medford, Mass., March 19.—Tufts college men held a debate last evening on whether a Japanese victory in the present Russo- Japanese war would be for the best interests of the world, the word victory meaning a final victory. The speakers on the affirmative were Edward A. Knowlton and Armand W. Benoit, and on the negative Donald S. Teague and Ernest A. Mulvey. The negative speakers won.

Paper Mill Destroyed by Fire

Fitchburg, Mass., March 19.—One of the largest paper mills in northern Massachusetts, the No. 1 mill of the Fitchburg Paper company, in this city, was destroyed by fire last night, with a loss of $50,000. The mill was an old one, but the machinery was of the latest make.

Concessions on Both Sides

Gloucester, Mass., March 19.—An agreement between the manufacturers and the Quarrymen's union of the Cape Ann quarries, covering wages for the coming year, has been signed and a threatened strike averted. Both sides made concessions.

Dropped Dead From Chair

Middletown, Conn., March 19.—While sitting in a chair preparatory to an examination of his eyes in the office of Professor Ely, Matthew S. Nolan, 26 years old, suddenly fell to the floor dead. Death was due to heart failure.

Three Fatalities In Hotel Fire

Hugo, I. T., March 19.—The Eagle hotel has been burned to the ground. John Scott, an employe of the hotel; Minerva Scott, his wife, and his sister-in-law, name not learned, were burned to death. Houston Scott, aged 12 years, was fatally burned.

Mrs Blair Sues For Insurance

St. Louis, March 19.—Mrs. Apolline M. Blair, widow of James L. Blair, former general counsel for the World's fair, has entered suit against two insurance companies in New York to secure $35,000 insurance.

Payne Is Much Better

Washington, March 19.—Postmaster General Payne has gained in strength and the gout which has troubled him so much has relaxed in intensity. He is reported to be resting easily.

Carnegie Sails For Scotland

New York, March 19.—Andrew Carnegie sailed for Europe today on the steamer St. Paul. He will spend six months at his Scottish Castle Skibo.

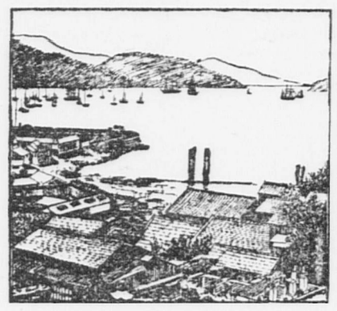
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Glimpses of Nagasaki, Sasebo, Hakodate, Yokohama and Osaka In Wartime ::

[Special Correspondence.]

NAGASAKI, Feb. 20.—No port in the far east except Manila is better known to Americans than Nagasaki. Here all the United States transports stop to coal on their way to and from the Philippines, and Nagasaki's excellent dry docks have held more than one of Uncle Sam's warships. The flag of every maritime power is familiar to the Nagasakians, for all the great merchant ships which regularly ply the Pacific coal here and leave fuel enough for a great fleet of tramp ships of every port from "Mississippi to Clyde." The population ashore is quite as cosmo-



THE HARBOR OF NAGASAKI.

politan as the shipping in the harbor and consequently picturesque. During the Boxer and Philippine insurrections Nagasaki was a rendezvous of "war widows" and "war orphans," wives and children of officers of the allied armies who were fighting in China or of the American officers "hiking" through Luzon.

Now, of course, foreign shipping is less conspicuous, and the Japanese army and navy have the port pretty much to themselves. Daily transports loaded with soldiers leave here, convoyed by warships, their destination known only to those "higher up." The military censorship is of the most rigid character. Troop trains are unloading alongside the wharfs, and the men are embarking with the regularity of clockwork. Everything is orderly, and but for the preponderance of uniforms over plain clothes the present bustle would not seem so very different from the usual activity of the port.

Nagasaki, with 80,000 inhabitants, is the sixth city of Japan in size, Tokyo, Kioto, Osaka, Yokohama and Kobe being larger. Nagasaki, on the Korean strait, gets its importance from its central position, its fine harbor and its coal mines. The bay is one of the most beautiful in the world. It opens like a funnel from the southwest and stretches in for three miles between steep green hills. Outside the entrance is a beautifully wooded archipelago, through which the incoming ship threads its way. One of the largest of these islands is the Papenberg, 500 feet high, from whose precipitous summit 2,000 Christians were cast into the sea a thousand years ago by the orders of the ruling sovereign of Japan. The Japs were all Buddhists then, as most of them are now.

The island of Takashima, ten miles south of Papenberg, is where the coal comes from. Some of the shafts on this island are a thousand feet deep, and from them tunnels run for long distances under the bed of the sea. Shafts have been sunk on other islands also, and coal lighters are constantly coming and going. The mines belong to the Mitsui family, the richest family in Japan. The Mitsuis also own dry docks, iron works, slips, repair shops and shipyards here. Nagasaki has the reputation of being the fastest coaling station east of Suez. Men and women work together in



TEMPLE IN KOBE ON JAPAN'S INLAND SEA.

passing huge baskets of coal from one to another in a long line from the barge to the ship's chutes or in carrying them up long ladders, for which they get about 30 cents a day. Twelve hundred tons have been put aboard ship in three hours. The town of Nagasaki is very Japanesy in its architecture, but uses western business methods and appliances freely.

Since Nagasaki has become the headquarters of the transport service the naval rendezvous has been moved to Sasebo, about fifty miles up the coast. Sasebo is unimportant from a commercial standpoint, but possesses great strategic value. Both Nagasaki and Sasebo are almost directly opposite Masampo and Fusan, in Korea, to which points it was expected that the Japanese troops who were destined to operate in Korea would be sent. The first naval engagements of the war cleared the sea so effectually that the Japanese transports have been able to sail directly to Chemulpo, the port of Seoul, the capital of Korea, without molestation, saving the soldiers a long march overland. The Japanese government is rushing work on the railroad from Fusan to Seoul, which it took over before hostilities broke out, and later in the campaign troops may go from Nagasaki to Fusan and thence by rail to the front. The railroad from Seoul to Wiju, on the Yalu river a continuation of the Seoul-Fusan road is to be pushed, too, although it is likely to be completed, if at all, amid bursting shells. The Japanese government has ordered a large number of locomotives from America for this road.

There is no other port of much importance on the western side of Japan until the straits of Tsugaru, which separate the islands of Hondo and Yezo are reached. There Hakodate, which was threatened by the Russian fleet from Vladivostok at the beginning of the war and which was erroneously reported to have been bombarded, cuts into the volcanic coast. Hakodate is a progressive town, the headquarters of the important fishing industry of Yezo and the depot for the coal fields of Hokaido. The town is growing rapidly and has many fine public buildings, including a museum, which contains valuable relics of the stone age and the civilization of the Ainus, the hairy aborigines of Japan. The harbor is unusually large and safe and is capable of sheltering 100 vessels of 5,000 tons at one time. Near Hakodate is Mororan, a comparatively new port on which the government is spending a large amount of money. This harbor has room for thirty-eight vessels of 5,000 tons and is being enlarged.

On the Pacific side of Hondo are the richest ports of the empire. Yokohama on the bay of Yeddo, twenty miles below Tokyo, is the largest of all, but



JAPANESE BUILDING THE SEOUL-FUSAN RAILWAY.

the extent of its intercourse with the outside world has robbed it of most of its oriental character. It is more like Liverpool or New York than like its sister ports in Japan. Here is located on a bluff overlooking the bay the United States marine hospital, to which sick marines from the Asiatic station and the Philippines are sent.

A little farther down the coast is Yokosaka, which has achieved distinction by being the first Japanese port at which the cruisers bought in Genoa of Argentina touched after their long run through the eastern seas, infested with Russian warships, real and imaginary. There is a naval school at Yokosaka, as there is also at Edajima.

Osaka, on the gulf of Osaka, at the entrance to the inland sea, is the second city of the country in size and the first in industrial importance. The city is full of factories and large shops and has been fittingly called the Chicago of the east. The imperial mint and arsenals are located here. The government has recently built at Osaka a mole behind which the largest merchant ships may ride in safety and is constantly adding to the already strong fortifications of the port. Osaka was the capital of the empire in the fourth century and was originally the principal seat of the Shin sect of Buddhism. The first Buddhist temple in Japan was built here. In Osaka was held the great industrial exhibition of 1903. The river Yodo runs through the center of the town in almost endless convolutions and is crossed, it is said, by 800 bridges. Osaka is the port of Kioto, the western capital, which is an hour's journey inland.

Farther in on the shores of the inland sea is Kobe, the great dockyard and naval arsenal of Japan. It was in one of the Kobe shipyards that the American battleship Oregon was docked after running on a rock in the China sea. A dock which will take the Oregon will accommodate the largest warship afloat. Kobe is admirably protected both by its natural position and by its fortifications. Its wide and deep harbor is as still as a mill pond.

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THE NEVADA DESERT

ITS FRIGHTFUL RECORD OF DEATHS FROM THIRST AND SUFFOCATION.

Five Hundred Persons Are Said to Have Lost Their Lives For Lack of Water and From the Effect of Sand Storms—Victims at Dead Man's Hole.

[Special Correspondence.]

Los Vegas, Nev., March 9.—Talk about the infernal region with the lid off! Dead Man's hole in a sand storm comes nearer to it than any place on earth. This is in the heart of the Nevada desert, where scores, perhaps hundreds, of people have perished from lack of water or have been overwhelmed by the tornadoes of sand that sweep over the arid and desolate plain, the grewsome evidences of which are thickly strewn amid the cactus thorns and alkali beds.

Not long ago a party of engineers who are surveying a new line of railroad through the desert discovered the bodies of thirty persons who had lost their lives in the neighborhood of Dead Man's hole. They were frightfully torn by coyotes and buzzards, which are among the few forms of life able to inhabit such a wilderness. Of course nobody knows how many have met their death in crossing the Nevada desert, but it is estimated that fully 500 persons have perished there within the past ten years, victims either of thirst or suffocation by sand storms or both. To one journeying through the treeless waste many are the reminders of the terrible fate of others who have gone before. Either their bones lie bleached upon the sand or kind hands have covered them with alkali soil and marked the spot with a cross of stones.

There is one trail, known as "el camino del diablo ("the devil's road"), where the traveler comes upon bleaching skeletons or rudely marked graves almost continuously. Along this route the oases are nearly fifty miles apart. At one oasis, called Las Trujas Allas, there are two rock basins, one at the foot and the other halfway up a mountain. Fifty graves near by tell of victims of thirst who have perished almost in sight of water. In times of extreme drought the lower bowl is drained dry, and many travelers have died in vainly trying to reach the upper basin.

In the winter time the deserts are more likely to lure the unfamiliar traveler to his death than in the burning summer months. On cold nights the desert air quickens the nerves as though it were pure ozone. It beguiles one into thinking that he can cover the most formidable distances with the greatest ease. The stars in such an atmosphere shine with unwonted brightness and seem to crowd nearer to each other. Faroff mountains when illuminated by the moon deceive the eye into believing that they are but a short distance away. Thus deceived, the stranger plans too long a journey for the provisions and water he takes, and when the sun comes up, and the heat increases, and his thirst grows fiercer and the water dwindles in the bottle



GOVERNMENT WELL IN NEVADA DESERT.

and the oasis ahead proves only a mirage, then he realizes the perils of the Nevada desert.

Under the summer sun, however, the cruelty of the desert becomes most frightful. In the narrow southern end of Nevada, in which Dead Man's hole is located, the temperature has been known to reach 150 degrees in the sun, while a temperature of 125 degrees is not unusual. It is said that nowhere in the Sahara desert of Africa or the Arabian or Indian deserts of Asia do the rays of the sun beat down with a more deadly fervor than on the sands of the Nevada desert.

The geographers define a desert as a region where less than ten inches of rain falls in a year. Considerably less than this quota of water falls in the Nevada desert. So dry is the air and so eagerly does it absorb moisture that a tin pan filled with an inch and a quarter of water at night is found perfectly dry the next afternoon. Only those forms of life which can best economize moisture are able to survive in this hot, dry atmosphere.

Most frightful of all the perils of the desert are the sand storms, which sweep with terrific force across the unobstructed plain, filling the air so densely with swiftly moving particles of sand as to almost completely shut out the light of the sun at midday. Woe to the unhappy traveler who is caught in the stifling embrace of this Nevada sirocco.

CHARLES E. RICHARDSON.

Marna's Mistake

By Martha McCulloch-Williams

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"You old poke! Take that for being so horribly late!" a girl's voice said as Trevor went along an overgrown patch to reach his uncle's house. With the words came a handful of rose petals, crumpled, damp and deliciously fragrant. It had rained all day, clearing just before sundown. The rain had kept him prisoner at the inn, three miles away. He had meant to reach Briarlaw early in the morning instead of thus upon the edge of dusk. The rain had sent the creek all out of its banks. Thus he was coming to his journey's end afoot rather than behind his prancing blacks. The footbridge defied the flood. That for carriages was swinging perilously in the rushing water. He could not rest until he had seen his uncle. Something had to be settled out of hand—something vital to his whole future.

He looked about him. The dusking greenery betrayed no human presence, but the mocking voice went on: "You're a fine fellow! Upon my word if you had kept me waiting five minutes longer I should have marched straight back and said to my pastors and masters, 'Please, sirs, I'm good now; quite ready to marry Mr. John Trevor'—

"Oh, I say! Hold on. You—you must be Miss Lee—Marna—of whom I've heard, and I'm John Trevor," that gentleman interrupted, his face scarlet. The shrubbery at the right trembled violently, then out of it burst the very prettiest girl he had ever seen, who said, her eyes blazing: "And you have come here to marry me! Well, I can tell you now I had rather die than be your wife!"

"Let's shake hands," John said jovially. "It appears we're in exactly the same boat. I have got to see my Uncle John and be off, because the dearest girl in the world will be whisked away to Europe, clean out of reach, unless I can manage to marry her all in a wink."

"Oh, how jolly!" Marna cried, giving him both her hands. "If you'll only run away I can wait and have a church wedding, with bridesmaids and flower girls and everything. It would be horrible to miss them, but there seemed nothing else to do, so Billy Martin and I have everything all ready. Come! We won't wait for him any longer. I dare say he is water bound, but he ought to have swum the creek, considering. Don't you think so?"

"Undoubtedly. I am sure he don't deserve you, letting such a little thing hinder him," Trevor said, still holding her hands. "You mistook me for him, so we must look a little bit alike. But I disown the likeness. You would not have had to wait for me, not if the stars had fallen."

"Ahem! Suppose that other girl heard you now?" Marna said wickedly, her lids lowered, a naive smile lurking about her lips. John pressed her hand and drew it upon his arm, saying only: "Keep close to me. The path is narrow, and I mustn't let you get wet." But Marna appeared to feel sufficiently answered. She smiled more winsomely than ever at him and said as they came out in the clear lawn, "Cousin John—we are cousins, you know; your uncle is my stepfather as well as guardian—will you do something for my asking and not misunderstand?"

"Certainly," Trevor said, smiling himself. Marna was silent for three breaths, then said hurriedly: "Don't say anything about anything until morning Poor Papa Trevor doesn't sleep well at the best of times. He has been worrying all day about your delayed arrival, and if you let him know the upsetting of his most cherished plans he won't get a wink tonight and will be crosser than two bears tomorrow."

"Does he know about Billy Martin?" Trevor demanded. Marna looked at him, amazed.

"Oh, dear, no!" she said. "If he had known, why, I shouldn't have been out there waiting. Papa Trevor has a habit of having his own way"—

"It's a family trait," Trevor interrupted, stealing an arm about Marna and kissing her cheek. She brushed away the caress as though it were some slight annoying insect and went on "He couldn't have known, because, you see, I did not really know myself until yesterday, after your telegram came. Then—well, it was any port in a storm with me. I don't really, truly care about Billy, but I do love my own way as well as though my name were Trevor"—

"I see. But was Billy Hobson's choice?" Trevor interrupted wickedly. Marna frowned at him, saying: "The idea! Now you are horrid. I have a dozen beaux, but it happened Billy was the only one right on the spot. And you'll admit there wasn't much time for planning when Papa Trevor shouted out to me: 'Marna, telephone for the rector and the wedding cake day after tomorrow. Is there anything else needed? John gets here in the morning, and you had better go to packing your trunks. I mean he shall take you abroad. There you'll have a chance of getting fairly acquainted with each other.'"

"H'm! That was a close call. Did you pack?" Trevor asked, his eyes twinkling. Marna tossed her head the least bit as she answered: "Of course. Packed everything, just as if I knew I was going to die. Mamma would have trouble enough over my going without having that on her hands. Besides there are such loads of pretty things. Papa Trevor has been a real fairy godfather ever since he took a notion to marry us off this way. I knew if he didn't see them he wouldn't remember them. Mamma was safe to send the trunks after me. But if he did see them he'd most likely make a bonfire of them, and that would be too bad for anything."

"Quite too bad. You make me feel utterly conscience stricken. I didn't dream his heart was so set on this plan," Trevor said. After a minute he burst out hotly: "But he has only himself to blame. He wouldn't let us meet. This used to be my home, and he has kept me in exile all the seven years since he married your mother. He has brought me up to regard myself as his son and heir, and now unless I marry whom he chooses I am to lose everything."

"You seem to think it would have been a case of 'I came, saw, conquered,'" Marna said, her eyes dancing. Trevor turned suddenly upon her. "If you could put up with a Billy Martin for the sake of your own way, I don't think you would be quite flint to me," he said, almost angrily. He truly loved his uncle. He was, moreover, proud of his name and the consequence attaching to the big Trevor fortune. It hurt to have this adorable Marna flout him when he was thus at grips with hard fate. She was adorable; so adorable, in spite of fealty to the other girl, it gave a sharper edge to his perception of loss.

"Indeed, you are right. I might have chosen you if it had been made a matter of choice," Marna said pensively, her head a little aside. They were nearing the open hall door, through which there shot suddenly a broad stream of white light. It fell full upon them, throwing them up strongly against the background of leafy darkness. Somebody upon the piazza shouted with joy at sight of them. Under cover of the shouting Marna said, by this time plaintive, "If only it was not for that other girl, but I always play fair."

"So you've outwitted me, you young villain!" John Trevor, Sr., said, wringing his nephew's hand. "I never meant you to see that pretty baggage there until I was ready to give her to you for good and all. You know your way about. Trot along. You'll find your room exactly as you left it when you went away a boy."

"Let me be still a boy for this one night, Uncle Jack," Trevor pleaded, keeping hold of a tremendous elderly hand. Papa Trevor wagged his head, saying: "Aye, aye, lad! But remember you must wake up, ready to play a man's part."

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Trevor slept badly and woke late to find the world full of sunshine and singing birds, to hear his uncle shouting impatiently at the men mowing the lawn and across the blurred noises high and clear, the silver tinkle of Marna's laughter. He went downstairs like one in a dream. There was a hideous black cloud over all the morning brightness. As he came out on the steps a messenger on a bicycle halted there and handed him a yellow envelope, saying apologetically "Shure, sor-r, we thried to git ye this bit the night, but the divil was in the wather; besides, the b'ye that writ it out sid the news would kape."

Mechanically Trevor opened it and read:

I sail today. Marry Paul in London. He did not deceive me. His fortune does not depend on anybody's whim. No longer yours, MARY.

Just then Marna danced up to him, her hands full of dewy roses. He caught both her wrists and said huskily: "Marna, you mistook me for Billy Martin. Can't you do it again long enough to marry me?"

For a minute Marna did not answer She looked down, her breast heaving, her cheeks rivaling the richest among her roses, and said at last, shyly lifting her eyes: "You are not quite accurate, Cousin John. The fact is, Billy was my mistake."

Of course they were married, as Papa Trevor had ordained. They lived happy ever after, but they did not go abroad until they themselves chose.

Why the Captain Wore Whiskers.

Captain Gibbons had a habit of wearing chin whiskers. I had always thought this was due to the fact that they were more becoming, but I learned the reason to be otherwise. It seems that his chin and throat were scarred and these scars are thus explained:

On one of the ships which he commanded there was a mutiny of the crew one morning on the high seas, which he promptly started to quell The sailors were too many for him however, as he was unarmed, and they soon had him down on the deck, bound and gagged with a long knife across his mouth. It was this knife that produced the wounds whose scars the captain carried the remainder of his life concealed beneath his beard. While thus bound and gagged a lady passenger came to him and, cutting the bonds, handed him a loaded revolver. With this weapon he soon had his crew at his feet, and the ringleaders were placed in irons.—Lewiston Journal.

She Preferred His Rival.

A story is told of Lord Melbourne in his character of premier asking the young Queen Victoria whether "there was any individual for whom she felt such a preference that she would wish to have him associated with her in the cares of sovereignty." The queen, a little astonished, asked whether the question was put by Lord Melbourne in his character of a minister of the crown, and he replied that under no other circumstances would he have presumed to address such a question to her majesty. "Then," said the queen, "I must admit there is one individual for whom I entertain a decided preference, and that individual is the Duke of Wellington." The length of Lord Melbourne's face may be imagined, the duke being of course his great political adversary.

WEALTH OF PERU.

EL DORADO WHICH SPANISH RAPACITY COULD NOT EXHAUST.

Rich Mines, Fertile Fields and Dense Forests of Valuable Trees Invite the Investment of Foreign Capital. Odd Peruvian Canoes.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lima, Peru, March 5.—This portion of the globe, which for some years has quietly pursued the even tenor of its prosperous way, is brought into prominence by another seismic disturbance that has given the whole country a pretty thorough shaking up, though doing comparatively little damage, and was attended by no loss of life so far as reported here. Peru has had many earthquakes, and the Peruvians have become so accustomed to them that they excite no considerable alarm, being regarded as part of the regular programme.

From the day the conqueror Pizarro set foot in the country of the incas to that on which the last Spanish viceroy was driven from his palace by a people made desperate by oppression Peru was one of the most precious jewels in the royal crown of Spain. From her mines of gold and silver a procession of heavily laden galleons was always sailing toward Madrid. Peru proved to be in truth that El Dorado which the Spanish adventurers had sought.

Spain treated Peru like all her other American conquests—as an inexhaustible treasure house. Reciprocity between the mother country and the provinces across the seas was never dreamed of. It was with Peru, in the language of the street, a case of "all going out and nothing coming in." And yet, plundered for centuries as she has been, Peru is today richer than ever. Her mines are as productive as they were when the natives worked them under the lash for their Spanish masters, and agriculture and manufacturing have come to rival the precious metals as sources of Peruvian prosperity. The republic has shown its stability. Foreigners are protected in their rights of life and property, and an influx of outside capital is fast pushing the country toward the industrial head of South America.

Peru extends from the second to the nineteenth degree of southern latitude and from the seventieth to the eighty-fourth degree of longitude west of Greenwich. It is about as large as France and has a coast line on the Pacific its entire length. It has fine harbors and is only two and three days by steamer from the isthmus of Panama, and thus Peru is in a position to profit by the building of the isthmian waterway.

The country is divided by two lines of mountains running parallel to the coast into three parts—the coast, the sierra, or highland, and the montana,



SINGLE BLOCK CANOE CROSSING THE PACHITEA RIVER.

or wooded, region. The coast, which varies in width up to ninety miles, is divided by rivers into different valleys, which bear crops the year round despite the well known absence of rain. So fertile is the soil that the irrigation of the river and the artificial ditches provide all the moisture needed. To this absence of rain and high winds must be attributed the vast deposits of guano on the numerous islands along the coast, for the sea birds seek shelter there from the storms which rage outside. This guano is one of the most important of Peru's natural resources.

The climate of the coast is equable, the maximum fluctuation being but 14 degrees. Almost every plant of the torrid and temperate zones will grow here. On the northern coast there are abundant coal, naphtha and petroleum. It is believed that the coal vein runs through all the northern provinces. Marble is found on the coast in great quantities and in sixty varieties, and salt mines are numerous.

The sierra is from 200 to 250 miles wide and extends from the northern to the southern frontier. The bulk of the population, including 2,000,000 native Indians, lives in this region, which is so healthy that persons of over a hundred years of age are not rare enough to excite comment. Most of the men are able to do manual labor at the age of seventy-five. The Indians are an eminently frugal race, their diet being chiefly corn and potatoes. It is very seldom that they eat a piece of meat. The Indians are a very passive lot and blindly obedient to the whites, the result of centuries of slavery. Slavery was abolished when national independence was proclaimed in 1821, but emancipation was not fully consummated until 1858. One of the strange productions of the natives is a piragua, or canoe, made from a single tree, and some of these canoes are forty feet long and carry eight or ten passengers.

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On and after March 14, 1904, trains will run as follows:

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TO BOSTON

Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47
r 6 12	abc	6 32
r 6 42	abc	7 02
r 7 12	abc	7 32
r 7 23	ad	7 42
7 29	Exp	7 45
r 7 42	abc	8 02
r 7 54	abcde	8 15
r 8 12	abc	8 32
r 8 26	abd	8 45
r 8 46	abcd	9 05
r 9 12	abc	9 32
r 9 42	abc	10 02
r 10 12	abc	10 32
r 10 42	abc	11 02
r 11 12	abc	11 32
r 12 12	abc	12 32
r 1 12	abc	1 32
r 1 42	abc	2 02
r 2 12	abc	2 32
r 3 12	abc	3 32
r 3 42	abc	4 02
r 4 12	abc	4 32
4 59	Exp.	5 15
r e 12	abc	e 32
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57
r 6 12	abc	6 32
r 6 42	abc	7 02
6 59	Exp.	7 15
r 7 12	abc	7 32
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32
r 9 12	abc	9 32
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32
r 11 12	abc	11 32

FROM BOSTON

Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 58	cba	7 19 r
7 28	cba	7 49 r
8 28	cba	8 49 r
8 58	cba	9 19 r
9 28	cba	9 49 r
10 28	cba	10 49 r
11 28	cba	11 49 r
12 28	cba	12 49 r
12 45	Exp.	1 02
12 58	cba	1 19 r
1 28	cba	1 49 r
1 58	cba	2 19 r
2 28	cba	2 49 r
2 45	cba	3 06 r
3 28	cba	3 49 r
3 45	coa	4 06 r
4 28	cba	4 49 r
4 50	edcba	5 16 r
5 15	dba	5 36 r
5 26	a	5 45 r
5 28	cba	6 49 r
5 45	dba	6 06 r
5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
5 58	cba	6 19 r
6 15	da	6 36 r
6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 58	cba	7 19 r
7 28	cba	7 49 r
8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
9 28	cba	9 49 r
10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
11 28	cba	11 49

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02
r 8 42	abc	9 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32
9 33	a	9 51
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 49
r 1 12	abc	1 32
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44
r 5 12	abc	5 32
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44
r 7 12	abc	7 32
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32
9 00	Exp.	9 15
10 18	Exp.	10 33
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50
6 28	cba	6 49
8 58	cba	9 19 r
10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
12 28	cba	12 49 r
2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
4 28	cba	4 49 r
5 28	cba	5 49 r
6 58	cba	7 19 r
8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
8 43	Exp.	9 00
9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
10 28	feucba	10 53 r

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.40 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7 21 9.21 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company
FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE
Corrected to Feb. 20th, 1904.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A. M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON -7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

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ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	34	31	56	35	37
Monday,	43	48	64	45	35
Tuesday,	38	57	43	44	37
Wednesday,	41	43	42	51	26
Thursday,	39	32	61	38	31
Friday,	40	36	55	31	43
Saturday,	48	40	65	55	58

New Advertisements Today.

Consolidated Fish Market.
J. P. Mowry & Co.—Bankrupt Sale.
L. M. Pratt & Son—Meats of all kinds.
Home Bakery—Bread.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

The Quincy Tennis club holds it annual meeting tonight.

A private dancing party was held at Colonial hall last evening.

The Scandia quartette will give a concert at Faxon hall tonight.

Mr. H. C. Chaloner of New Bedford is registered at The Greenleaf.

The Wollaston W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday at 2.30 with Mrs. Kay, 257 Beale street.

There will be a reading at High School next month for the benefit of the City Hospital.

The Ladies' Aid connected with the M. E. church of Wollaston will have their annual sale next week.

Mr. Drowne of the Portsmouth, N. H., navy yards was called to Quincy this week by the illness of his daughter.

Miss Katherine Saville, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George G. Saville of Saville avenue, is ill with pneumonia.

Mr. Bennett, who underwent a serious operation at the Quincy Hospital a few weeks ago, has returned to his home on Bray street.

Robert Sullivan, who has been running the barber-shop in the Norfolk House, is going to open new quarters in the old hose house.

Thomas Parker has severed his connection with the Fore River Ship Company and will return to his home in Philadelphia next week.

The Committee on Streets of the City Council gave a hearing to railroad officials last evening on the order regulating the speed of street cars.

There has been an unusual large number of funerals this week, one or two burials having been held at Mt. Wollaston cemetery every day.

Today is the day originally fixed for the launching of the battleship Rhode Island at the Fore River Works. It will not be launched however for some weeks.

The Tubular Rivet bowling team clinched the title of champions in the Mercantile league of Boston by winning three straight from the Parker Holmes team.

The body of Mrs. Jeannette McCall, who died at the Free Home for Consumptives at Dorchester, was brought to Quincy today, the interment being at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Rabbi Fleischer has accepted Rev. E. C. Butler's invitation to preach some Sunday morning at First church. The date has not been fixed but it will probably be some time in June.

The last lecture in the Alliance course will be on Tuesday evening of next week at half after seven o'clock in the chapel of First church when Mrs. W. I. Lawrance of Winchester will speak on "Japan."

Miss Eva Brown, H. H. Faxon's right hand man on temperance matters, who has been at the Quincy City Hospital for several months, is expected to return to her home on Spear street today or tomorrow, much improved in health.

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REPORT OF TRUANT OFFICER.

Mr. Johnson Had 758 Cases of Absence from School Reported to Him During Year.

It will be news to many that on an average four cases of absence from school are reported to the truant officer of the city. Mr. Charles H. Johnson makes the following annual report to the Superintendent of schools:

I herewith submit my sixth annual report as truant officer. It may appear to some citizens that, at the present time when so much money is appropriated for educating the children, and the opportunities to obtain an education are so great, there must be very little work for a truant officer. A glance at the following table will show seven-hundred fifty-eight cases of non-attendance investigated, one hundred thirty-six of which proved to be truants—an increase over last year. Quite a number of the parents of these children, I found to be anything but friendly to the schools; and as I note the attitude of these parents, and glance at the home life, I wonder oftentimes, that there are not more children classed as truants and non-attendants. I can say from experience that the only moral teaching many children receive comes from the school life. Altogether too many children are turned loose upon the streets. A vigorous enforcement of the law is the only means to cure this condition of affairs, and this should be directed more toward the parent than the child. A large number of young fellows leave school at fourteen years of age, and instead of applying themselves to earning a livelihood become loafers. This class is on the increase in our city, and the law applying to them should be enforced.

My work brings me in close touch with the worthy poor of our city, and, through the response of generous citizens and means from other sources, I have been able to assist a large number of families.

I have mentioned some of the real, live issues in this report in the hope that it will arouse the best of our citizens to the condition of affairs. This will mean a public opinion that will demand the carrying out of the reforms needed.

I desire here to express my hearty thanks to the superintendent and principals of the several schools for their many acts of kindness toward me in the discharge of my duties.

The following table shows in detail my work for the year.

TRUANT STATISTICS

1903.	No. of absences reported by teachers.	No. of parents or guardians notified.	Truancies determined by investigation.	Truants returned to school on day of truancy.	Children returned to school from street.	Tardiness investigated.	No. of manufactories or stores visited.	No. of children found employed contrary to law.	No. of employers notified.	No. of children placed before the court.	No. placed on probation.
January,	84	80	8	2	2	4	3	0	4	0	1
February,	66	58	6	0	1	5	4	1	2	0	0
March,	114	110	37	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
April,	49	48	7	0	1	2	5	2	3	1	0
May,	89	87	17	2	0	6	2	0	1	0	1
June,	58	56	6	0	3	4	1	1	4	0	3
September,	87	84	25	2	1	3	6	0	5	0	0
October,'	84	79	9	1	0	8	4	2	1	0	2
November,	66	63	12	3	2	2	5	0	3	0	3
December,	61	59	9	1	4	5	8	0	6	0	4
TOTALS,	758	724	136	14	14	40	39	6	29	1	16

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The Magazines.

The New England Magazine shows no falling off, in its March issue, from the high standard it has set itself. Variety, strength, literary quality—all these are to be found in its table of contents, enhanced by profuse and beautiful illustrations. The cover page, in white and red, is especially artistic and typical of the month.

The March number of the National Magazine is at hand ten days late, but stronger and more attractive than any previous issue. The publishers were just ready to mail their March issue when fire completely wrecked their fine plant at 41 West First street, Boston, on February 18th. They made a second edition and got it on the market in ten days.

Timeliness is only half the problem in good magazine making. The real achievement is to have the subject of the moment treated by the man who knows most about it. Everybodys Magazine for March does this, and these articles are reinforced by nine first-class stories.

The April Delineator is an uncommonly interesting magazine, from the standpoint of both fashion and literary features. Almost as good as a trip around the world, educationally, promises to be the pictorial series Around the World in Eighty Pictures, the first installment of which appears in this number. Landon Knights Romance of pair of Bluebirds is a story that will appeal strongly to lovers of nature.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

Few melodramas of the present day have more in the way of popular features than "Under the Gaslight," by the late Augustin Daly, and in announcing a revival of this play as the attraction of the coming week at the Castle Square theatre, the management will undoubtedly appeal to a great public. There is a strong dramatic interest in the play and the opportunities for shrilling scenes and situations are so well improved that the attention of an audience is held uninterruptedly to the final curtain. Some very elaborate scenic and mechanical effects will be shown in this production and a number of additions to the company will be made to meet the demands of the cast. "Under the Gaslight" will be played only one week.

COLONIAL THEATRE.

Klaw & Erlanger will transfer their mighty beauty spectacle, "Mother Goose," from their New Amsterdam theatre, New York, to the Colonial theatre, Boston, March 21, in its entirety. Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger, the managers of "Mother Goose," have heretofore presented "The Beauty and the Beast" and "Ben Hur," but in this latest production all its predecessors have been eclipsed. No matter what one may have seen in any portion of the world in stage entertainment, nothing can compare from any viewpoint with this magnificent spectacle. The entire performance is an intoxicant to the eye, being an irridescent dream of beauty, one magnificent picture following the one preceding it until it becomes a kaleidoscopic fairyland, a wonder to the vision, while the car is charmed by continuous catchy melodies, and a magical night of laughter is evolved by its great comedians, its trained singers, its legion of beautiful femininity and its wondrous dancers. The cast appearing in "Mother Goose" is the original one intact and numbers over 400 performers. Nothing has ever been seen in the United States that will bear comparison with the beauties of "Mother Goose." The sale of seats has begun.

PARK THEATRE.

The Boston Globe's declaration that "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" is "the most successfully dramatized novel since Trilby" would seem to be amply confirmed by laughing hit and unique appeal to New England playgoers which that decided play-novelty has scored at the Park Theatre, Boston. Judging from the incessant laughter and applause which greets the various scenes of this odd three act character comedy, from the very rise of the curtain on the picturesquely poverty-stricken interior of Mrs. Wiggs' home in the first act, there would seem, indeed, to be no great extravagance in the Boston Herald's emphatic statement that "the play is one to be enjoyed through every minute of its duration." The quaint characters of Mrs. Wiggs and all her neighbors have been happily realized in the play and is surprisingly in evidence in the highly clever impersonation of the little sons and daughters of the Patch by the group of children who make so many of the scenes merry and charming with the light-hearted innocence and restless mischievousness of childhood.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

After many weeks of booming, Hal Davis and Inez Macauley supported by an excellent company, will present for the first time in Boston, the much-talked-about melodramatic-comedy, "Pals," which has for six months been creating a furor among the patrons of the leading vaudeville theatres throughout the country. This will be the star featurue of a great bill to be presented at Keith's in commemoration of the 10th anniversary of the opening of that attractive playhouse, which occurred on March 26, 1894. Among the other noted entertainers scheduled to appear are: May Edouin and Fred Edwards, in their charming character comedy sketch "A Bachelor's Dream;" Jessie Couthoui, versatile commedienne; Mr. and Mrs. Watrous, high class singers; and the Orpheus comedy four. Annie Abbott, the psychological wonder, will be retained for another six days, giving further exhibitions of her weird accomplishments, and a special picture in the biograph will be "The Lunatic's Escape," a humorous and interesting subject.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

5TH SUNDAY IN LENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. Service of divine worship at 3.30 P. M. Sermon by Rev. Mr. Conklin.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Subject: "Hymns of the Passion." Address by Rev. R. B. Chase and the pastor. Free seats and every one invited to the services.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30. Y.P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening at 7.30. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All are cordially invited.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 9.45 A. M., holy communion at St. Chrysostom's church. 10.30 A. M., morning prayer and sermon. 12.05 M., Sunday School. 7.00 P. M., prayer and address.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by pastor. Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Ordination and installation of elders before the sermon in the evening. Sacrament of Lord's Supper dispensed Sabbath 27th at 7 o'clock.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "The Seen and the Unseen." Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor meeting at 3.30. Vesper service at 4. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7.30 P. M. All heartily invited.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. 9.45 A. M., the holy communion. 10.45 morning prayer and sermon. 12.20 P. M., the Sunday School. 4.30 P. M. prayer and address.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by Rev. Edwin H. Hadlock of Springfield, Mass. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock. You are cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Reality." Golden Text: "The law of the Lord is perfect, converting the soul; the testimony of the Lord is sure, making wise the simple." Psalm 19:7: Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings. All are welcome.

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Boston, March 21.—An earthquake this morning caused a tremor throughout the entire eastern section of New England. Beginning at St. John, the seismic vibrations traversed through Maine, causing some damage to buildings in Augusta, Portland and Bangor. The shock was felt plainly as far south as Taunton.

The earthquake shocks are said by officials of Harvard astronomical observatory to have been the most severe experienced in this section of the country since the memorable seismic disturbance of 1884.

The vibrations were noticed at 4 minutes and 10 seconds after 1 o'clock and the earth waves were very perceptible. In the photographic dark room of the observatory the water tanks, which were nearly filled, were shaken to such an extent that a considerable quantity of water was precipitated upon the floor.

Reports from Manchester, N. H., and Springfield, Mass., state that the vibrations were felt distinctly in those two cities. Observers at the Harvard university astronomical observatory in Cambridge felt the shock distinctly. The vibrations lasted several seconds.

A severe shock of earthquake was felt at Lewiston. In many houses dishes were shaken from the shelves. The inmates of the Lewiston poor farm were in a panic.

A very perceptible shock of earthquake was felt at Manchester, N. H. Several large buildings were jarred and night watchmen in various corporation buildings telephoned into the police station reporting the circumstances. The earthquake lasted several seconds.

Two distinct earthquake shocks were felt at Brunswick, Me. The second shock followed the first closely, and was much heavier. Considerable excitement resulted.

A heavy earthquake shock caused buildings at Taunton to sway and awakened nearly all residents of that city about 1:04 o'clock. A strong perceptible motion of the earth was felt, causing a sickening sensation. The first shock was accompanied by several minor ones.

A distinct shock of earthquake was felt at Waterville, Me. Many persons were aroused from their slumbers by the swaying of their houses. On the main street large brick buildings were shaken from the cellar to the roof.

The earthquake struck Augusta, Me., at 1:08 o'clock. In the southern part of the city there was a terrible jar, lamp chimneys being broken and bric-a-brac smashed. No very serious damage was reported.

A very perceptible earth tremor was felt at Portland, Me. Rockland, Me., also reports having felt the vibrations.

New Brunswick Feels It

St. John, March 21.—An earthquake of considerable force was felt here at 2 o'clock this morning. Fredericton and other points along the Canadian Pacific railway have also reported experiencing the shock.

Felt at Quincy.

Many in Quincy felt the shock of an earthquake at 1 o'clock this morning. Houses were shaken, dishes rattled and many thought that a terrible explosion had taken place.

On Merrymount road, through which there is a vein of quicksand, the shock was very distinct, and several experienced a feeling of nausea immediately following.

At Quincy Point, Conucilman Whiton says the shock was very distinct, and houses were well shaken.

TODAY'S COURT.

John T. Haley was fined $3 for drunkenness at Milton.

William Ellis was arraigned for threatening to assault Catherine Ellis at Quincy. Case continued until April 21.

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QUINCY TRAINS.

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On Sunday the Plymouth division trains vacated tracks 17, 18, 19 and 20 at the Boston South terminal and will hereafter occupy tracks 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27. This means less switching in the terminal yard, as the Plymouth and Midland divisions will not cross each other, but more walking for Quincy people to take trains.

The new timetable of the Terminal company shows 310 trains run daily on the Providence division, 222 on the Plymouth and 90 on the Midland division of the Consolidated road, and 216 on the Boston & Albany; grand total 838. The train movements through the yard are 1592, 387 being drafts to and from the storage yards, and 367 light engines to and from the roundhouses.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Page observed their 46th wedding anniversary on Sunday at their home at 1535 Hancock street. Mr. and Mrs. Page were at home to their friends from 10 to 6 o'clock, and were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. William Chubbuck. During the day relatives were present from New Bedford, Brockton, Rockland, Norwell, Malden and Melrose who brought with them many beautiful gifts. A wedding dinner was served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Page were united in marriage at Charlestown, where for 28 years he carried on the boot and shoe business. They removed to Quincy 15 years ago and have since made their home here. Since coming to Quincy Mr. Page carried on the boot and shoe repairing business up to within a few years ago. Since then he has been proprietor of a tobacco store.

Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Ford of Brockton, Mr. and Mrs. George Bates of Rockland, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fuller of New Bedford, Mr. and Mrs. William Rand of Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Smith of East Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Page, Lillian Page and Earl Page of Melrose; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown and Walter P. Brown of Malden.

Mr. Small Held.

At New Bedford on Saturday Joshua L. Small of Provincetown, charged by the federal authorities with sending an indecent letter through the United States mail, and made the defendent in a $20,000 civil action for alleged defamation of character, brought by Louise M. Cook of Natick, was before United States Commissioner Goodspeed. He waived examination and was bound over in the sum of $500 for the federal grand jury now sitting in Boston

The report that Miss Louise M. Cook had mysteriously left Natick is denied by the young lady herself in a letter to the Daily Ledger. Neither has she changed her home.

Suit Reported.

It is reported that William Hanrahan of Houghs Neck has entered suit for $20,000 against the city for the loss of his child which was burned to death in a fire which destroyed his house at Houghs Neck nearly two years ago. Nothing had been heard of the suit at City Hall this morning.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Monday, March 21.

Almon C. Basden, T. Bouchard, Howard W. Call, Auen Cankenson, Peter Haley, H. Norton, Auen Olson, J. Presbo, Edward E. Reynolds

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"MOTHER GOOSE."

A Delightful Time for the Young People of Wollaston.

It is seldom that Wollaston is favored with so charming an entertainment as that of the Mother Goose party at Wollaston hall on Saturday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. It was given under the auspices of the Alliance and much credit is due the committee and assistants for the able manner in which it was carried out. Owing to the small size of the hall a limited number of tickets were sold and in consequence many were refused admission. About one hundred children attended in costume and fifty adults.

The entertainment committee appeared in the following costumes:

Mrs. Frank Page, as "The old woman in the shoe."

Mrs. Charles M. Bryant as "Dolly Varden."

Mrs. Armstrong, as "Old woman who swept cobwebs from the sky."

Mrs. Rowe, fancy costume.

Mrs. Howard Barnes, fancy costume.

Mrs. J. Q. Litchfield as "Bo-peep."

Matron, Mrs. Litchfield.

Mrs. Fred Merrill as "Mother Goose."

Mrs. Charles Brigham as "Old Mother Hubbard and dog."

The four ushers, each as "Little Boy Blue," were: Starrett White, Lester Rollins, Clarence Armstrong and Sylvester Brown.

The costumes were all attractive and special mention might be made of Helen Seavey as "Daffy Down Dilly," Fred Rollins as "The Little Irishman," and Olive Fay, Edith Doane, Marion Boyce and Elizabeth Sayward, each as "Little Miss Muffit," and Gertrude Lacy, as "Cinderella," was fine.

William Weston," as "Uncle Sam," presided at the piano.

When the grand march struck up, the ushers escorted the matrons to their places and introduced the different characters by their names.

The first march was led by Barbara Johnson as "Red Riding Hood" and Horton Page as "Tom, Tom the Piper's son."

A tiny tot as "Nancy Etticoat" came in for a large share of applause.

At the conclusion of the party a mammoth pie was brought into the centre of the hall with Arvin Page as "Jack Horner." He was assisted by the matrons in dispensing plums to the children as they marched from the hall.

On the whole it was an enjoyable affair.

May Have New Courts.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Tennis club was held Saturday evening in the parlors at The Greenleaf. The meeting was largely attended. The enthusiasm of the members present showed that the interest in this one time popular sport is reviving.

The finances of the club were reported to be in good condition, and the membership the largest in the history of the club.

The subject of building two additional courts on the Russell estate was discussed. The matter was left in the hands of the executive committee.

These officers were elected:

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A Slight Omission.



Mr. Newlywed—Well, Dolly, aren't the potatoes done yet?

Mrs. Newlywed—No. They won't boil at all, but they just burn. I must try some other way of boiling them.

Mr. Newlywed (hazarding a guess)—Perhaps they ought to be boiled in—water!

RANSACKED.

Residence of Head Master Harper of High School

While the Family Were Away.

Loss Will Amount to Several Hundred Dollars.

Daylight burglars were about Saturday afternoon and ransacked the residence of Charles F. Harper, head master of the High school on Putman street. The appearance of the house would indicate that the parties gained entrance by means of false keys. There was no sign of any break.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper went to Boston Saturday morning, Mrs. Harper going to Walpole to remain over Sunday.

Mr. Harper returned to Quincy in the afternoon and upon going to his home was surprised to find both the back and front doors open. Upon entering the house he saw at once that someone had been there during his absence. Things were thrown about and it was evident that the house had been ransacked from top to bottom.

Among the articles missed were: gold watch, a dozen solid silver knives, silver forks, silver spoons, steel knives with silver handles, a gold pin with two diamonds, dresses and other clothing, cash received from the sale of school tickets on the electric cars, etc.

Mr. Harper reported the break, promptly to the police and Inspector McKay notified the Boston police, who will watch the pawnshops.

The only persons seen about the premises Saturday were some soap pedlers. There have been several of these men about the city all the week. They canvass during the day and return to Boston at night leaving their cases at Johnson & Brooks stable. This they did Saturday night showing that it was their intention to return Monday morning.

This morning all the soap peddlers came to the city as usual, accompanied by their boss, and it is now thought they were not connected with the burglary.

Mr. Harper is very confident that the doors were locked before he left Saturday morning and it is evident that entrance was made by the use of false keys, under shelter of the storm porch.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper are almost without a change of clothes, and also without table cutlery. Their loss will amount to several hundred dollars.

The Young People's Religious Union held its regular meeting in the vestry of the Wollaston Congregational church Sunday evening at seven o'clock. Rev. Mr. Pratt spoke upon "Salvation by character."

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

Ohio has broken off her bad habit of holding spring elections when everybody else is thinking about other things and will henceforth join in the vociferous jubilee of November.

New York is up in arms because the mayor has given Morman missionaries permission to preach in the streets. Streets should be reserved wholly for travel and transportation.

Only nine teachers in our public schools resigned during the year 1903 to accept positions to teach elsewhere. Not a large number for a teaching force of 146. Quincy has several teachers long in service; Miss Julia E. Underwood will complete this week 49 years and Miss Emaline A. Newcomb completes 47 years.

Drift of Opinion.

☞It was at a little social gathering the other evening when one of the men present made a laughing remark about the vanity of women. One of them took up the defence. "Of course," she said, "I admit that all women are vain. But men are not. By the way," she broke off, "the necktie of one of the handsomest man in the room is creeping up under his ears." She worked it. Every man present put his hand up to his neck.—Danvers Mirror.

☞The legislative committee on military affairs has decided by a vote of six to five to report a bill creating the veterans of the Spanish war a privileged class with reference to appointment in the civil service, but it it is to be hoped that such a minority in the committee may command sufficient hearing in the house and senate to convince those bodies of the unwisdom of such a law. No man should be willing to detract an iota from the due recognition of the patriotism of the men who volunteered for service in the hour when the nation called, nor to object to any payment of the just debt of the nation to them, but their patriotism is sadly discounted if they seek to trade upon it to the nation's detriment.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞The Hon. E. N. Foss believes in reciprocity and the Brockton canal. We can heartily agree with him on both these subjects. Either would be very helpful to Brockton's business. Both would make it boom. It is too much joy to expect that both schemes will come to pass and be a reality; but if we can get one of them all will be lovely for the time being. Foreign trade is a necessity, says Mr. Foss. Some outlet for the goods we make must be looked for in new directions. The home market is a hit; but we can use more than the home market. As for the canal, we had almost forgotten it in the rush of business; but now we remember that there was something of that kind in the air once—and in the air was about as far as ever it got. A few shots at the right time brought it to the earth with a broken wing, helpless and hopeless. We should like to see the canal and the fine ships going along Centre street and through Crescent, and we should think it fine to be on a little Suez canal of our own. But we fear the canal is a dream. The reciprocity scheme is more likely to happen, and ought to happen. It would certainly help the shoe business a deal.—Brockton Enterprise.



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ALL QUIET ON LAND AND SEA

Reported Battle on the Yalu Is Considered Improbable

A SCARE AT HELENA BAY

Japanese Attempted to Make Landing, but Were Hindered by Inclement Weather--Russians Adopt Strict Measures at New Chwang, No Foreigners Being Allowed Outside Native City's Mud Walls--Vladivostok Batteries Not Provided With Guns at Time of Bombardment

London, March 21.—Nothing has reached here to confirm the report that a battle has taken place on the Yalu in which the Russians are alleged to claim that they captured 1800 prisoners.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg to a news agency says there has been no change in the situation and that all is quiet on both land and sea. Between the Russian line from Ping Yang to the Yalu river and the Japanese line to Gensan there have been slight skirmishes between scouts, but no battle has taken place, as the distance between the opposing armies is great. The bulk of the Russian forces, the dispatch adds, has not yet passed the Yalu river.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says that the military authorities were startled by the attempt of the Japanese to land in Helena bay, as the nearest Russian force that could have been used against them consisted of three rifle regiments at New Chwang. The weather having hindered the Japanese landing, energetic measures are now being adopted to prevent such a descent.

Among the other devices adopted has been the concentration of troops at Foo Chow, 21 miles south of Helena bay.

In cabling the fact that all British and American residents at New Chwang must remain within the walls, a correspondent of The Daily Chronicle at New Chwang says: "I was arrested while attempting to leave yesterday." The correspondent says it is reported that a Japanese squadron arrived at the mouth of the Liao river Saturday night and landed a party which, after reconnoitering, re-embarked.

All the foreign consuls at New Chwang have officially notified their governments that the Russian commander of the garrison has forbidden foreigners to go beyond the mud walls of the native city with the single exception that they are allowed to use the river bank between the foreign settlement and the foreign gunboats. This exception is made solely on account of the presence of the United States gunboat Helena and the British cruiser Espiegle, which otherwise would be entirely cut off from communication with their respective settlements.

The Russian order particularly forbids visiting the forts on the Liao river and also Wutaitzu, a village two miles south of the fort. The above order is declared to be a necessary military measure on account of the arrangements being made for the defense of the coast.

Foreigners still have access to the west and north shores of the Liao and use the railway and telegraph, although the Chinese managers of the telegraph line have instructed their employes to withdraw to Thien Chuang Tai, in the event of hostilities. This action and also the threatened withdrawal of the railway staff is severely condemned on account of their being outside of real danger.

The Russian authorities have given notice that no consular communications on affairs originating in or connected with Dalny or Port Arthur will be received.

Russians at New Chwang have a well defined impression that American or other consuls will not be allowed at Mukden, Antung or elsewhere in Manchuria.

A correspondent of The Times at New Chwang cables as follows: According to information received here the reason the Vladivostok forts did not reply to the bombardment by the Japanese was because the batteries were not provided with guns. Since the bombardment parties have been working night and day to place guns in position. The bombardment destroyed the Linevitch battery. The Russian losses were slight because the batteries were deserted. The same conditions prevail at Vladivostok as at Port Arthur. The supply of provisions there is running short and the population is panic-stricken. The ice is considered the only real protection.

A correspondent of The Times with the Japanese forces sends over a column of matter which is mostly a description of the torpedo fight between the Russians and the Japanese on March 9. He says that Admiral Togo has been comparatively passive, according to the latest advices, and that Port Arthur has been given a respite, although the cruisers and torpedo boat destroyers have kept a close blockade.

The correspondent says that Vice Admiral Kamimura's bombardment of Vladivostok was solely intended to harrass the Russians and to compel the Russian cruisers to leave the harbor. The vice admiral brought his ships within range opposite the dead point of the forts on the northeast entrance. The Russians did not reply because the Japanese vessels took up positions beyond the arc of the training of the guns.

Vice Admiral Kamimura, the correspondent says, sailed south on March 11 after searching Amur bay. Since Vice Admiral Makaroff's arrival at Port Arthur, he adds, the Russian defensive tactics have been more active and their torpedo boat destroyers more alert and enterprising.

Describing the fight between the Russian and Japanese torpedo boats, the correspondent confirms the fierceness of the contest. The vessels were so close that the Russians threw charges of explosives onto the bridge of the Japanese torpedo boat destroyer. Three, however, failed to detonate. All the vessels engaged were more or less damaged. The Japanese losses were six killed and eight wounded. That the Russians were defeated, in spite of their numbers, is due to the better shooting of the Japanese and the fact that the Russian vessels were armed with 3-pound guns, while the armament of the Japanese ships was made up of 6-pounders.

In reference to the fight of three hours which occurred later, the correspondent says the Russians fought with desperation and the Japanese with confidence born of their past victories. One Russian commander was killed early in the fight. A lieutenant then took command, only to fall, shot in both legs. Then the command devolved upon the sub-lieutenant, who also was killed after taking the wheel himself. When the coxswain fell this vessel was captured by the Japanese. The other Russian vessels escaped.

On the Japanese side one destroyer was hit on the water line, two of her compartments were flooded and her quick-firing ammunition was damaged. This vessel retired from the action. Her officers escaped narrowly from a 12-pound shot which struck the platform in front of the bridge, killing one man and sweeping the bridge with splinters. The same vessel received a 3-pound shot through the hull, but the damage was all repaired within four hours.

Russian Warship Sets Sail

Canea, Island of Crete, March 21.—The Russian battleship Ossliabya, with Admiral Wirenius on board, has sailed for an unknown destination. Three torpedo boats followed the battleship. The Russian armored cruiser Dimitri Donskoi has arrived here.

Russian Traitor Executed

St. Petersburg, March 21.—A cavalry captain named Irokoff, belonging to the general staff, has been executed. He was found guilty of selling secret military plans to Japan.

Dead Bodies as Capital

Chicago, March 21.—John Mahnken, charged with claiming the body of Mrs. Frank R. Greenwald, an Iroquois five victim, and burying it as that of his aunt, has been arrested. It is alleged that he was preparing to sue the theatre company. The day after the Iroquois fire Mahnken claimed the body of Mrs. Mueller, on which was found $500. Mrs. Mueller's relatives, however, found and identified the body, and Mahnken then, it is charged, took possession of Mrs. Greenwald's remains.

Eliot Tabooes Union Label

Boston, March 21.—The recent address of President Eliot of Harvard university to the Boston Central Labor union and the answer from the trade union standpoint by Frank K. Foster will not be printed together in a pamphlet form, as was originally suggested by President Eliot at the meeting when Mr. Foster spoke. That President Eliot objected to the use of the union label on the work was the reason announced at a meeting of the Central Labor union.

Burglar Shot Two Policemen

New York, March 21.—Policemen Hugh J. Enright and Jacob Bachman were shot and mortally wounded by Jacob Huter, a fleeing burglar. Enright died in a short time. Huter was captured after he had shot himself in the head, the wound not being dangerous. With another man who escaped Huter had been detected robbing a bakery.

Steamer Was Not Damaged

Hamburg, March 21.—Steamship Berwick Castle, which ran down the British submarine boat No. A1 near Portsmouth, when her crew of 11 were drowned, has arrived here undamaged. The officers of the vessel decline to give any information concerning the accident, pending an official statement.

Five Percent Cut Accepted

Indianapolis, March 21.—The joint scale committee of the miners and operators of the competitive district composed of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and western Pennsylvania will meet in this city and sign a scale for two years at the reduced wage of 5 percent from the present scale.

Austro-Russian Prod For Turks

Constantinople, March 21.—The Russian and Austrian embassies have renewed their pressure upon the porte to accept unaltered the Austro-Russian scheme of reforms in Macedonia. The note warns the porte of the grave consequences that will follow any further delay.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Tuesday, March 22.
Sun rises—5:45; sets—5:59.
Moon sets—9:27 p. m.
High water—1 a. m.; 1:30 p. m.

Fair weather generally has prevailed east of the Rocky mountains. It will be fair and warmer in New England.

DUE TO HEAVY FOG

Steamer New York Grounded and Later Ran Into a Vessel

Southampton, March 21.—The American line steamship New York, which left New York March 12 for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Southampton, met with two mishaps yesterday, grounding off Cape La Hague, France, and later coming into collision in the English channel with steamship Assaye, under contract to the British government and used as a troopship, bound for Bombay with 500 troops on board.

The New York grounded while approaching Cherbourg during a fog. The sea was smooth and the tide was rising and an hour and a half after she grounded the vessel floated without assistance. Her bottom was damaged and there was water in the holds, but she was able to proceed.

During the voyage up the channel a dense fog descended. When off Harst Castle, England, the New York crashed into the Assaye's starboard bow, tearing a great hole in that vessel and carrying away the New York's bowsprit and figurehead.

There was great excitement aboard both vessels. The boats of the Assaye were lowered and the troops were mustered, but the bulkhead of the troopship saved her. Both vessels were able to enter Southampton and the New York was docked for temporary repairs. Nobody was injured. It is believed that both vessels have been seriously injured. Another troopship will replace the Assaye.

"Nothing but Giggling Girls"

Berkeley, Cal., March 21.—Professor Gayley, head of the English department, University of California, who has recently taken a pronounced stand against co-education, took his poetry class of 100 young women severely to task. He said: "If God Almighty or the Angel Gabriel wrote a poem it would not interest you. You are nothing but giggling girls. Half of you ought to be made to pay tuition. Class dismissed." Gayley was trying to tell the class about the glories of some new poetry, but they were apparently not interested. When he had delivered his admonition he tossed his books into a hand grip and left the classroom.

A Minister's Plain Talk

Washington, March 21.—"Some ugly features of our national life; and what to do about them," was the subject of a Lenten service last night by Rev. Dr. McKim of the Epiphany church. He made a direct, forcible attack on the "almost conscienceless extravagance and display that has spread downward among the people. He drew a vivid picture of the progressive polygamy of society divorces, as compared with the polygamy of the Mormons, and made a caustic reference to the "graft from top to bottom of society," and "even the dark and porteneous shadow of the betrayal of public trust lying across the legislative halls of the nation."

Suicide of Playwright-Actor

Detroit, March 21.—Robert Leland, an actor and writer of several melodramas, was found dead in his lodgings, having committed suicide by stuffing up every crack and crevice in the room and then turning on the gas.

Salt Lake City, March 21.—Robert Leland's real name is William B. Smedley. He is the son of a wealthy banker and insurance man of this city. He was educated in a medical school, but was obliged to give up his profession because of ill-health. During the past year he has been starring in "Her Fatal Sin," a play written by himself.

Cause of Darlington Disaster

New York, March 21.—"Faulty design and carelessness and neglect in the erection" is given as the primary cause of the collapse of the Hotel Darlington, which resulted in the loss of more than 20 lives, in the report of H. D. Parsons, submitted to District Attorney Jerome. Parsons was appointed by Jerome to make a thorough inquiry into the cause, in an endeavor to place the responsibility for the accident.

Cotton Flurry About Over

New York, March 21.—Events following the suspension of D. J. Sully & Co. are such as to indicate that the nervous tension in the cotton trade of the world has been ended and that the fear of general failure has been dissipated. The cotton market is generally steady.

Strikers the Supposed Assailants

Kansas City, March 21.—Albert Ferguson, a non-union hack driver, was shot and mortally wounded by one of four men believed to be strikers, who had decoyed him into the outskirts of the city. The assailants escaped.

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CITY BREVITIES.

Sunday was a grand day.

Mrs. E. A. Penniman spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. M. W. Carter of South street.

A patent was issued last week to C. P. Carey of Wollaston for a carpet beating machine.

Charlie Gould of Cambridge was the guest of Thomas Lincoln, Jr., of Washington street over Sunday.

Mrs. Nelson V. Titus gave a paper at the March meeting of Old Colony chapter of Hingham on the historic Dorothy Q. house of this city.

Dr. Horace Mann Willard will be a guest at the annual banquet of the Vermont Academy alumni in Boston, March 30. He was once principal of the school.

Charles E. Finch of Wollaston presided at the annual reunion of the instructors of the summer school at Hyannis held at Hotel Westminister, Boston, on Saturday.

Hon. John D. Long, who was expected to be a guest of the Master Builders Association at their annual banquet, went South last week with his wife and son and will be at Camden, S. C., the rest of the season.

A dinner was given at Hotel Essex Boston, in honor of Miss Grace Young of this city a member of the Nellie McHenry M'liss company. The company closed its season Saturday at Music Hall. Miss Young will rest for the summer.

Miss Nan Carter entertained a number of her friends Saturday evening in honor of her birthday. A most delightful evening was spent in games, etc. About ten o'clock the young people adjourned to the dining-room, where they were served with refreshments. Miss Nan was the recipient of many dainty gifts.

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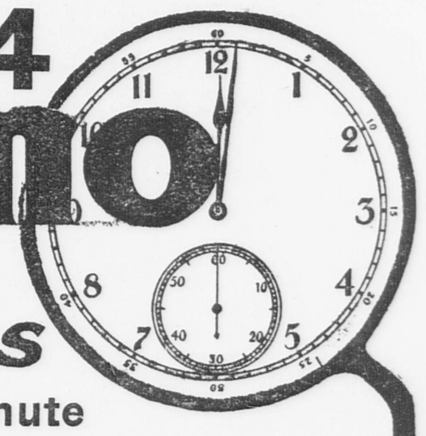
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Harvard Faculty's Gift to President Eliot on His Birthday

Cambridge, Mass., March 21.—Surrounded by members of his family and of the college faculty who brought many tributes in token of their love and esteem, Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president of Harvard university since 1869, spent the 70th anniversary of his birth quietly. During the forenoon President Eliot remained at his home in the college yard.

At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon the faculty met in their room at University hall by secret appointment. Mrs. Eliot and Jerome Greene, the president's secretary, had engaged President Eliot's attention after luncheon and then escorted him to the hall. Le Baron Briggs, dean of the faculty, addressed the president briefly, wishing him on behalf of the faculty many happy returns. Then taking a package from the table, he drew from a case a large silver vase, which he presented to President Eliot, who made a fitting response.

The cup which was presented by the faculty is of Greek design, fifth century, B. C., and was modelled after a vase in the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. One side bears the college seal between branches of oak and laurel. To the left of the seal are inscribed the words: "Charles William Eliot, President of Harvard University." On the right appears the inscription: "From the faculty of arts and sciences, March 20, 1904." On the opposite side is the inscription: "In grateful acknowledgement of his devotion to the university for 35 years, and of his passion for justice, progress and for truth."

Death Hastened by Anguish

Boston, March 21.—Mrs. Lena Thompson, awaiting trial with her husband and two others for counterfeiting, died last evening of pneumonia. Mrs. Thompson was a stenographer at police headquarters at the time of her arrest. Since her indictment on March 12 she has been suffering great mental anguish over her and her husband's position. Then pneumonia developed and during the past week she was unconscious most of the time. In delirious moments she loudly proclaimed her innocence, also that of her husband.

Drunken Row Results Fatally

Industry, Me., March 21.—Charles Wilson and Roy Brackley became involved in a dispute at West Mills with the result that Brackley is dead from two bullet wounds and Wilson is locked up on the charge of murder. The affair took place at the home of John Billington, and it is said that both men had been drinking heavily. Wilson was too intoxicated to realize the gravity of his deed and made no attempt to escape. Brackley leaves a widow and two *small children*, while Wilson is unmarried.

Broom Manufacturers Combine

Augusta, Me., March 21.—A merger of several broom manufacturing concerns, located in the central part of the country, took place in the incorporation under the laws of this state of the National Broom company, with a capital of $13,000,000. The purpose of the new company is to conduct a general business in the manufacture of brooms and acquire manufacturing broom concerns, but the charter is a general one.

To Spread Trade Unionism

Boston, March 21.—With the object of promoting more extensively women's trades unions in the United States, the executive board of the Women's National Trade Union league held its annual meeting here and voted to send a general organizer and secretary throughout the country, who will act as a business agent, organize unions among women and investigate lockouts and strikes.

Used Bogus Tobacco Tags

Springfield, Mass., March 21.—Albert M. Fanning was arraigned before Commissioner Rice on a charge of using the mails for fraudulent purposes and was held for appearance before a federal grand jury at Boston. Fanning was arrested on complaint of the American Tobacco company, whose labels he had counterfeited by wholesale and used in procuring premiums.

Hub Milk Prices Unchanged

Boston, March 21.—Though the Milk Producers' union of Worcester has voted to maintain the winter price of milk, no such action has been taken yet by the milk dealers of this city. Conditions in the milk market at Worcester do not affect the Boston market, as most of Boston's milk comes from the northern part of New England and from the west.

To Stump For Hearst

Boston, March 21.—In a signed statement, copies of which were sent to the press last night, former Congressman George F. Williams announces his endorsement of W. R. Hearst's candidacy for the Democratic presidential nomination. Williams adds that he intends to wage a contest in this state in behalf of the candidate of his choice.

Victims of Illuminating Gas

Boston, March 21.—Charles Carroll was found dead in the rooms of the Roxbury Veteran Firemen's association. He had been asphyxiated by illuminating gas. The unconscious form of Michael Murray lay beside Carroll's body. Murray was taken to the city hospital, where it is stated he will recover.

Head Jammed by Elevator

Boston, March 21.—Annie Antoriski, employed at Gridley's restaurant, opened a door in the elevator well just as the car decended. Her head was jammed to the door sill, causing a fracture of the skull. The woman's condition is critical.

MASTER'S NOTICE OF SALE.

THE QUINCY GRANITE QUARRIES COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the decree of foreclosure and sale made and entered by the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Massachusetts on the twenty-sixth day of February, 1904, in a certain cause in Equity pending in said Court entitled "American Loan and Trust Company, complainant, vs. The Quincy Granite Quarries Company, Defendant, John K. Hayward, et al., Complainants, vs. The Quincy Granite Quarries Company, Defendant; Consolidated Causes;" I, Walter B. Farr, Special Master, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder or bidders upon the mortgaged premises at the office of The Quincy Granite Quarries Company, situated on the Hitchcock Quarry property, so-called, on Quarry street, in the City of Quincy, in said District of Massachusetts, on WEDNESDAY, the fourth day of May, 1904, at eleven o'clock A. M., all the real estate and personal property of every nature and description embraced in and covered by the mortgage executed by the Quincy Granite Quarries Company to the American Loan and Trust Company, dated March 10, 1900, upon which the said mortgage is adjudicated by said decree to be a lien, said real estate being described as follows:—

1. A certain parcel of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:—Westerly on land of Elcock Brothers, there measuring about two hundred and eighty feet; Northerly on land of the Granite Railroad Company and others, there measuring thirty-four feet; Easterly on land now or late of the Adams Real Estate Trust, there measuring about two hundred and ninety feet; and Southerly on land of Badger Brothers, there measuring one hundred and thirty feet. Containing twenty-two thousand nine hundred and sixty square feet of land.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by John Quincy Adams, et. al. Trustees, by deed dated June 20, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 7.

2. Also a certain other parcel of land thirty feet wide, situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point at the dividing line between land of Tobias H. Burke et. al., and land of Badger Brothers, which point is eighty feet southwesterly from the Westerly line of Willard street, and continuing in the same direction, bounding Northwesterly on land of said Badger Brothers, about thirty-one and 6-10 feet; there turning and running in a direct line nearly Southerly; bounding Westerly on land now or late of said Tobias H. Burke, et. al., about one hundred and ninety-seven and 5-10 feet to a point in the Northwesterly line of a certain private way, which point is one hundred and fifty-three and 33-100 feet Southwesterly from the Westerly line of Willard Street; there turning and running Northeasterly by the Northwesterly line of said private way, thirty-three and 33-100 feet to a point in said Northwesterly line of said way, which point is one hundred and twenty feet Southwesterly from the Westerly line of said Willard Street; there turning and running in a direct line nearly Northerly bounding Easterly on land of said Tobias H. Burke, et. al., one hundred and ninety-two and 64-100 feet to land of said Badger Brothers, and the point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Tobias H. Burke, et al., by deed dated June 20, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 178, and the same are subject to the condition and easement set forth in said deed.

3. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the Northerly corner of the premises, at land of the Granite Railway Company; thence running Southeasterly on land formerly of John Quincy Adams, et al., about ninety-two feet; thence running Easterly on said land, about four hundred and thirty-five feet; thence turning an acute angle and running Southwesterly on land formerly of Robertson, about thirteen hundred and fifty-nine feet; thence running Northwesterly on land formerly of O. T. Rogers Estate, about two hundred and sixty feet; thence Northeasterly on land formerly of Robertson, nine hundred and seventy-nine feet to the point of beginning. Containing seven and 5-100 acres of land.

4. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point in the Westerly line of Willard Street, at the Easterly corner of land of Burke Brothers; thence running Southeasterly on Willard Street, about thirty-six feet; thence running Southwesterly on land of the Co-operative Granite Company, about ninety feet; thence running Southeasterly on said land two hundred and two and 35 100 feet; thence running Southwesterly on a private way, and land supposed to be of Keenan, about one hundred and eighteen feet; thence running Northwesterly one hundred and ninety-eight and 5-10 feet; thence Southwesterly eighty-five feet; thence Southeasterly, two hundred and seventeen feet, all on land supposed to be of said Keenan; thence Southerly on lands supposed to be of Keenan, McGrath, Dunphy and Clemens, about three hundred feet; thence Southwesterly on land formerly of Robertson and land of owners unknown, about eight hundred and sixty-two feet; thence Northwesterly on land of the Granite Railway Company two hundred and eighty-two and 5-10 feet; thence Southwesterly on land of said Railway Company, six hundred and ninety-seven and 5-10 feet; thence Northwesterly on land of John Quincy Adams, et al., and owners unknown three hundred and sixty feet; thence Northeasterly on land formerly of Robertson and land of Berry and land formerly of Reinhalter, about fourteen hundred and two and 7-10 feet; thence Southeasterly about thirty-four feet and Northeasterly about three hundred and five feet on land formerly of The Quincy Quarry Company; thence Northeasterly on land of Badger Brothers, three hundred and twenty-five and 5-10 feet; thence Southeasterly on land of Burke Brothers, one hundred and eighty-nine feet; thence Northeasterly on land of Burke Brothers, one hundred and sixty-eight feet to the point of beginning. Containing twenty-two and 45-100 acres of land.

The last two described parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by John Quincy Adams, et al., Trustees, by deed dated October 1, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 703, Fol. 265.

5. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Northerly on land late of the Adams Real Estate Trust, about two hundred and ninety-three feet; Easterly by the Granite Railway Company, about two hundred and seventy-eight feet; Southerly about one hundred ninety three feet on land of Thomas McGrath; Westerly on land of Adams Real Estate Trust, about eighty-eight feet; Southwesterly on said last named land, about two hundred and twenty-four feet; and Westerly on said land, about eighty-five feet. Containing one and one-half acres of land more or less.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by two deeds, one given by Ellen C. Keenan, Guardian, dated July 28, 1893, recorded with said Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 5.

6. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, triangular in form, containing about forty-two hundred and thirty-five square feet, bounded:—Westerly on land now or formerly of Berry Brothers, about one hundred seventy feet; Easterly on land of Reinhalter, about one hundred fifty-two 5-10 feet; and Southerly on land of the Quincy Quarry Company, about fifty-one and 7-10 feet.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Alphonse Reinhalter by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 703, Fol. 261.

7. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Northeasterly corner of the premises at land of Alphonse Reinhalter, thence running Westerly on land of said Reinhalter and land of the Quincy Quarry Company, seventy-two feet to a stake; thence Southeasterly on a line eight feet distant from and parallel with the centre line of railroad location of said Quincy Quarry Company, one hundred eighty-eight and 8-10 feet to a stake; thence Northerly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company and said Reinhalter, one hundred fifty-four and 2-10 feet to the point of beginning. Containing about four thousand one hundred and forty feet.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Walter A. Berry, et al., by deed dated December 5, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 706, Fol. 405.

8. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, thirty feet wide, running through the property of James H. Elcock, et al., as shown on a plan made by H. T. Whitman, C. E., dated May, 1893. The North and South boundary lines thereof are each parallel with and fifteen feet distant from the red line as shown on said plan.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by James H. Elcock, et al., by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 564.

9 Also a certain other parcel of land, triangular in form, situated in said Quincy, containing about fourteen hundred and fifty square feet, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Easterly corner of the premises at the centre of a private way at land now or late of Alphonse Reinhalter; thence Northeasterly along the centre line of said private way and on land now or late of said Reinhalter, sixty-three and 5-10 feet; thence Southwesterly on land of James H. Elcock, et al., fifty-nine and 65-100 feet to the centre of another private way and to land now or late of said Reinhalter; thence Easterly along the centre line of said private way and land of said Reinhalter, fifty-nine feet to the point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Thomas H. McDonnell, by deed dated August 22, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 68.

10. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called West Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the most Northerly corner of the premises at land now or formerly of C. F Adams, and thence running Southerly one hundred and thirty-two feet to land now or late of W. A. Berry; thence running Southwesterly by the last named land, one hundred and fourteen feet; thence Southerly by the same, two hundred and seventeen feet; thence Northeasterly by the same, two hundred and sixty-three feet to land now or late of C. F Adams; thence Southwesterly by last named land as indicated by certain stone heaps, about eleven hundred and sixty-five feet to a stone heap between maple trees; thence running Northwesterly by the "Six hundred acre lot," so-called, five hundred and twenty-eight feet to land now or late of C. F. Adams; thence Northeasterly by last named land and other land, about thirteen hundred and fifty four and one half feet to the point begun at. Being the parcel marked "Wigwam Lot," on a plan of Wood lots belonging to Joseph W. Robertson, situated in West Quincy, made by Whitman and Breck Surveyors, the line of said parcel thereon being tinted red, and containing according to said plan, twelve and three-fourths acres. Excepting from the above described parcel a small lot of land of about one-fourth of an acre conveyed by Joseph W. Robertson to the Oriental Powder Mills, by deed dated February 2, 1888, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 601, Fol. 205, and the said premises are subject to the rights of way therein given.

11. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called West Quincy, and also shown as tinted red on said last mentioned plan, and containing according to said plan, twelve and 68-100 acres bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a stone bound at the Northeasterly corner of the premises at land now or late of C. F. Adams, and thence running Southwesterly by said last named land, nine hundred and seventy-nine feet; thence Northwesterly by a line indicated by certain stone heaps, eight hundred and nineteen feet to land now or late of E. H. Adams; thence Northeasterly by land last mentioned about five hundred and twenty-one feet to land conveyed by said J. W. Robertson to McGilvray and Jones; thence southeasterly by last named land, four hundred and five feet; thence Northeasterly by the same, four hundred and five feet to land now or late of the Granite Railway Company; and thence Southeasterly by last named land, three hundred and seventy feet to the point of beginning.

The last two described parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Barnabas Clarke, et al., by deed dated June 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 350.

12. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in the Westerly part of said Quincy, being strip thirty feet wide, running through the property of Michael Horrigan, et al., each boundary line thereof running parallel with and fifteen feet distant from the red line as shown upon the Plan of Land and Railroad owned by the Quincy Quarry Company as drawn by H. T. Whitman Civil Engineer, dated May, 1893.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Michael Horrigan, et. al., by deed dated July 25, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 563.

13. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the most Southerly corner of the premises, which corner adjoins Dean and Horrigan's land on one side and the Quincy Quarry Company's land on the other side it runs in a Northeasterly direction, two hundred and eighty feet; from thence in a Northwesterly direction, five hundred and twenty-six feet to a point adjoining McDonnell and Sons' land on one side and Jones and Desmond's on the other side; from thence in a Southwesterly direction, three hundred and fifteen feet; and from this point in a Southeasterly direction, five hundred and twenty-five feet. This tract contains three and 45-100 acres, according to a plan made by H. T. Whitman, Civil Engineer.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Thomas H. McDonnell, et. al., by deed dated August 30, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 69.

14. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the Southeasterly corner of the premises at land of Deane and Horrigan; thence running Northwesterly on said land and land of McDonald, six hundred thirty-six and 3-10 feet to land formerly of Jones and Desmond; thence Northwesterly on said land, three hundred forty and 7 10 feet to a stake and stones; thence Easterly on said land, one hundred feet to land formerly of John Swithin, et. al., and John Jones; thence Northerly on said land, about three hundred and forty feet to land formerly of John Lavers; thence Westerly on said land of Lavers, two hundred twenty-five 65 100 feet to land formerly of Baker; thence Easterly on said land, about two hundred sixty-two feet; thence Southeasterly still on said land two hundred and ninety-one feet; thence Southerly still on said land to land formerly of B. Clarke, two hundred and twenty-seven feet and 76-100; thence Southeasterly on said land, about four hundred three and 5 10 feet to land formerly owned by John Swithin, et. al., and John Jones; thence Easterly on said land about seven hundred sixty-three feet to the point of beginning. Containing about four teen and 95-100 acres.

15. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Southerly corner of the premises at land formerly of John Swithin, et. al., and said Jones; thence Northeasterly on said land, about two hundred seventy-six feet to a stake and stones; thence Northwesterly still on said land, about one hundred forty-nine feet to a stake and stones; thence Westerly still on said land, about twenty-six feet to a stake and stones; thence Northwesterly still on said land; about one hundred feet to a stake and stones; thence Southwesterly still on said land, about two hundred seventy-seven and 5-10 feet to a stake and stones; thence Northwesterly still on said land thirty-three feet to a stake and stones; thence Southwesterly on land now or late of S. Lombard, about one hundred and forty-five feet to a stake and stones; and thence Southeasterly on land known as the Quincy Wood Lot, about three hundred and forty-three feet to the point of beginning. Containing about two acres.

Subject to rights of way if any over the two thirty-three foot streets shown on plan of G. A. Devlin, November, 1891.

The two foregoing parcels being a portion of the premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by deed dated July 28, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 73, from John Swithin, et. al.

16. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Westerly corner of land formerly owned by McDonnell; thence extending in a Northerly direction through land of John Jones to land of John Swithin and others. Said strip of land is thirty feet wide. The Easterly and Westerly boundary lines are parallel with and fifteen feet distant from the centre line of the railroad location of the Quincy Quarry Company.

Being the same premises conveyed to the said Quincy Quarry Company by John Jones, by deed dated December 26, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 813, Fol. 372.

17. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing five acres more or less, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at an Oak tree on the Southerly side of a cartway leading to Pikes Peak and running Southerly four hundred and thirty-two feet to a stake; thence running Easterly at right angles, four hundred and twenty-five feet to a stake; thence turning and running at right angles Northerly, two hundred and twenty-seven and 76-100 feet to a stake; thence Northwesterly, two hundred and ninety-one feet to the centre of an old road; thence still Northwesterly along the centre line of said road and then Southwesterly along the centre line of the cartway first mentioned in all two hundred and sixty-two feet to a point opposite said Oak tree; thence at right angles Southerly about eight feet to the point of beginning at said oak tree.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Thomas H. McDonnell, by deed dated August 22, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 68.

18. Also a certain other parcel of land, being a strip thirty feet wide, situated in said Quincy, bounded:—Beginning at land formerly of John Jones; thence extending in a Northerly direction about six hundred seventy feet to land of Barnabas Clarke. The Easterly and Westerly boundary lines of said parcel are fifteen feet distant from and parallel with the centre line of the railroad location of the Quincy Quarry Company.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by deed from John Swithin, et. al., dated December 20, 1893 recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 813, Fol. 372.

19. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing about eleven acres, bounded:—Northerly on the dividing line between Milton and said Quincy, on land now or late of Samuel Babcock; Easterly on land of the Shawmut Spring Water Company, the Prout Brothers Granite Company, Frederick J. Fuller and Barnabas Clarke; Southerly on land formerly of Josiah Quincy; and Westerly on land of the Quincy Quarry Company.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Frederic J. Fuller by deed dated August 29, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 699, Fol. 422.

20. Also a certain other parcel of land, called the "Robbins Lot," situated in said Quincy bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point on the line between Milton and Quincy on land now or late of Fenno, near land now or formerly of heirs of one Root; thence running Northeasterly by the Town Line and bounding on said Fenno land to land of Glover (now or formerly); thence turning and running Southeasterly on said Glover land to land of Bowman; thence turning and running Southwesterly on land of said Bowman and land of Churchill to land of John M. Forbes; thence turning and running Northwesterly on said Forbes land to the point of beginning, or how ever otherwise bounded or described.

Being a portion of the premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Charles Breck by deed dated June 30, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 3.

21. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing about two and three-eights acres, bounded and described as follows:—Southerly on land now or formerly of Josiah Quincy; Southwesterly on land now or formerly of Edward Robbins; Northerly on land now or formerly of Fenno; and Easterly on land now or formerly of Field and others.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Eunice A. Adams, by deed dated June 24, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 349.

22. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, being three acres of wood land, more or less, bounded:—Northerly, on land formerly belonging to Edward H. Robbins; Easterly on land now or late of Ezra Glover, Southerly by land now or late of Josiah Quincy; and Westerly by land now or late of Asaph Churchill.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Barnabas Clarke, by deed dated October 17, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 703, Fol. 267.

23. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, as shown on a plan of wood land of the late J. M. Churchill, made by Charles Breck, Surveyor, dated June, 1875, recorded with Norfolk deeds, bounded and described as follows:—Northerly by land now or formerly of estate of J. M. Robbins, three hundred and forty two-feet; and by land of the heirs of Samuel Littlefield, six hundred and sixty-nine feet; Easterly by land of A. H. Bowman, four hundred and ten feet; Southerly by land of Josiah Quincy, one thousand and two feet; and Westerly by land of heirs of H. N. Glover, three hundred and thirty-five feet, and containing about eight and one-half acres.

The two foregoing parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Andrew Milne, by deed dated June 26, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 70.

24. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the Southeasterly corner of the premises at land now or formerly of John Swithin and others at a stake and stones; thence Northerly about four hundred and fifty-four feet to a stake and stones; thence Westerly about twenty-two hundred and fifty-five feet to a stake and stones; thence Southerly about four hundred and eighteen feet to land of the heirs of O. T. Rogers; thence Easterly about twenty-four hundred and thirty-six feet to the point of beginning. Containing about twenty-three acres. Being lot "A" on a plan recorded with Norfolk Deeds, drawn by H. T. Whitman, Civil Engineer, dated May, 1893. Excepting from the above described parcel the portion taken by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners for a Public Park.

25. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing five acres of land more or less, bounded as follows:—Beginning at a stake and stones at the Southwest corner of the premises, thence running Northerly on land of Andrew J. Milne, four hundred thirty-two and 36-100 feet; thence turning and running Northeasterly, five hundred and eleven feet to a stake and stones; thence turning and running Southerly five hundred sixty-nine and 7-10 feet to a stake and stones; thence turning and running Westerly three hundred seventy-seven and 1-10 feet to the point of beginning. Being part of lot No. 4 on a plan entitled "Quincy Wood lot, owned by Swithin Bros. and Jones," H. T. Whitman, Surveyor.

The two foregoing parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Andrew Milne by deed dated June 30, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 72.

26. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at a point at a stake and stones, distant four thousand two hundred fifteen and 8-100 feet Southwesterly from crazy man's Bound, and thence running Southwesterly on land known as the "Six hundred acre lot" about ten hundred and fifty-four feet to a stone heap at the line between the City of Quincy and the Town of Milton; thence running Northerly on said line, about sixteen hundred and eighty feet to a large pine tree; thence running Northeasterly on land of unknown owners by a line running through a series of stone heaps to land of Milne and Chalmers, about seventeen hundred feet; thence running Southerly on said land of Milne and Chalmers and on land formerly of the Glencoe Granite Company, in all about eight hundred and seventy-eight and 74-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Easterly on the last named land, five hundred eleven and 24-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Northerly still on said land to and through an oak tree to land formerly of Milne and Chalmers, five hundred eleven and 24-100 feet; thence running Southeasterly on said last named land, about one hundred thirty-eight and 76-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Northerly still on said land, five hundred sixty-nine and 7-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Northeasterly, four hundred forty-eight and 2-10 feet to a stake and stones at land formerly of Fitzgerald and Collins; thence running Southerly on the last mentioned land, about four hundred and fifty feet to a stake and stones; thence running on said land and on land of John Lavers Southeasterly, about six hundred thirty-two and 16-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Southwesterly on land formerly of Swithin Brothers and on land formerly of Baker, about eight hundred twelve and 65-100 feet to a stone heap; thence running Southeasterly on said land of Baker, four hundred and twenty five feet to land formerly of Swithin Brothers at a stake and stones; thence running a little more Southerly on said last named land, about three hundred forty-nine and 5-10 feet to land conveyed by Barnabas Clarke to Andrew Milne; thence Westerly on said land of Milne, about two thousand two hundred and fifty-five feet to a stake and stones; thence Southerly on said land of Milne, four hundred and eighteen feet to the point of beginning. Containing about one hundred acres.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Barnabas Clarke, by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 67.

Excepting from the above described parcel the portion taken by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners for a Public Park.

27. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing about thirty acres, bounded as follows:—Easterly on the Furnace Line, so-called; Southerly on land of Solomon Nightingale and others; Westerly on land formerly of John Savil and others; and Northerly on land formerly of Josiah Quincy and others.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Frederic J. Fuller, by deed dated June 15, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 525.

Excepting from the above described parcel the portion taken by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners for a Public Park.

28. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Southerly by land formerly of O. T. Rogers, there measuring seven hundred and ninety-five feet; Westerly by land of B. Clarke, there measuring about four hundred feet; Northerly by land formerly of Swithin Brothers, there measuring about seven hundred and sixty-three feet; and Easterly on land of Dean and Horrigan, there measuring about four hundred feet. Containing about six and one half acres.

Being a portion of the premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by John Jones, by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 64.

29. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a stake and stones distant Southerly in a straight line from another stake and stones located in the Northerly line of land formerly of Swithin, et. al., three hundred and sixty-seven and 50-100 feet, as shown on the plan drawn by H. T. Whitman, entitled "Quincy Wood Lot owned by Swithin Bros. and Jones" recorded with a deed from Swithin, et. al., to John Lavers of lot numbered 1 on said plan, dated March 30, 1889; and thence continuing in the same straight line, five hundred and eleven and 24-100 feet; to a stake and stones; thence turning at a right angle and running Easterly, five hundred and eleven and twenty-four one hundredths feet; thence turning at a right angle and running Northerly, five hundred and eleven and twenty-four one hundredths feet to an oak tree on the Southerly side of an old roadway shown on said plan; thence turning and running Westerly along the Southerly side of said roadway, then crossing the same, and thence in a straight line, following the line shaded brown, to the point of beginning, about five hundred and elcven and twenty-four one-hundredths feet, as shown on said plan. Containing six acres.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by The Glencoe Granite Company, by deed dated October 28, 1895, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 747, Fol. 621.

30. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called West Quincy and shown on a plan made by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, dated September, 1899, recorded with Norfolk Deeds. Said parcel is bounded and described as follows:—Northerly, two hundred and five feet as shown on said plan; Northeasterly by a curved line on land formerly of Quincy Quarry Railroad, two hundred and fourteen and 6-10 feet; Southeasterly on land of the Quincy Quarry Company; Northeasterly again on the curved boundary line between the described premises and land of said Quincy Quarry Company, about one hundred and forty six feet; Southeasterly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company, sixty-two and 35-100 feet; Southerly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company, four hundred and twenty-three and 32-100 feet; Westerly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company two hundred and twenty-nine and 67-100 feet; and Northwesterly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company, one hundred and fourteen feet. Said parcel comprises about two and 79-100 acres.

Subject to a right of way in favor of the Oriental Powder Mills as set forth in a deed from Joseph W. Robertson to said Mills, dated February 2, 1888 and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 601, Fol. 205.

Being the same premises conveyed by Walter A. Berry, et. al., to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with said Norfolk Deeds.

31. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Easterly by land of the Granite Railway Company, about one hundred and sixty-two feet and seven inches; Southerly by the same, by land of McGillvray and Jones and by land of the Quincy Quarry Company, about twelve hundred feet; Westerly by land of Dean and Horrigan, about one hundred and eighty-three feet; and Northerly by land now or late of the heirs of Townsend and Clements, about twelve hundred feet.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company by John Cashman by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

32. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at an iron rod at the Northwesterly corner of the premises at land of F. J. Fuller and land of the Quincy Quarry Company; thence Northeasterly by land of said Fuller and land of the Shawmut Spring Water Company, about four hundred and six and 8-10 feet; thence Northerly by land of said Shawmut Spring Water Company, fifty two and 84-100 feet to a stone bound; thence Southeasterly by land of owners unknown and land of Barnabas Clarke, one hundred and eighty-three feet to a stone bound; thence Southwesterly by land of said Barnabas Clarke, three hundred and thirty-four and 45-100 feet to a stone bound; thence Northwesterly by the same, eighty-three and 75-100 feet to a stone bound; thence more Westerly by the same, one hundred and fifty-seven and 25-100 feet to a stone bound; thence more Northerly by land of the Quincy Quarry Company 212.68-100 feet to the point of beginning. Containing two and 46-100 acres.

Being the same premises conveyed by the Prout Brothers Granite Company to said Quincy Quarries Company by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

33. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Northwesterly by land of the Quincy Quarry Company, about one hundred and sixty-nine and 7-10 feet; Northeasterly by land of said Quincy Quarry Company, four hundred and thirty-two and 36-100 feet; Southerly by land formerly of the Glencoe Granite Company about two hundred and seventy-two and 9-10 feet; and Westerly by land of the Quincy Quarry Company, three hundred and sixty-seven and 5-10 feet. Said parcel comprises two acres and is shown on a plan of land in Quincy belonging to Andrew Milne, dated September, 1899, drawn by H. T. Whitman, recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

Being the same premises conveyed by Andrew Milne to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

34. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Northerly on land belonging to said City of Quincy, one hundred and sixty-six feet; Easterly on land now or late of Nathaniel F. Safford, now or formerly used by him as a private way, six hundred and forty seven feet; Southerly on land now or formerly of said Safford, two hundred and six feet, and Westerly by land now or formerly of Dell and Biganiss, six hundred and forty eight feet.

Being the same premises conveyed by William R. Thomas to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

35. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows: Northerly on land of the City of Quincy, and land of W. G. A. Pattee, four hundred and fifteen feet; Easterly on land of Mary Errickson, about three hundred and seventy five feet; Southerly by land of Safford, two hundred and ten feet; Easterly again on the same about two hundred and eighty seven feet; Southerly again by a Roadway in two lines measuring one hundred and seventy seven feet and twenty five feet respectively; and Westerly by land of Thomas, six hundred and forty seven feet.

Being the same premises conveyed by Peter T. Fallon, et al, to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

36 Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy bounded as follows:—Easterly by Quarry Street, two hundred and sixty nine feet more or less and on land formerly of Richards Munn and Company, two hundred and twenty one feet more or less; Southerly, five hundred and twenty feet more or less; Southwesterly, five hundred and thirty two feet more or less; and Northerly seven hundred and eighty feet more or less on land formerly of the heirs of Josiah Bass. Containing five and one half acres and twenty two rods more or less or however otherwise bounded, measured or described.

37. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy on the Southwesterly side of Quarry street, bounded as follows:—Beginning at a point at the Northeasterly corner of land now or formerly owned by Eleazer Frederick and William Field as shown on a plan by H. T. Whitman and C. E. C. Breck, November 1871, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds; thence running Northwesterly along said Quarry Street, three hundred and seventy feet more or less to an iron bolt in a rock near the Northerly end of an old wall, said rock is marked with the letter "C" cut in the rock on the Easterly side of the bolt and the letter "S" cut in the rock on the Westerly side of the bolt; thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction along line of land of Nathaniel M. Safford to an iron bolt in a rock; said rock being marked "C" on the East side and the letter "S" cut in the rock on the West side; thence continuing in a straight line to the Northerly line of land now or formerly owned by Eleazer Frederick and William Field, being a distance of two hundred and sixty feet more or less; thence turning and running in an Easterly direction along the line of land now or formerly owned by Eleazer Frederick and William Field, three hundred and eighty five feet more or less to the point of beginning on the southwesterly side of said Quarry Street.

The two parcels of land last above described being the same premises conveyed by Sarah J. F. Carr, et al, to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

38. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Northerly on Quarry Street, three measuring about four hunured and forty-two feet: Easterly on lands formerly of Thomas Greenleaf, now or late owned by W. G. A. Pattee, there measuring one hundred and forty-two feet; southerly by the "Bass Common" lands, so called, now owned by Fallon, et al., there measuring about four hundred and forty-four feet; and Westerly on a private way laid out by the Supervisors of the Adams Temple and School Fund, for about two hundred and seventy-eight feet.

39. Also a certain other parcel of land situated on the Northerly side of said Quarry street in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises at land formerly of said Greenleaf and running Westerly following the Northerly line of Quarry Street a distance of five hundred and fifteen feet to a private way laid out by the said Supervisors: thence turning and running Northerly and bounding Westerly on said private way, sixty feet; thence turning and running Southeasterly and bounding Northerly on said School Fund Lands, eighty feet; thence running Northerly and bounding Westerly on said School Fund Lands, sixty feet; thence running Northwesterly eighty feet to said last mentioned private way; thence running Northeasterly and bounding Northwesterly on said private way, five hundred and twenty-five feet; thence turning and running

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of

ROGER E. SUMNER,

late of Braintree, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, J. Frank Perry, the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of a certain parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County, on the twenty-third day of March, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

March 12. 3t--12-14-21

J. H. DINEGAN, - - Auctioneer

Mortgagee's Sale.

PURSUANT to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George Chrystall of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Quincy Co-operative Bank, dated February 1st, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 838, Fol. 155, will be sold on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on TUESDAY, the twenty-ninth day of March, 1904, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and herein described substantially as follows, namely:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Quincy, called West Quincy, and being lot No. 110, on a "Plan of house lots situated in West Quincy, Mass., owned by Swithin Bros. and Jones, dated November, 1891." Said lot is bounded as follows, viz: Southwesterly by lot No. 111 on said plan, one hundred and eleven (111) feet; northwesterly on a proposed street as laid out on said plan, fifty (50) feet; northeasterly by lots numbered 108 and 109 on said plan, one hundred and ten (110) feet; northeasterly by land now or formerly of Townsend and Clements, fifty (50) feet.

Being the premises conveyed to George Chrystall by William R. Thomas, by deed dated October sixth, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 826, page 83.

These premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or assessments.

Terms: Fifty Dollars, to be paid at time and [illegible]

QUINCY CO-OPERATIVE BANK, Mortgagee.

By [illegible] D. CHASE, Treasurer.

March 7. 3t--7-14-21

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Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
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EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	47	34	74	65	39
Monday,	47	43	48	44	52
Tuesday,	—	38	47	43	58
Wednesday,	—	41	45	58	49
Thursday,	—	39	57	39	40
Friday,	—	40	58	37	46
Saturday,	—	48	53	48	48

New Advertisements Today.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Furniture.
To Let—Room.
Auction Sale of Household Furniture.
George W. Jones—Hats.
For Sale—Dining Table and Beds.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Mrs. William Loud of Lincoln avenue is convalescent.

Rev. Mr. Tobey is enjoying life in Georgia. He is expected back early in April.

Jesse F. Curtis has gone to New Haven, Conn., on a three weeks' business trip.

John Hancock lodge of Odd Fellows will work the second degree Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Frances O. Moore of Garfield street, is confined to the house with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson returned from South Carolina Saturday afteanoon.

Auctioneer Johnson will have a sale of furniture on Friday afternoon at No. 26 Pearl street.

The rain Saturday night carried off most of the snow and ice and the street are much drier.

The Mount Wollaston Associates will hold a whist party in I. O. O. F. hall on Thursday evening.

The Sunday School of the Wollaston Congregational church is preparing a grand program for Easter.

J. Q. Litchfield of Wollaston was re-elected secretary and treasurer at the annual meeting of the Lake Winnipisseogee yacht club.

The union lookout committee of the Quincy Point church attended the C. E. meeting at the Wollaston Congregational church, Sunday evening.

Paul Revere W. R. C. will hold their regular meeting tomorrow afternoon, and have a public supper in the evening to which members of Post 88 have been invited.

Mr. A. Wilscher, who has been confined to his home on Beacon street, by sickness, the past two weeks, is improving and able to go out a little each day.

Mrs. Winslow Cushing and Mrs. Georgiana Cushing, both of Kingston, have been the guests of Mrs. C. C. Ewell, of Hampden circle, Norfolk Downs, the past week.

The Patriarchs Militant will give a ball at Lynn on Friday evening, at which time the decoration of chivalry will be conferred upon sister rebekahs. Several from this city and East Weymouth will attend.

Mrs. Kate A. Hayden leaves on Thursday for New Market, N. H., where she will be the reader at the twenty fifth anniversary, of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, a sister of Mrs. Hayden.

Many people are looking forward to the next lecture in the Quincy Point lecture course to be given Wednesday evening at the church. Rev. Peter MacQueen will give an illustrated lecture on Servia and the far East.

There is a movement on foot to organize a company of the Massachusetts volunteer militia in Quincy. A petition to the Governor, asking permission to form a company of the State militia in Quincy, is being circulated by Arthur Hultman, and signed by business men.

Mrs. J. H. Lord is quite ill at home on Brooks street, Wollaston.

Miss Annie Gibson of Granite street has been enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Isabelle Souther is confined to her home on Edison street by rheumatism.

A matinee whist will be given at the home of Mrs. Beatrice Porterfield of Granite street, on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Arthur Fitts of Bigelow street, left suddenly on Sunday for Maine, because of the serious illness of her mother.

Mrs. John L. Fratus of Hancock street, Atlantic, who has been ill the past week with appendicitis at the hospital, passed away Saturday evening.

The St. Marys won again at basket ball Saturday evening, defeating the Battery H team of Chelsea 17 to 5. The St. Marys juniors defeated the Somerville juniors 23 to 16.

An interesting vesper program was given Sunday afternoon at the Wollaston Baptist church. Miss Hasting contributed a beautiful solo. The ordinance of baptism was administered by the pastor to a young lady.

Miss Hannah Doran, the obliging clerk at Chase's lunch room, is confined to her home on Buckley street, by sickness. Her many friends and customers hope to see her back in her familar place before many days.

Nomination papers of delegates to be voted for at the Republican caucuses next week must be filed before Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock. It looks as if there was some underhanded work to steal a march on the voters.

About twenty-five couples participated in the dancing party at Colonial hall Saturday evening given by Charles A. Howland Jr., D. Eaton Pierce and Dr. Ramon Burke. The affair was matronized by Mrs. Henry M. Faxon and Mrs. Lister.

Mrs. Jacob Flint died Sunday at her home at 1053 Hancock street at the advanced age of 83 years. Mrs. Flint has been in poor health for some time. She leaves two sons, George W., with whom she made her home, and Frank, who resides in Seattle.

The Baker Yacht Basin has been incorporated under Massachusetts laws with a capital of $50,000. The promoters are Lorenzo D. Baker, Lorenzo D. Baker, Jr., and Reuben R. Baker.

City Council Business.

A regular meeting of the City Council will be held tonight. A public hearing will be held on the petition of the Electric Light Co. for permission to erect poles on a number of streets.

The Committee on Streets will report on petition for street lights.

The joint Committee on Streets and Ordinances will report on the ordinance regulating the speed of cars.

In the calender on the orders granting permission to John Thompson & Son to run a compressed air pipe across Quarry steeet, and refunding the Quincy Real Estate Trust $58 one half the cost of brick sidewalk on Washington street.

Other reports are expected.

BORN.

MILLER—In Quincy, March 6, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Miller of Russell park.

DIED.

FLINT—In Quincy, March 20 Mrs. Betsey (Cudworth) widow of late Jacob Flint, aged 83 years, 3 months.
Funeral from late residence, 1053 Hancock street, Tuesday March 22, at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

FRATUS—In Massachusetts General Hospital, March 20, Mrs. Gertrude, wife of Mr. John L. Fratus of Atlantic, aged 35 years.

HALL—In Milton, March 20, Mrs. Clara F., wife of Mr. Henry Hall, aged 41 years.

SPOONER—In North Scituate, March 19, Mr. Jesse W. Spooner, aged 75 years and 7 months.

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Japan Will Fight Until Object of War Is Attained

MIKADO TO THE PEERS

Absence of Sincerity on Part of Russia In Her Peaceful Professions Compelled Appeal to Arms--Session of Parliament

Tokio, March 21.—With stately ceremony, the special session of parliament, convened to provide the money needed to wage the war against Russia, was opened Sunday. The emperor personally read his address to the peers and commoners. For the first time the crown prince attended the ceremony. He followed his father to an improvised throne in the peers' hall and stood close to his right side while he read his appeal to his subjects.

When the emperor entered the peers' chamber the members of parliament bowed low. The emperor, advancing to the front of the platform, bowed to them and immediately ascended the throne. Premier Katsura advanced to the throne and handed the address to the emperor. The latter read it, as follows:

"We hereby open the imperial diet and address each and all the members of the house of peers and the house of representatives. We announce with high satisfaction that our relations with the treaty powers are steadily growing in cordiality and understanding. Prompted by an earnest desire to maintain a permanent peace in the extreme east, our government, by our command, entered into negotiations with Russia, but we regret that, owing to an absence of sincerity on the part of Russia in her peaceful professions, we have been compelled to appeal to arms, and having taken that step we cannot hesitate until the object of the war is attained.

"Our forces, in the presence of unwonted hardships and privations, are now displaying their steadfast loyalty and valor, and we hope that all our subjects will co-operate in perfect unity for the enhancement of the glory of the empire.

"We trust that you will, in compliance with our will, fulfill the duty incumbent upon you and give cordial consent to these budgets and bills, which are specially urgent in connection with the situation and which we have ordered the ministers of state to lay before you."

The members remained with bowed heads until the reading was concluded. The president of the house of peers then advanced to the throne and received the address from the emperor. The emperor then stepped to the front of the platform and bowed, then left the chamber and returned to the palace.

In view of the extraordinary reply to the throne passed at the opening of the last session in December, wherein the house of representatives condemned the policy of the cabinet, which was declared to be incompatible with the progress of the empire and to be temporizing, the house of representatives yesterday appointed a committee to prepare a response. After the joint session the committee met, prepared and presented the following:

"We, your majesty's humble servants of the house of representatives, respectfully express our gratitude for your majesty's gracious action in opening the imperial diet and for the words addressed to us by your majesty.

"This empire has invariably endeavored to maintain peace in the far east, but Russia, which lacks the sincerity to respect peace, has violated its treaty with China and its repeated declarations to the powers.

"We are extremely impressed with the fact that your majesty has declared war. The executive arms at the front are repeatedly obtaining victories. This is solely due to your imperial majesty's influence.

"It shall be our constant endeavor to bring to the discharge of our legislative functions the utmost care and circumspection, so that your majesty's august instructions may be obeyed and the important trust reposed in us by the nation may be complied with. With profound respect and humility, the president of the house of representatives, Masahisa Matsuda, presents this."

The peers will meet today to prepare a response to the speech from the throne.

Plague Strikes Johannesburg

Johannesburg, March 21.—An outbreak of the bubonic plague has occurred in the Indian coolie section. Thirty deaths have occurred since Thursday. It was at first supposed that the outbreak was one of pneumonia, but the nature of the disease is now officially admitted.

Crew of Twenty-Two Drowned

Dublin, March 21.—The German bark Mona collided with the English bark Lady Cairns off Dublin bay. The Lady Cairns sank in a few minutes. Her crew of 22 were drowned. The Mona, which was much damaged, was assisted to Dublin harbor.

Rubber Footgear Goes Up

New York, March 21.—A circular has been sent out to the trade by the United States Rubber company announcing an advance of 7 percent on all classes of rubber footwear to take effect immediately.

NEW TOURNAMENT.

Teams 3 and 4 of North Quincy Club to Meet Tonight.

The North Quincy club starts out on a new house-club tournament this evening with Teams 3 and 4 matched for first honors. A loving cup or stein is to be presented to each member of the winning team.

The make-up of the teams will be as follows:

Team I— Raymond, Joe Thomas, Johnson, John Fratus and McGrath.

Team II—Harrigan, Thorpe, Langelier Kingsley and Beale.

Team III—Terrell, Spellane, Harris, Peirce and Barker.

Team IV—Osgood, Kendall, Denno, Joe Fratus and Rogers.

Team V—Taylor, Welsh, Perkins, Lombard and Emery.

Team VI—Ed. James, James Thomas, Bert Thomas, Bennett and Brockbank.

March 21, Team 3 vs Team 4.
March 22, Team 1 vs Team 2.
March 28, Team 1 vs Team 5.
March 29, Team 2 vs Team 3.
March 30, Team 4 vs Team 6.
April 4, Team 6 vs Team 1.
April 5, Team 2 vs Team 4.
April 6, Team 5 vs Team 3.
April 11, Team 1 vs Team 4.
April 12, Team 2 vs Team 5.
April 13, Team 6 vs Team 3.
April 18, Team 1 vs Team 3.
April 19, Team 2 vs Team 6.
April 20, Team 4 vs Team 5.
April 25, Team 5 vs Team 6.

Italians Organizing.

A largely attended mass meeting of Italian laborers of the city was held Sunday morning at Wilson hall, fully 150 being present. It was a part of the movement to organize the Italians of Boston and vicinity. Addresses were made by Domenico d'Alesandro of Boston and the following local men: Donato Di Cesare, Nicola Giannandrea, Leonardo Di Ceriso and Cristoforo Brava.

Quincy Vs. Milton.

A series of basket ball games have been arranged between the Quincys and Miltons. The first game will be played at Milton on Tuesday evening, and the second game Thursday evening at the Coliseum. In addition to the game at the Coliseum there will be a game between the Milton girls' team and the Independent girls' team of Hyde Park. This is the first game between girls teams to be played at the Coliseum and should draw a large crowd.

James L. Smith Surprised.

A very pleasing surprise was tendered to Mr. James L. Smith, when about fifty of his friends, mostly yacht club members and wives, gathered at his home on Beach street, Friday evening, Mar. 18, in honor of his birthday. During the evening Commodore Stephen B. Wiley made an appropriate address after which he presented Mr. Smith with a handsome chair. Refreshments were served and Mr. Smith was wished many happy returns of the day.

Odell Takes Leadership

New York, March 21.—At a conference between Senator Platt, Governor Odell and many other prominent Republicans of the state, it was agreed that Odell should be elected chairman of the state committee at the approaching convention in April, succeeding Chairman Dunn of the Republican state central committee, who has been regarded as a Platt adherent.

Disastrous Prairie Fires

Hemingford, Neb., March 21.—Prairie fires have swept the range country. The ground being dry the fire burned the roots of the grass in the ground, destroying it for grazing for three years. Ranch sheds, barns, groves on timber claims and property along the railroad have been destroyed.

Representative Thompson Dead

Washington, March 21.—Representative Charles W. Thompson of the Fifth Alabama district died in this city last evening of pneumonia. Mr. Thompson had been sick just one week. Toward the end he suffered intensely. He was 44 years old and was serving his second term in the house.

Tillman on Vacation

Washington, March 21.—Senator Tillman has gone to his home at Edgefield, S. C., to spend two weeks. He has recovered from his recent illness, but has not fully regained his strength.

Payne Shows Improvement

Washington, March 21.—The condition of Postmaster General Payne continues favorable. He is said to be gaining in strength and there is less extreme nervousness.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Fire destroyed the storehouse of the Kimball Carriage company at South Manchester, N. H., and the company's stock of 150 sleighs and 30 carriages.

A daughter was born in London to Lady Curzon, wife of the viceroy and governor general of India. Lady Curzon is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi E. Leiter of Washington.

William Collins, a veteran of the Civil war, who claimed to have been one of the captors of John Wilkes Booth, died at Willard asylum at Ovid, N. Y.

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TO LET—Stable, 3 stalls, large loft, water, 198 Washington street. Apply C. W. GAREY, M. D., 1247 Hancock street. Quincy, Jan. 30. tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec. 29. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

SEASON of 1904.

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Reported Result of Combined Land and Sea Attack

FIGHTING ON THE YALU

Six Hundred Russians Said to Have Been Killed, but No Mention Made of Japanese Casualties--Both Reports Come From Tokio and Must Be Accepted With Reserve--Russian Officer at Port Arthur Gives a Vivid Account of the Bombardment

London, March 22.—A number of rumors are printed in the newspapers here, but they must be accepted with great reserve.

The Daily Telegraph's Tokio correspondent cables a newspaper report of the Japanese occupation of Port Arthur after a combined land and sea attack Saturday and Sunday. It is asserted that a division of Japanese landed on the Liao Tung peninsula Saturday and engaged the Russians near Port Arthur, while the fleet bombarded from Saturday evening until Sunday evening.

The same correspondent reports a sharp encounter at Shyong Syong (on the Yalu river, about 30 miles northeast of Wiju) in which the Russians lost 600 in killed or wounded.

The Daily Chronicle's Shanghai correspondent hears from New Chwang that the Japanese crossed Tatung pass, 40 miles from Hai Cheng, and that collisions occurred with the Russians.

Reports from Seoul and Tokio are to the effect that Marquis Ito has arranged to lend 5,000,00 yen ($2,500,000) to Korea on easy terms.

According to The Standard's Tien Tsin correspondent, China is appealing to the powers for an extension of a year in the period for the payment of the indemnity growing out of the Boxer troubles.

The Tien Tsin correspondent of The Daily Mail reports that Kataoka, a Japanese merchant and Russian spy, has been assassinated by being buried alive, but that the Japanese authorities disavow any knowledge of the assassination.

The Morning Post's Hamburg correspondent says that Russia has purchased the Hamburg steamer Hafis, which is now at Vladivostok, for $250,000, and that the vessel's name has been changed to Alexeitrapani.

A Russian officer commanding a battery on Electric Hill during a bombardment of Port Arthur has written the following vivid account:

"It was a clear, sunlit day, and there was a gentle swell on the water. A little spot appeared through the haze on the far horizon and then another and another until these spots were increased to 15. Nearer and nearer they came, and larger and larger they appeared until, when six miles off, there was a tiny puff of smoke and all in the battery wondered where the projectile was going to fall.

"Forty fathoms below the cliff where we were standing the battleship Peresviet was standing. Bang! A shell burst under her bows, splashing the decks with spray. There was another puff, and a projectile whistled overhead, crashing on the rock behind us. Then came a third. It was a moment of terrible suspense. There was a terrific explosion overhead. They had gotten the range exactly. It was the signal for us to open fire, and 10 shore batteries and 12 warships joined in the reply.

"What followed is indescribable. The sea underneath where we stood fairly boiled with the swish and plunge of projectiles and words of command were inaudible to the gunners. I tried vainly to shout my orders while 150 guns were belching in a prolonged roar and shells were bursting overhead with a hellish crash. The smoke and dust blinded us.

"I did not experience any excitement and only that my teeth began to ache there was a strange sensation of contentment amidst the scenes of death which had no terrors after the first shell had exploded. Suddenly a white-faced gunner pointed to a battery of quick-firing guns half way down the hill which had been placed there to prevent a Japanese landing. I ran down and found the scene one of the wildest. There was a battle orgy of bursting shells and whistling fragments, the earth reeking with the stench of smoke.

"One shell had burst among the gunners. A soldier was lying disembowelled and another had his skull crushed. A third soldier was delirious and there were splinters in his head. One gun had been broken like a reed. It was a dreadful sight, with blood everywhere."

In concluding his narrative the officer says: "After the battle was over, Lieutenant General Stoessel, commander at Port Arthur, pinned the cross of St. George on my breast. But what does it matter. I am in the hospital."

"Pilgrims" Concentrating

St. Petersburg, March 22.—Official advices report the concentration of armed Mongolians disguised as pilgrims at VanKuren, south of Lake Baikal, and a few miles from the Russian frontier.

Train Killed Burglar

Boston, March 22.—Officers of the Boston police department have identified the body of the man who was killed by a train at Orange as that of Louis Steele, a notorious criminal, who was known as "Burglar Fred." His portrait and Bertillon measurements have been in the Rogues' gallery for years. Steele had served two prison sentences for burglaries in this vicinity.

Hearst Boomers at Work

Boston, March 22.—Congressman Van Duzen of Nevada and George F. Williams were the principal speakers at a mass meeting held here last night under the auspices of the Hearst Labor league of Massachusetts. The speakers endorsed the candidacy of W. R. Hearst for the nomination for president by the Democratic party.

Won't Appoint More Policemen

Lawrence, Mass., March 22.—At a meeting of the mayor and board of aldermen last night Mayor Lynch refused to appoint the 16 new police officers named last year by Mayor Grant, giving as the reason for his action that the appointment of the new men would cost the city too much money for salaries.

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CITY COUNCIL

Transact Only Routine Business Last Night.

The Annual Budget Not Ready.

Several Hearings on the Location of Poles.

The important matters before the City Council did not come up for action Monday evening. The Finance Committee was not ready to report on the annual budget, and there was no report on the High school enlargement.

Councilman Holmes and McFarland were the absentees.

GRAND JUROR.

The Mayor assisted by City Clerk Keith and Councilman Hardwick drew Frederick A. Thayer as a grand juror.

RATE TOO LOW.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the City Treasurer stating that it it was impossible to place the loan of $10,000 for purchase of water pipe, for three and one half per cent. Laid on the table until later when Councilman Bass offered an order changing the rate of interest to four per cent.

Requests were received from the Republican City Committee for polling places for the caucus April 5, and the Democratic City Committee for April 12. Later Councilman Hughes offered an order designating the polling places.

BUILDING ORDINANCE.

Ex-Mayor Hall sent a communication inclosing a draft of a building ordinance. To Committee on Public Buildings and Ordinances.

PETITIONS.

A number of petitions for minor licenses were received and referred.

A petition was received from Sydney W. Odom for a drain to take care of the surface water on the west side of Independance avenue. To Committee on Streets.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Licenses reported on a number of petitions for minor licenses.

The Committee on Finance reported an order apportioning the sidewalk assessment of C. H. Johnson on Liberty street. Adopted.

The Committee on Finance reported an order authorizing the treasurer to refund to the tax collector $127, the amount paid the treasurer by error of Collector Baker. Ordered to a second reading.

The Committee on Finance reported an order refunding Willard Walsh a tax title of $73.59. To second reading.

The Committee on Finance reported ought not to pass on order refunding Harlow H. Rogers a tax title of $27.66.

SPEED OF STREET CARS.

The joint Committee on Streets and Ordinances reported an amendment to order regulating speed of street cars so that it would read 10 miles in City Square and 15 miles outside City Square. To Committee on Ordinances.

PUBLIC HEARING.

A public hearing was given on the petition of the Electric Light Co. for location of poles on a number of streets.

Treasurer Faxon of the company stated that these poles were to extend the street lighting system to replace gas street lamps.

Representative Fallon spoke in opposition to granting any locations for poles. He favored taxing the companies $25 for each pole, claiming they were getting too much for nothing.

E. J. Badger objected to the pole being located in front of the driveway to his residence on Park street.

Mr. Brigham objected to poles on Prospect avenue. The trees on this street were thick and a light would do no good without cutting the trees. He had rather have no light at all than have wires strung and the trees damaged.

Luther S. Anderson objected to the three poles on the Granite street end of Goffe street. These poles could be dispensed with if the wires were brought from Dimmock street.

Joseph C. Morse favored the locations on Goffe street as it was very important that the street be lighted.

The hearing then closed and the order was recommitted.

The Committee on Streets reported on the following petitions for street lights:

Ought not to pass, on petition for light on River street, 200 feet from Washington street. Accepted.

Ought not to pass on petition for lights on Brackett street. Accepted.

An order for an incandescent light on the corner of Elm and Mechanic streets and an incandescent on Washington street opposite residence of H. P. Tracy.

An order for a light on Winthrop avenue.

An order for a light on River street opposite Charles street.

An order for lights on Federal avenue.

The Committee on Streets reported an order for a public hearing, April 4, on petition of New England Telephone Co. to attach wires to poles of Electric Light Co. on Grand View avenue and Whalley road.

The engrossed order refunding the Workingman's Cooperative bond tax title of $22.56 was passed.

MOTIONS, ORDER, ETC.

Councilman Stone offered an order removing the pole on land of E. H. Lowe to corner of Washington and North street. To Committee on Streets.

NORTH PAYNE STREET.

Councilman Spargo presented a petition for the acceptance of North Payne street as a public way. To Committee on Streets.

SOUTH STREET SIDEWALK.

Councilman Stone offered an order for a gravel sidewalk on west side of South street, between Washington and East Howard streets, and on East Howard street from South street to Howard avenue. To Committee on Streets.

PROSPECT STREET GUTTERS.

Councilman Gearwar offered an order for $500 for paved gutters and granite edgestones on Prospect street. To Committee on Streets.

NEW HIGH SCHOOLHOUSE.

Councilman Hughes offered a resolution passed by the West Quincy Improvement Association favoring the purchase of the Lawton lot at South Quincy, and the erection of a High school building there. To joint Committee on Finance and Public Buildings.

Councilman Bass offered an order refunding Willard Walsh a tax title of $19.87. To Finance Committee.

COMPRESSED AIR PIPE.

The order granting John Thompson & Sons permission to run a compressed air pipe across Quarry street came up.

Councilman Bass asked if it could be suspended without supports being erected in the street.

Commissioner Knowlton—It is for petitioner to find out. No supports will be permitted in the streets.

Mayor Bryant—This is a permit the same as we grant the Telephone Co., to erect poles. Permission for running a pipe like this is usually granted by the Commissioner of Public Works and can be revoked at any time by him. It was an important matter. It was granting a permanent location.

Upon motion of Councilman Bass the order was referred to the Executive department.

The order refunding the Quincy Real Estate Trust $58.08, one half cost of brick sidewalk on Washington street, was advanced a stage.

Adjourned at 9.12 until April 4.

A CARD.

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—After a year of license, following fifty years of prohibition, Vermont shows a gratifying tendency to return to the old condition.—Somerville Journal.

SCHEDULE TIME.

Better Service Now Being Given by Street Railway.

The officials of the street railway and its many patrons are glad that the snow and ice have at last disappeared, and that cars on all lines are again running on schedule time. Patrons of the street cars have been inconvenienced many times the past winter, but considering what the cars have had to contend with people have been lucky to have any cars running.

The frequent falls of snow, the thaws and pools of water that have accumulated on the tracks have played havoc with the cars and the repair shop has been full of crippled cars most of the time.

As soon as the snow and ice began to disappear the officials began to return to schedule time, so that now cars are running with clock-like regularity on all lines. This is especially true of the long line through cars, such as the Brockton-Neponset and East Milton-Neponset lines. Cars on these lines are now running on good time.

The small box cars on the West Quincy line have been replaced with double truck cars, equipped with four motors, so that it is now possible to keep the cars on time.

An extra car has also been put on between Quincy and Neponset via Norfolk Downs, thus relieving the Brockton cars which have been making the Downs loop.

This gives a service of seven cars an hour, each way, between City Square and Neponset. Cars by the straight line leave the square at 10, 25, 40 and 55 minutes past the hour; via Wollaston at 7 and 37 past the hour, and via Norfolk Downs at 30 past the hour.

Cars on the East Weymouth line which have made their terminus in City Square now run to the depot. Good service has also been resumed on the Houghs Neck and other lines.

The officials of the street railway are fully as anxious to give patrons good and sufficient service as the patrons are to have it, and they propose from now on to maintain good service and run cars on schedule time.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

PURSUANT to the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by John Biesty to Joseph A. Harwood, dated April 13th, 1898, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, Lib. 813, Fol. 129, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the premises described in said mortgage, on WEDNESDAY, the thirtieth day of March, 1904, at 12 o'clock, noon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows, to wit:

"A certain parcel of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth aforesaid, and being Lot No. 111, on a plan of house lots on Cranch Hill, drawn by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, dated August, 1897, duly recorded with Norfolk plans, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Whitwell street at the southwesterly corner of lot No. 112 on said plan, and thence running in a northwesterly direction along said Whitwell street, sixty (60) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a northeasterly direction along lot No. 110 on said plan, one hundred and five (105) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a southeasterly direction along lot No. 118 on said plan, sixty (60) feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running in a southwesterly direction, along lot No. 112 on said plan, one hundred and five (105) feet to the point of beginning; containing 6300 square feet, and being the same premises conveyed to me by deed of John Swithin et als, Trustees, dated November 15th, 1897, and duly recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 803, Page 461, and subject to the restrictions therein contained."

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, outstanding tax titles, or assessments, if any, and also subject to said restrictions.

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Drift of Opinion.

☞There seems to be some doubt as to how the payment of that fifty millions on the Panama account will be practically made—whether, that is, any actual coin will be passed or be completed by the signing of a few drafts and bills of exchange. But there is no doubt whatever that the United States is the only country in the world just now that could pay that amount conveniently without borrowing a dollar.—Providence Journal.

☞A piece of rubber illustrates the industrial situation in which the welfare of labor and capital are both vitally concerned. Both have just now got a grip upon it and are pulling each its own way with tremendous power, to the very limit of the tension. Whether either loses its own grip and lets the rubber fly back beyond the normal centre to the other side, or whether, retaining its grip, it rends the rubber and destroys the industrial basis of prosperity, the event is disastrous. If each relaxes the tension, however, still keeping its grip upon its own end, but moving towards the other, the rubber settles back finally into normal conditions—no flying, no disturbing oscillations or worse. It doesn't pay to stretch the rubber too much on either end.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞Perhaps the secret of the long skirt has been at last revealed. One who ought to know proclaims that most women are pigeon-toed. For years women have persisted in wearing pavement-sweepers, without reason or excuse acceptable to the masculine mind. Not even the pavement is benefited. The trailing skirts stir sleeping microbes into action and to lodgement in ruffles and lingerie. By this means the bugs are carried into the homes, where they get busy in consumption, diphtheria, typhoid or other diseases. The world has wondered how women, so exquisite in taste in other things, could be guilty of this dangerous and nasty practice. But at last the secret is out. It is the pigeon-toes which women seek to hide with long skirts. Pride goeth hand-in-hand with the dirt and disease. Of course not all women with long skirts have pigeon-toes. But the pigeon-toed set the fashion, and with women fashion is absolute law. We are accustomed to the knowledge that our idols have feet of clay, but the tips that are not set on straight is new and illuminating. Much is now clear which before was unfathomable mystery.—Beverly Times.

☞Judge Emmons is of the opinion that the city of Boston contains 29,000 drunkards. That, too, out of 600,000 population, would be one in every 21 of the population. If we consider that Boston has any children—she has a few—we shall find that, leaving out the sick, the infantile and the police commisssoners, about every person in a dozen that you come to in Boston is a drunkard—not a mere drinking person, but a drunkard. Even if Judge Emmons means to include in his list of drunkards all who go from surrounding cities and towns to get liquor in Boston, he still claims a drunkard in every 40 or less of the people walking the Boston streets. And of that number, as we have said, are the children; then there are the elderly ladies—drundaads are they?—and the young women, at least a percentage of whom have managed to keep out of the police stations thus far; and the male prohibitionists, and the youths and maidens. Are many of these latter in the habit of going to the gutter, Judge Emmons? A clergyman is reported as saying that the real number of drunkards in Boston is nearer 59,000 than 29,000. That minister ought to do a few practice problems in mental arithmetic.—Brockton Enterprise.

Perhaps Judge Emmons means that a man is a drunkard several times during the year, or that on an average there are 809 drunkards per day.

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PLATT IS "LEADER"

Retains His Title, but Odell "Has Got the Goods"

CONFERENCE A COMEDY

As Chairman of State Committee the Governor Will Remove Head of Executive Committee --Depew Likely to Be Retired

New York, March 22.—Governor Odell started for Albany well satisfied with the result of the political gathering at the Fifth Avenue hotel. He said: "The only result of the conference that I can see is the unanimous opinion that I should take the chairmanship of the state committee. My friends have been urging me for some time to take the place, and Platt's friends joined in the request. As to my agreement to recognize Platt as the state leader, that is simply a repetition of what I have said all along. The senator is quite welcome to the title as long as he lives. It was also agreed that neither Platt nor I should takes sides in district fights. I have not taken sides in any instance, so I simply agreed to continue my present policy.

"If you will sum up the result of the conference, therefore, you will find that it amounts to a unanimous declaration that I should take the state chairmanship, and I will take it. It will not interfere at all with my duties as governor. I may add that if it will please Senator Platt to have an announcement made every month that he is still the state leader I won't object at all. I have never cared for the title."

The governor tried to look serious while he was talking, but it was evident that he regarded the conference as a comedy. That is the way it is regarded by nearly all the Fifth Avenue hotel politicians. Edward Lauterbach expressed the general sentiment when he said: "The governor has got the goods, Platt has the title. The governor is satisfied; so is Platt; so are we all; now let the harmony band begin to play."

The fact is that the situation is in no way changed. For a year or more Platt has grown restless every month and insisted that there should be some sort of proclamation that he is the state leader. The statement given out after the conference was only one of these proclamations. All th politicians recognize the fact that Odell is the real leader of the party in this state and it is considered a good joke that Platt strengthened Odell's position by getting his friends to call on the governor to take the state chairmanship, thus making him the choice of the whole organization, and making certain his acceptance of the proposition.

The governor has decided finally on one thing, namely, that William Barnes, Jr., chairman of the state executive committee, must go. It was Barnes who stirred Platt to this latest outbreak. Barnes hoped to become state chairman himself. It was reported in yesterday's papers that after the conference the governor assured Senator Depew publicly that he was not opposed to his (Depew's) re-election to the United States senate. On this point the governor said: "I gave no such assurance. When Depew came to me as the representative of the Platt conference and made his little speech he said nothing about the senatorship and I said nothing. That report is all wrong." It may be mentioned here that the governor himself is likely to take Depew's place in the senate.

A Sliding Cash Scale

Havana, March 22.—The mayor of Havana has obtained an agreement with some of the employers to pay American money to the workmen employed in Havana harbor who are now receiving their wages in Spanish gold and to pay Spanish gold to those who are now getting Spanish silver. The men are inclined to accept this solution, but the more important employers consider the demands unwarranted.

An Alleged Bribe Taker

New York, March 22.—Michael O'Sullivan, a former deputy tax commissioner, was arrested here on a charge of accepting a reward to secure public employment. It is charged that Eric Erickson gave O'Sullivan $200 on the latter's representation that he would have Erickson's name placed on the eligible list for appointment to the police force.

Piper's Report Unheeded

Chicago, March 22.—No official action will be taken on the report of Captain Piper of New York on conditions in the Chicago police force unless the charges against individual officers are made under oath and the witnesses agree to testify. Mayor Harrison has made a statement to this effect.

Oom Paul Gets a Fortune

Paris, March 22.—Former President Kruger of the Transvaal, who is residing at Mentone, has inherited a small fortune left to him by Charles Chabossean, a schoolteacher of Ste Bazeille, who was an ardent admirer of the Boers.

Payne In Need of Rest

Washington, March 22.—Postmaster General Payne is still very weak. As soon as he is strong enough to stand the journey, if the advice of his physician be followed, Payne will leave the city for a complete rest.

GREETED BY STUDENTS

Proof of Esteem In Which President of Harvard Is Held

Cambridge, Mass., March 22.—The graduates and undergraduates of Harvard university united in observing the 70th birthday of President Eliot, as well as the completion of his 35 years as head of the university.

Following the gift by the faculty on Sunday of a silver loving cup, the graduates sent him an engrossed address extending congratulations, which was presented at a mass meeting of the students of the university in the Harvard Union, where, at the same time, he was informed that the students had subscribed $5000 for a portrait of himself and Mrs. Eliot, to be hung in the union. In addition, President Eliot received congratulatory meassages from persons prominent in the educational, literary, political and business life of the world.

In responding to the address, which was headed by President Roosevelt and signed by nearly 10,000 Harvard students, President Eliot's voice faltered, and he seemed at a loss for words. Recovering himself, he spoke of the happiness of the past two days, of which the meeting, he said, was the climax, and that he had been overwhelmed by the expressions of affection.

Previous to the presentation of the address President Eliot held a reception on the platform of the Harvard Union, where more than 1000 Harvard men, nearly all under-graduates, had an opportunity of grasping his hand.

HE WANTED $750,000

Persistent Requests of Insane Man Land Him In an Asylum

Taunton, Mass., March 22.—Ernest H. Waldron, 22 years old, of Dighton, was committed to the Taunton insane asylum on a complaint of Representative Paull of this city, whom he has annoyed considerably during the past few weeks by requesting his support to several radical measures which he wished adopted by the legislature.

Mr. Paull, after listening for some time to Waldron's requests to modify the law on inheritances and also on a claim that the state owed him $500,000, complained to the selectmen of Dighton, with the result that Waldron was placed in charge of one of the town authorities. He eluded his caretaker and appeared at the state house in Boston, where he increased his claim to $750,000 and became so insistent that Paull called upon the state police and had Waldron taken back to Taunton.

He was examined by Judge Fox as to his sanity and after a brief hearing was committed to the asylum.

Many Weavers Disappointed

New Bedford, Mass., March 22.—More than 200 of the 500 weavers at the Dartmouth Cotton mills who struck last month against an obnoxious order to scrub floors, were turned away when they reported for work. The strikers, not having obtained the sanction and support of the United Textile Workers of America, decided to abandon their fight against the big corporation, and apply for reinstatement. Agent Langshaw engaged many non-union weavers during the strike and he declined to discharge the new employes. All the looms at the mills are running, and it is understood that none of those now out will be re-engaged until vacancies occur.

Master Bakers Keep Agreement

Boston, March 22.—Bread has gone up by inversion, in accordance with a vote of the Master Bakers' association. What the master bakers seek to accomplish is an increase in their profit, and, instead of doing this by charging a higher price for an established quantity of bread, they reduced the quantity and retained the prevailing price. Technically speaking, the bakers are no longer selling any "loaves," the weight of which is determined by law, nor half "loaves," but they call them "three-quarters" and "one-quarter" loaves, and compromise on the weight.

Failed For Quarter of a Million

Bridgeport, Conn., March 22.—At a meeting of creditors interested in the bankruptcy proceedings of Elmore D. Alvord of South Norwalk, counsel for the bankrupt stated that the only assets from which anything seems likely to be realized consist of real estate worth about $500. Alvord's liabilities are estimated at $250,000. He is said to have been interested in real estate ventures which have also led to the bankruptcy of two other men.

March
April May

There is a best time for doing everything—that is, a time when a thing can be done to the best advantage, most easily and most effectively. Now is the best time for purifying your blood. Why? Because your system is now trying to purify it—you know this by the pimples and other eruptions that have come on your face and body.

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CITY BREVITIES.

League bowling tomorrow night.

Chester Jones of Tufts '08, visited friends in this city Sunday.

The date of the High school concert will be Thursday evening, April 7.

The public schools and the Woodward Institute close tomorrow for the spring holidays.

The Ladies' Aid society will give a whist party in G. A. R. hall on Wednesday evening.

The Merrymount Golf club will have a tournament May 21, and the Wollaston club one May 28.

On Friday evening at 7.45 the regular prayer and praise service will be held in the Wollaston Baptist chapel.

The annual supper and meeting of the parish of the Point church will be held in the church vestry on Thursday evening.

Frank Newcomb, who passed the winter in Brockton, has returned to Quincy Point, where he expects to remain for sometime.

Beware of stranger who asks if your next door neighbor is at home. It would be well to tell them that they probably are at home.

On Wednesday the Ladies' Benevolent society of Wollaston will meet with Mrs. Fleming at 2.30 o'clock at her residence on Winthrop avenue.

Thomas Parker left Monday afternoon for his home in Philadelphia. He has made many friends during his short stay here and will be greatly missed by them.

The young men of Mr. Frank Page's and Mr. Walter Parker's Sunday School classes have used the money made at their recent entertainment to pay for putting electric light into the Wollaston Unitarian vestry.

The Italy of America.

Perhaps the one element of the climate of the Rocky mountain region that impresses the newcomer most deeply and also most pleasantly is that of the abundance of sunshine. In this particular, both in winter and in summer alike, this is not only the Italy of America; it outshines Italy and equals northern Egypt.

Colorado Springs and Manitou average 340 sunshiny days in a year—that is, nearly 93 per cent of their daylight is bright sunshine. While they have twenty-five cloudy days, Chicago has 114, New York 103 and Asheville 106. And equally important is the fact that the shortest days of winter will afford eight hours of sunshine. Contrast this with the four and a half hours, the most you can hope to gain, in the celebrated valley of Davos, Switzerland. Salt Lake City averages 315 days bright and clear.—World Today.

Lying at Poker.

A man who would scorn to tell a lie anywhere else does not hesitate to do it at the poker table, which accounts for the big stories we hear now and then about losses or winnings. It is a common practice for habitual players in clubs to multiply the value of their chips by 100 so that their gains or losses are multiplied accordingly. The usual size of the club game is $5 limit, all jack pots, with $1 to come in. When a player throws in a white he says, "I'll bet a hundred." When it is red he says, "I'll bet you 200," and when a blue, "I'll bet you 500." The casual listener, hearing this talk, goes away convinced that the baby game is a million dollar limit.—New York Press.

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☞Rev. Peter McQueen, the popular preacher, noted traveller and interesting lecturer, will give the fourth lecture (illustrated with 150 views) in the Quincy Point lecture course, on the "Great Servian Tragedy" next Wednesday evening, March 23, at eight o'clock at the Washington street Congregational church. Mr. McQueen saw King Peter and talked with the leading men of Belgrade. He went carefully over the scene of the tragedy and got the personal story of Alexander and Draga from the secretary of the late king. He also talked with the conspirators. Views of Siberia, Manchuria, Korea and Japan will also be given. Tickets 25 cents. 2t

☞Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

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Miss Witter—I know you are.

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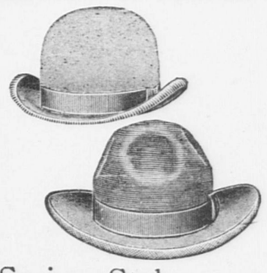
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TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
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r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 23	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	afc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
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r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 23	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	afc	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
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r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 16	dba	5 36 r
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r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
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r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 54	abcdefghi	10 04	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

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MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6.21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

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FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to Feb. 20th, 1904.

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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.00, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.50, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M. then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 8.10 A. M. then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.30 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

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Her Newspapers Making Hosts of Fresh Enemies Every Week --War Will Cut Out Russia's Corruption of Bureaucracy

New York, March 22.—Under the title, "The War and After," Henry Norman, M. P., discusses the probable after-effects of the Russian-Japanese war in the forthcoming number of The World's Work. He says that it is most important that one fact should be clearly realized, that "it is a fight for the control of China. Korea and Manchuria are subordinate or indirect issues. The real object is predominant influence in Pekin, bringing with it the ultimate domination of the far east and in the future the headship of all the Asiatic races."

He points out the probability of war in the near east and England's peril from such an event, and says: "Already the flames of hostility to England are visible almost everywhere in Europe—a manifestation which is not at all surprising in view of the language of so much of the London press. From the highest to the lowest, moderation of language, respect for the feelings of other nations, and a sense of responsibility, appear to have vanished from many newspaper offices. Denunciation of Russia is as extravagant as adulation of Japan is exaggerated, and both are making England a host of fresh enemies every week. For all this a day of reckoning will surely come, for the passion roused against England will have reached its climax when—if this happens—Russia has practically evacuated Manchuria, and Japan, unable to continue a ruinous struggle of indefinite duration, requests the powers to recognize the retrocession of Manchuria to China and to decree the end of the war. Then England is likely to learn the result of her Asiatic alliance, for it is the universal conviction that it was the Anglo-Japanese treaty which rendered war in the far east both possible and probable.

"In conclusion I will venture upon one prophecy, namely, that the result of this war will be for Russia a blessing in disguise. The policy of expansion everywhere, at any cost and by any method, whether of arms or of diplomacy, together with its authors and upholders, will be discredited. The canker at the heart of Russia—the corruption of her bureaucracy—will be cut out. The statesmen who desire to curtail military expenditure and to encourage Russian production and commerce will come back to power. The czar will brush aside opposition to the ideals of humanity and peace that he cherishes."

Miners May Precipitate Fight

Denver, March 22.—The committee representing the miners expelled from Telluride by an organization of business men has abandoned the attempt to appeal to the governor for protection after trying in vain to obtain an audience with him. The members of the committee have departed for Ouray, where the deported men are making preparations to march to Telluride, accompanied by an armed escort provided by several miners' unions. As the citizens who drove the miners out of Telluride declare that they will not be permitted to return, a pitched battle may occur.

Brooklyn's Jackies In Trouble

Pensacola, Fla., March 22.—The cruiser Brooklyn, which sailed from San Juan, P. R., several days ago, has arrived in port and begun coaling. Reports from the ship are to the effect that considerable disorder occurred there Sunday night, the men stating that they were given only one piece of hard tack for supper, though they had to coal the ship the following day. The trouble was averted by the officers taking prompt and vigorous measures.

Disapproval Motion Rejected

London, March 22.—Chinese labor in the Transvaal was debated during the entire session of the house of lords last evening on a motion of Lord Coleridge (Liberal), that "this house disapproves of the importation of Chinese laborers into the Transvaal under the recent ordinance, until that country has been granted a full, representative government." The motion was rejected by a vote of 97 to 25.

France In Need of Soldiers

Montreal, March 22.—French residents of Canada who are subject to military duty in France have received orders to return to the mother country at once for garrison duty. The call has caused great surprise and not a little excitement among them.

Promise of Good Seal Fishery

St. Johns, March 22.—Six vessels of the sealing fleet have been sighted killing seals off the northern coast. Prospects for the seal fishery are believed to be good, a number of seals also being taken along the seaboard.

A Crooked Ticket Scalper

Buffalo, March 22.—Charles H. Callahan, a ticket scalper, convicted of forging transportation tickets, was sentenced to prison for not less than one year and not more than three years.

RELEASE ORDERED

Supreme Court Decision Regarding Deportation of Chinese

Washington, March 22.—The supreme court of the United States has reversed the decision of the district court for the eastern district of New York in the cases of three Chinamen who are held in Brooklyn for deportation under the Chinese exclusion laws. The Chinamen have been in the United States for from 10 to 30 years and were charged with failure to produce certificates in accordance with the exclusion law. The court directed the lower court to discharge the men.

Boston, March 22.—The decision handed down in the United States supreme court in reference to the Chinese in Brooklyn who were charged with being in the United States unlawfully, was received with special interest in Boston.

At the present time there are about 165 Chinese held under similar charges in this city. In October more than 250 were arrested and only about half of this number were able to produce their certificates. Thirty have been ordered deported and are now awaiting the result of an appeal in their cases. Forty more are awaiting trial, while some others are held on perjury charges growing out of the cases. Among the number now held several are in jail, not having secured bondsmen.

Remarkable Target Work

Washington, March 22.—A private letter from an officer on board the Kearsarge gives the following record made by that battleship in her target practice just completed at Pensacola: One 13-inch gun made six hits out of seven shots in 5m. 20s. An 8-inch gun made 10 hits out of 10 shots in 5m. 20s. and a 5-inch gun made 18 hits out of 18 shots in 2m. At the navy department this record is declared to be the best ever made by an American warship and as far as the officials know it has not been equalled in any foreign navy.

Congressman Turned Down

Washington, March 22.—Mr. Hepburn offered a resolution in the house reciting statements by Representative Baker of New York, contained in the congressional record, reflecting on the integrity and honor of Mr. Babcock of Wisconsin, and providing that they be expunged from the record. Baker did not deliver the remarks on the floor of the house, but had them inserted in the record under a leave to print. The resolution was adopted. Baker sought to explain his action, but Speaker Cannon refused to recognize him.

Hailstones Large as Hen's Eggs

Kansas City, March 22.—A dispatch from Higginsville says 50 buildings were partly wrecked, one man mortally wounded and several others hurt, as the result of a tornado which swept over the town last night. The streets are strewn with debris. The hail on the streets was a foot deep within five minutes after the storm began and some of the stones were as large as hen eggs. Several horses were killed on the street.

Meeting of Sully Creditors

New York, March 22.—After conferences of creditors of the assigned firm of Daniel J. Sully & Co., lasting several hours, it was announced that no definite settlement had been arrived at. It was said that Sully had made a proposition to his creditors to settle, contingent upon the acceptance of which he had offered to give them their choice of assignees, but that this proposal failed of immediate approval and that another meeting would be held.

White House Work Criticised

Washington, March 22.—Consideration in the senate of the bill providing for the purchase of a site and the erection of a building for the government departments was made the occasion for adverse criticism of the architect who planned the White House offices. Messrs. Teller and Hale led the charge on the architect and Mr. Newlands defended him.

Hart Failed to Show Up

Philadelphia, March 22.—Marvin Hart failed to put in an appearance at the Lenox Athletic club for his six-round bout with Gus Ruhlin, arranged for last night. Jack McCormick, the missing pugilist's manager, said he and Hart had travelled together from Hot Springs to Chicago, where they separated to take different routes to Philadelphia.

No Damages For "Deadheads"

Washington, March 22.—Persons travelling on railroads cannot secure damages in case of accident when they ride on passes, according to a decision reached by the United States supreme court. The decision went to the extent of applying the principle to such passengers who are not familiar with the contract usually printed on the back of passes.

Would Impeach Swain

Washington, March 22.—The house committee on the judiciary voted to impeach Judge Charles Swayne, federal judge for the district of Florida. The details of the charges which will form the ground of impeachment the committee agreed to withhold until the report of the case has been completed for presentation to the house.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The Sheffield Scientific school at Yale is to have a big electrical plant sufficiently large to light all of the new, as well as the old buildings, in connection with the school.

Martin Shalley, aged 32, a well-to-do farmer of Sheffield, Mass., while working in a field fell from a load of hay and broke his neck.

ATTITUDE OF CHINA

Russia Has Some Doubt as to Professions of Neutrality

St. Petersburg, March 22.—In government circles there exists a strong belief that the question as to whether China will observe her neutrality undertakings will depend largely on the result of the first heavy land fighting. A big victory by the Russian army, it is believed, will ensure the acquiescence of the celestial empire, but there are grave fears as to what might happen in the event of a signal Japanese success in the early stages of the land operations.

For the time being the situation appears to be satisfactory. The natives manifest a friendlier disposition than they did at the beginning of the war, but the Russians know the Oriental character as no other Europeans do. They understand how deep-seated is the hatred of foreigners in China, and the only prestige of the Russians is their strong arm.

The recent naval success of the Japanese has not greatly impressed the Chinese, but if the Russians should sustain a really disastrous defeat on land the Chinese might suddenly be aroused, whether with the connivance or even with the consent of the Japanese, against Russia, and perhaps against all foreigners.

Russia's present plans are based on the appreciation of the supreme importance of the first land battle, and no fighting on a large scale will take place, if it possibly can be avoided, until the Russians feel morally certain that they can deal the enemy a crushing blow.

Not Courting Decisive Fight

St. Petersburg, March 22.—General Zhilinski's official confirmation of the report that the Russian outposts abandoned Anju upon the approach of the Japanese in force causes no surprise here, as such action is in perfect accord with the Russian plan of campaign. The Russian skirmishers are thrown forward solely for the purpose of harrassing and worrying the Japanese outposts, falling back as the main body of the enemy moves forward until the strong positions at the Yalu river are reached. The nature of the 50 miles of country between Anju and the Yalu river renders the movement of a large force very difficult. There may be some lively skirmishing as the Japanese advance progresses, but the Russians are resolved to avoid a decisive engagement until certain of a victory.

Easter Eggs For Fighters

St. Petersburg, March 22.—A train conveying the Easter souvenirs prepared by Grand Duchess Constantine for the Russian sailors has left for the far east. On board was a special basket containing 13 eggs sent by the empress for distribution among the men defending the fortifications at Port Arthur who have most distinguished themselves.

Diplomats Decorated

Seoul, March 22.—Marquis Ito has been decorated with the Order of the Plum Blossom, usually given only to royalty. United States Minister Allen and Japanese Minister Hayashi have received decorations of the first class of Pai Kuk. Minister Allen's decoration was conferred in recognition of his valuable counsel and long intimacy with the emperor.

Possibly a Naval Battle

Yin Kow, March 22.—Firing was heard off the coast, apparently about six miles to the southward, 14 shots having been heard during a half hour yesterday. The weather was hazy and it was impossible to distinguish objects at sea. A credible report has reached here that two cruisers and five gunboats were off Kin Chow.

American Officer Held Up

Seoul, March 22.—The Japanese have stopped Brigadier General Allen, formerly chief of the Philippine constabulary and now United States military observer with the Japanese army, at Ping Yang, requesting him not to proceed nearer their outposts.

Red Cross Trains Delayed

Irkutsk, Siberia, March 22.—Eighteen trains bearing goods of the Red Cross society have been held up to allow military trains to go through. It is estimated that 4000 men are reaching Manchuria daily.

Deals Regarding Morocco

Madrid, March 22.—The foreign minister confirms the statement that negotiations are proceeding between Great Britain and France with a view to the conclusion of a treaty concerning Morocco, and says that an agreement will also be made with Spain which will be favorable to Spanish interests in Morocco.

Great Acquisition of Y M C A

New York, March 22.—What is believed to be the largest and best equipped Y. M. C. A. building in the world was dedicated last night in Twenty-Third street. The building cost $860,000 and is planned to take care of 60,000 men. It will require $60,000 a year to maintain the building.

Cooper In Command

Washington, March 22.—A cable message from Rear Admiral Cooper at Hong Kong says that he has assumed command of the Asiatic station. Rear Admiral Evans, who has just relinquished command of the station, will start for home March 25.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Wednesday, March 23.

Sun rises—5:43; sets—6.

Moon sets—12:02 a. m.

High water—3:15 a. m.; 3:45 p. m.

General rains have fallen east of the Mississippi except in New England. Rain is indicated for New England. It will be warmer.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

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PERT PARAGRAPHS.

Still you would hardly think that Washington would have been so frivolous as to have a birthday.

The rejected lover is in contempt of court.

Did you ever see a self made man on whom you did not think you could have improved had you been given the contract?



The sphinx is certainly masculine or it could not have kept the secret so long.

A loan shark can swallow bigger articles than Jonah ever pretended to be.

Spring poetry is sold by wait. The author has to wait for a publisher.

Perhaps it is better to have loved and lost on account of the experience that you will be able to make good use of the next time you fall in love.

Sometimes when reading Mark Twain you think he should be six or eight.

A crow in the hand is not worth two hens in the bush.

A hungry man will trade his chances for the presidency for a meal ticket.

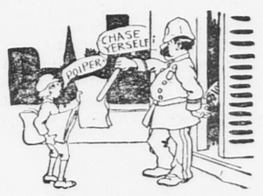
A hard winter doesn't seem so to the coal man.

When a man's object in life is to make you rich, shake him at the first corner.

A war correspondent likes to have the facts, not necessarily to use, but that he may know what is going on.

In keeping a secret it is not wise to have too much help.

Don't play cards with a bartender, because he is strong on the draw.



When a man is handed money and told to ask no questions, he does not consider it polite to be inquisitive.

Some of the flying machine men would be more successful if they could get congress to repeal the law of gravitation.

Saving Money.

The money that we spend for trash
Or lightly throw away
Would buy us several meals of hash
When comes the rainy day.
When we are on the downward track,
The victim of the plot,
We wish we had the nickel back
We pushed into the slot.

To save your money in your mind
Does not require much force,
But it is on the test you find
Another colored horse.
You figure many empty joys
Are not worth the expense,
But when you get out with the boys,
Pull, goes your thirty cents.

Ah, could we lay aside, say, half
Of what by toil we earn,
We could at rainy seasons laugh
And have a wad to burn.
But, no, we have to paint things red
With every cent we get,
And so before the week has sped
We're like as not in debt.

Could our desires be held at bay,
Our whims and fancies, too,
So that about one meal a day
And any rags would do,
Our poverty, like wool, would shrink,
And we would get ahead,
And then again perhaps you think
We might as well be dead.

She Had Improved.

"That mare was bred in old Kentucky," said the admiring stranger.

"Well, she is pie in New Orleans," said the man who had placed his money on the horse that came in three lengths ahead of her.

Theory and Practice.

In theory it is easy
To jump right out of bed
And shave and dress yourself, oh, yes,
So somewhere I have read;
To get out in the morning air
And take a walk around the square.

In practice it is different.
In bed I'd rather lie
And stretch my toes and have a doze
And let the moments fly.
No odds what sages may advise,
I'll get up when I have to rise.

A Few of Them Left.

"All of our great humorists appear to be dead."

"Oh, I don't know. There are the government weather forecasters."

Doubtful Advantage.

In counting what the races cost
And sizing up your minus haul,
Although you try,
You can't see why
'Tis better to have played and lost
Than never to have played at all.

Refused to Tell.

"Why is he called the unspeakable Turk?"

"My dear, the reasons are unprintable."

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A DEAL IN ANTIQUES.

The Way a London Dealer Fooled an American Millionaire.

The ways of the dealer in antiques are too often as dark as those of the heathen Chinee in the poem, and it is very hard to get the best of a really wideawake member of the trade. A certain dealer in London, having a number of alleged Chippendale chairs for sale, approached a well known nobleman and succeeded in selling the set for $5,000 to the latter. Later on the purchaser, being informed that the chairs were "faked," wrote to the dealer and demanded his money back.

The wily dealer wrote back a hurt and offended letter to his patron, protesting that his honesty had been impugned, but to show his good faith he would be willing to pay 1,000 guineas to get the chairs back. So it was done, and within a very few hours the nobleman's receipt for that amount was being held under the nose of an American millionaire as proof that the chairs had been bought from that well known collector, Lord ——. Of course the dealer must have his profit, and the American millionaire finally handed over a check for $12,500 and carried his bargain triumphantly across the Atlantic.—Kansas City Independent.

DOG WATCHES.

Four Different Theories as to the Origin of the Term.

Four distinct explanations have been given of the origin of the term "dog watch." One, which commends itself as probable in the mouth of a sailor, is that it is really the "dodge" watches, two short watches from 4 to 6 and from 6 to 8, introduced so that the crews may get a continual change of hours of duty and each man have only his fair share in the small hours of the morning.

Others maintain that the dog watches take their title from the fact that they are short and fitful in character, so that the phrase is akin to a dog sleep.

Admiral Boys, in a lecture at the United Service institution in London in 1889, remarked that he believed dog watches are so called because dogs are at times employed on shipboard, as in the army, for keeping watch as scouts or sentinels.

Others connect it with the Scandinavian dagmalastad, a day watch, corrupted into dog.

Theodore Hook wittily explained dog watches to be watches that are curtailed.—London Standard.

Success Easier Than Failure.

The principles that win success are very simple and few in number. They are easily remembered. Here they are: First, industry, but not overwork; second, willingness to profit by the experience of others; third, ability, coupled with modesty; fourth, simple and correct habits; fifth, honesty, politeness and fairness. Any one of ordinary ability who practices these rules cannot avoid success. Success is easier than failure.—Atchison Globe.

A Guarded Admission.

"You would be glad enough to marry me if I had plenty of money!" exclaimed the impecunious young man preparing to go.

"No," she said, with a dreamy sigh. "I should hate awfully to have to marry you, but if you had plenty of money I might."—Chicago Tribune.

Pedigree.

"Pedigree in a dog makes him valuable, doesn't it?"

"Certainly."

"Funny, isn't it?"

"What's funny?"

"Why, it's my experience that pedigree makes a man pretty darn worthless."—Chicago Post.

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LIKE MAY NOT WED LIKE.

Eldest Sons Not Allowed to Marry Eldest Daughters In Japan.

According to old and established custom in Japan, the eldest child, whether male or female, must under all circumstances abide at and inherit the home. By this means a continuous succession is assured, and the estates cannot pass into the hands of strangers.

From this arrangement it follows of necessity that no eldest child can marry and live with an eldest child of the opposite sex. When an heiress weds, her husband must assume the family name.

A similar custom prevails in certain families among the people of the Basque provinces, in the north of Spain. An eldest son among them is not allowed to marry an eldest daughter if both are firstborn.

In this case, too, the husband of any eldest daughter takes up his residence under his wife's roof and adopts her name, which is thus transmitted to their children.

A Quaint Species of Crow.

In his subsection on "modifications" of types of birds and animals Sir John Lubbock cites what is newest and most marvelous. He tells us of a particular crow in New Zealand where the male and female differ widely as to the structure of their bills. The male bird has a bill, stout and strong, adapted to cutting and digging into the tree, but he is deficient in that horny pointed tongue which would permit him to pierce the grub and draw it out. The hen bird has, however, an elongated and straight bill, "and when the cock has dug down to the burrow the hen inserts her long bill and draws out the grub, which they divide between them—a very pretty illustration of the wife as a helpmate to the husband."

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	47	34	74	65	39
Monday,	47	43	48	44	52
Tuesday,	45	38	47	43	58
Wednesday,	—	41	45	58	49
Thursday,	—	39	57	39	40
Friday,	—	40	58	37	46
Saturday,	—	48	53	48	48

New Advertisements Today.

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Administrator's Notice.
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NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Beware of pickpockets at the Dudley street transfer station.

Miss E. B. Collins will hold her Easter millinery opening on Friday and Saturday of this week.

Employees of the Street department are "picking up" the ice on the west side of Hancock street.

The local station of the Tabard Inn has been moved from Hearn's drug store to Williams jewelry store.

Considerable ice lingers on the Chestnut street side of Bethany church where the sun's rays seldom fall.

The Christian Endeavor society of Bethany church held a social in the chapel Monday evening, and enjoyed a good time.

The Consolidated fish market is a good place to get fresh fish; at the stand formerly occupied by Charles H. Brooks.

John Beercroft an aged sailor, at Snug Harbor, passed away this morning at the age of 65. He was a native of England.

Wonder if any Quincy people got onto Midland division trains at the Boston South terminal this week. They go out now on track 17.

An Easter apron and fancy article sale will be held in Memorial church Wednesday afternoon and evening. Ices will be for sale.

Mr. William Edwards of Greenleaf street, who was operated upon for appendicitis at the Quincy City Hospital Monday afternoon, is resting comfortably today.

The rear axle of Dr. Jones automobile broke while he was riding on Hancock street Monday afternoon. The machine was going slowly at the time and was quickly stopped.

The last lecture in the Alliance course is to be given this evening in the chapel of First church at half-past seven o'clock by Mrs. Lawrance. Her subject will be Japan.

The funeral of Mrs. Grace D. Elkins was held Monday afternoon from her late residence on Edison park. Services were conducted by Rev. Leon H. Austin. The choir of the Washington Street Congregational church rendered selections and Mrs. George K. Carter sang two solos. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at Mt. Wollaston, and will later be taken to Alfred, Me., for burial.

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RECIPROCITY.

President Mellen of N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Urges It with Canada.

The recent official reorganization of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, as a result of which that property was handed over to the care of practical railroad men, has attracted much attention in financial and railroad circles. For the greater part of its life a provincial corporation, managed with extreme conservatism, it is today giving signs of taking its place among the progressive roads of the country.

This is due in a large degree to the selection of a man for president who is by training a railroad expert, Charles S. Mellen. Mr. Mellen, is a man of iron constitution. As he has stated in public speech, he has never seen the time when he has had more to do than he could take care of. He is not a man of many words. If he has emotions, they do not appear in the course of a conversation which turns about the policy of the road. Offhand questions he wards off. He wants to see the question before him, where he can study it with the imperturbability which he would show if it was a new device for coupling trains. Reduced to writing, it confronts him as a proposition in railroad mathematics would.

He holds himself first as the servant of the road, but he never leaves out of consideration the great public. He said in a speech to the business men of Hartford, who were anxious to take his measure, that the day had gone by when a railroad could afford to defy public opinion. This remark, made in the city where for years the road had been active in the pursuit of unpopularity, was a revelation of the future in store for the public.

President Mellen has been quick to note a falling off in New England trade the past winter. He says in a Herald interview:

About Jan. 1 a condition confronted me which required immediate action, and that condition was a very serious falling off in the receipts of the company, both from passengers and freight.

"I waited for some time, hoping the falling off would be only temporary, that there would be a recovery after the severe weather had passed, but after waiting about three weeks I found there was no apparent recovery in sight and was forced to reduce the expenses by the discharge of employes and by holding up work that had been recommended.

"In such discharges as were made the agreements of the company with its employes were strictly lived up to and every exertion was made to make the burden as light as possible. It was more for this reason than any other that the hours of labor were shortened in the shops rather than a discharge of men made, as would have been necessary otherwise."

"Undoubtedly, reciprocal trade relations with Canada would increase the business of the New England States and whatever increases the business of those states would improve the general business situation."

President Mellen will be active in the development of New England, and has plans to keep the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. up to date. Among the possibilities are: an independent terminal in New York, and electricity as a motive power.

—Mayflowers have made their appearance at Onset Bay.

DIED.

McKENZIE—In Quincy, March 21, William H., son of Mr. Stewart and Mrs. Eliza McKenzie of 148 Granite street, aged 4 months and 27 days.

HALL—In Neponset, March 22, Mrs. Elizabeth M., wife of Mr. George L. Hall, aged 62 years and 8 months.
Funeral from late residence, 571 Freeport street, Thursday, March 24, at 1.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

BEECROFT—In Quincy, March 22, at Snug Harbor, Mr. John Beecroft, aged about 65 years.

GRAHAM—In Milton, March 21, Mr. John Graham of Centre street, formerly of West Quincy, aged 48 years.

RUSSELL—In Holbrook, March 21, Mrs. Margaret Russell, daughter of Mr. John Hanifer, 28 years.

GARDNER—In Holbrook, March 20, Mrs. Louise A., wife of Mr. Frank Gardner, aged 70 years.

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SUDDEN DEATH.

John Graham of Milton Drops Dead Near His Home.

Mr. Graham, a well known resident of Milton, died suddenly at his home on Centre street Monday noon. Mr. Graham had been ailing for several days, but no serious results were anticipated, and he was out doors when struck by death.

Mr. Graham has taken an active interest in Milton town affairs for several years, as well as State and National politics, and served for a number of years on the Republican town committee.

His trade was that of a granite cutter which he followed until a few years ago at West Quincy. He gave up that business to accept the janitorship of the Belcher school at East Milton.

A year ago he resigned that position to accept a position as superintendent of the town cemetery, which position he held at his death.

Aside from this he was a year ago elected one of the board of Water Commissioners of Milton.

He was a member of Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows, of Quincy, being one to join at the reinstitution in March 1884. He was also a member of the Thursday Evening club at East Milton, and prominently identified with the Mission of Our Saviour church.

He leaves a widow and three daughters. One daughter is the wife of J. E. Quimby, the East Milton druggist. The second daughter was recently married to Mr. Arnold. The youngest daughter lives at home, and is engaged to Mr. Edward Hodges of this city.

Furnace Brook Parkway.

Representative Fallon says the Furnace Brook parkway from the Blue Hills Reservation to Adams street will all be built this year. This is good news for West Quincy.

Town River Bridge.

At the Town river bridge hearing the other day at the State House, on petition of Peter T. Fallon, Mr. Fallon, T. J. Lamb, H. T. Whitman and John F. Merrill appeared in favor. The only remonstrant was Henry M. Faxon, the owner of land in the vicinity.

TODAY'S COURT.

Jeremiah Smith was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Secallia Nazallia was arraigned for threatening to assault Caroline Nazallia at Quincy. Case continued until April 2.

A Nuisance.



Gertie—Uncle Charles, what should you call Mr. Crossbar—a trombone player or a trombonist?
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THE BULL'S EYE.

How the Center of the Target Came to Be So Named.

Why is the target's bull's eye so called?

This is one of many instances in our language where words have gained a higher status than that with which they started and have been promoted from the slang dictionary to the dictionary of words of respectable and current use.

Bull's eye is found in the dictionary of "The Canting Crew" so far back as 1690 and was the vulgar word for the central ring of the target used as a mark for archers, which was colored differently from the other rings. This may have arisen from the ancient rounded shields, cut out of ox hide and strengthened with a spike or central boss for this shield or target; hence target was often used as a mark itself.

When sheet glass began to be manufactured the thickened part, where the tube had been attached, was called the bull's eye. Then this term was successively applied to a lens of glass, especially in a ship's side, to the lens of the lantern, to the lantern itself and finally to the central boss of a target.—London Answers.

RED LETTER DAYS.

The Origin of Thus Designating Notable Occasions.

The origin of a "red letter day" has been traced back to the third century Gregory, bishop of Cæsarea, zealous for the conversion of pagans, found them unwilling to give up their customary recreations at the festivals of their gods, so, taking a leaf out of their book, he instituted festivals in honor of saints and martyrs.

This example soon led to the institution of holy days, now corrupted into holidays. In old almanacs all such holy days were set forth in red ink, the rest being in black; hence the term "red letter day" for any notable occasion.

Others say that the origin of the expression is much more recent and is due to the fact that saints' day, the 5th of November, the king's birthday and accession and King Charles' day were similarly marked off in red as holidays for the Bank of England, evidently in the times of the later Stuarts.—London Telegraph.

Sudden Awakening.

That it is bad for the heart to be waked up suddenly in the morning is the contention of a certain writer, who bases his opinion on the fact that to be suddenly awakened from sound sleep sends a great rush of blood to the heart, thus overtaxing and straining it. People whose business necessitates their being awakened early have long suspected the practice of being an evil one and have tried to rid themselves of it. But heretofore they have had no better reason for wishing to continue to lie in bed than that they found it inconvenient or unpleasant to rise early. Evidently they have right on their side. It is an unhygienic practice this being waked up at unearthly hours in the dusk of the early morning. It is bad for the heart.

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His Practice.

Little Elmer—Papa, what do the letters "D. D." after a man's name mean? Professor Broadhead—That he is a doctor who makes a practice of preaching, my son.—Town Topics.

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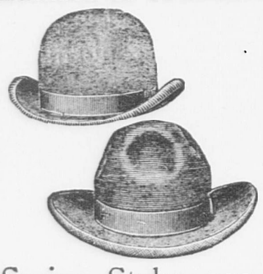
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PERSISTENT BOMBARDMENT

Japanese Repulsed In Another Attack on Port Arthur

A BATTLE AT MIDNIGHT

Russians Made Aware of Enemy's Approach by Searchlights --Forts and Gunboats Opened Fire and Caused Retreat--Japs Returned to the Attack and Kept It Up For Hours Before Departing--Naval Activity at Port Arthur Emulated by Japanese Land Forces In Korea--Losing No Time In Advancing

St. Petersburg, March 23.—Another attack by the Japanese fleet on Port Arthur, beginning with operations by torpedo boats and ending with a bombardment by battleships and cruisers, took place between midnight of Monday and yesterday morning.

The dispatches to the emperor from Viceroy Alexieff and private information show that the Russians sustained no damage and had only five soldiers killed and 10 wounded. Vice Admiral Makaroff claims that one of the Japanese vessels was struck by a shell.

The emperor received the first message regarding the attack yesterday afternoon, but nothing was allowed to reach the public until 10 o'clock last night.

When the first official dispatches were received the belief gained ground that Vice Admiral Makaroff had put to sea and that a naval fight had taken place. While this would be in keeping with his character as an intrepid officer, which is further indicated by his use of a protected cruiser as his flagship, it was not in accord with the plans of the Russian authorities. Later advices established the fact that the admiral had simply gone with the undamaged portion of his fleet to the outer roads, where he could more effectively support the batteries and at the same time take advantage of any weakness which might develop in the enemy's attack.

All information which has reached St. Petersburg shows that the defenders of Port Arthur had taken seriously to heart the coup of the Japanese torpedo boats at the beginning of the war and were now maintaining a sharp lookout. Following is Viceroy Alexieff's report of the bombardment to the emperor:

"Lieutenant General Stoessel reports that at midnight of March 21 Japanese torpedo boats were discovered by our searchlights. Our guardships and fort batteries opened fire upon them, the firing lasting for 20 minutes. At 4 o'clock in the morning the attack was renewed.

"At 8:30 o'clock in the morning four of the enemy's ships appeared from the south, followed by the whole squadron of 11 ships and eight torpedo boats. Our squadron left the roadstead to meet the enemy. At 9 o'clock the enemy's battleships opened fire on Liaotishin, after which they took up a position behind the rocky eminence of Liaotishin and bombarded Port Arthur."

A later dispatch from Viceroy Alexieff received by the emperor says:

"According to a supplementary report from Lieutenant General Stoessel, the enemy's fleet consisted of six battleships and 12 cruisers. About 9 o'clock in the morning the fleet divided, the battleships and torpedo boats taking up a position between Liaotishin and Golubinaia bay (Pigeon bay), while the cruisers formed up in two divisions to the south and southeast of Port Arthur.

"At 9:20 the battleship Retvizan opened fire over the crest of Liaotishin against the enemy's battleships, which replied by firing on the town. Meanwhile our fleet formed in line in the outer roadstead. About 11 o'clock in the morning the cannonade slackened and the Japanese fleet, reuniting, drew off slowly to the southeast and at 12:30 had disappeared.

"During the bombardment five soldiers were killed and nine were wounded. One soldier on the shore was bruised."

Another telegram from Viceroy Alexieff to the emperor gives Vice Admiral Makaroff's report as follows:

"At midnight of March 21 two of the enemy's torpedo boats approached the outer roadstead, but were discovered by the searchlights of the batteries and fired upon by the forts and by the gunboats Bobe and Otvajny. They were obliged to retire.

"A second attack was made at 4 o'clock in the morning by three torpedo boats, which also were repulsed. At daybreak three detachments of the enemy's fleet, consisting of six battleships, six armored cruisers, six second and third-class cruisers and eight torpedo boats, approached from all sides.

"At 7 o'clock our squadron commenced to leave the inner harbor, the cruisers leading, with the Askold, flying my flag, at their head, the battleships following.

"The enemy's battleships approached Liaotishin and fired 100 shells from their 12-inch guns at Port Arthur and 108 shells at the environs of the town. Our shells, fired at a range of 80 cables, were well placed. About 10 o'clock a Japanese battleship was struck by a shell and retired.

"We lost no men during the bombardment, which ceased at 11 o'clock, when the enemy's ships reassembled and, after passing along the outer roadstead, drew off without attacking our fleet."

Vice Admiral Togo's activity at Port Arthur is being emulated by the commander of the Japanese forces in Korea. The report of General Mistchenkow shows that the Japanese erected earthworks near Anju, which are being held by a Japanese division until the remainder of the first army corps comes up from Ping Yang, about 40 miles away. The advance of the Japanese shows that they are losing no time and that they are more rapid than the Russians expected. Nevertheless, the fortifications of Anju show the Japanese operations are accompanied by all proper military precautions.

So far as the Russians are concerned they have no intention of attacking Anju, but the province of the 5000 or 6000 cavalrymen under General Mistchenkow will be to harrass and retard the Japanese in every way possible. The authorities here believe that it will be only a matter of a short time now when the active land operations begin, but at first these will take the form of skirmishes, as the main Russian force remains in occupation of strategical points on the Yalu river.

Interceding For Japanese

Washington, March 23.—It is said at the state department that instructions have been sent to Ambassador McCormick, at St. Petersburg, to call the attention of the Russian government to the condition of Japanese in Siberia, in the hope that that government will do all in its power to enable them to return to Japan. Minister Takahira, at whose request the instructions were sent, informed the state department that there were between 40 and 50 Japanese in Siberia, not 40,000, as stated.

Three Conspirators Disposed Of

Seoul, March 23.—Of 13 Koreans, formerly military students in Japan, who were accused of conspiring against the life of the emperor and crown prince, for the purpose of enthroning Prince Eulwaa, who is now studying in America, three have been executed and the others have been summond to appear before a special tribunal.

Receivers In Sully Offices

New York, March 23.—Creditors of Sully & Co. met last evening to hear further reports from the committee of five appointed to receive from Sully his proposition for a settlement. When the committee reported that no additional proposition had been made by Sully the creditors decided to adjourn without date. Miller and Taft, the new receivers, took formal possession of the Sully offices last night.

Auxiliary Meeting.

Mrs. George H. Brown of Elm street entertained the members of the woman's auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. at her home on Monday afternoon. The principal guest of the afternoon was Mrs. O. H. Durrell of Cambridge, who gave a very interesting talk on auxiliary work in Cambridge. At the close of the afternoon's entertainment, refreshments were served.

More Power for Street Railway.

It is not perhaps generally known that the supplementary power plant at Quincy Point is now supplying the current that operates all of the cars in Quincy and Brockton. In fact this one engine and generator is doing more work than the whole of the old plant at Quincy Point consisting of half a dozen engines and generators, and also the Brockton plant.

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UNUSUAL RIGHTS.

Gov. Bates Prevents Passage of Street Railway Bills.

Again the careful study by Gov. Bates of pending legislation at the State House has prevented unwise legislation, which would have caused considerable kicking in Quincy and other cities and towns.

The Boston Advertiser reports that on Tuesday, the senate on motion of Sen. Clark, Middlesex, recalled from the Governor, senate bills 168 and 169, and on motion of the same senator they were laid on the table.

If they had not been recalled they would have been vetoed. The "recalling" is a polite fiction, which really means executive disapproval.

The senate was dumfounded to learn of the provisions of the bill, which had not been very closely studied. It was known that "something was up," however, because the Governor had been in conference with Atty.-Gen. Parker the previous afternoon, and it was plain that they had found something out of the way.

It was this: That the two systems, running through 90 cities and towns of this state, had been given power to put their poles on private lands, even the finest estates, that bordered on their line of route.

More than this, if the bill had passed the other electric lines, the telephone, telegraph and electric light companies would have demanded the same privileges as their right.

That Gov. Bates and Atty.-Gen. Parker's shrewdness in detecting the unusual privileges granted saved the state from a very serious result was generally admitted. But what is still a puzzle is how the bill got almost to the Governor before the fact was noticed.

The title of each bill is innocent, "168, to authorize the Old Colony St. Ry. Co. to issue bonds and execute a mortgage of its railway, and to locate additional pole lines," and 169 to authorize the Boston & Northern to do the same thing.

But the meat in the cocoanut is found in a few lines in sect. 2 of each bill, which practically gives the right of eminent domain to each company along the route.

The exact wording is:—

"Said company may locate, construct and maintain such lines of poles and wires upon the routes so fixed, and may take by purchase or otherwise the necessary land and rights in land therefor, and shall file within 60 days of the taking of any land or rights therein under authority hereof a description thereof, signed by its president, sufficiently accurate for identification, and shall pay all damages caused by the location and construction of such electric lines or the taking of any property therefor; and such damages, upon the application of either party in case of failure to agree as to the amount thereof, shall be assessed, secured and paid in the manner provided by said chap. 111, Revised Laws, relative to the assessment, security and payment of damages when land is taken for railroad purposes."

By these lines the corporations are clothed with powers never before granted in this commonwealth, and but for Gov. Bates' careful scrutiny a remarkable precedent would have been established.

The effect would have been that the corporation could take land, and the owner might object as much as he pleased.

He would have no power over his own property.

If he appealed to the courts he could still obtain no redress, except that he might have the question of damages adjudicated.

But of the land itself he would be despoiled, willy nilly. Each bill will be amended by striking out the section quoted.

Burglars in City Square.

Sometime last night, burglars entered the Criterion cafe on Chestnut street rifled things generally, but so far as can be learned did not secure anything of value. The cash register was assailed, but the thieves failed to open it. Entrance was secured by breaking a window.

No Special Privileges.

Spanish war veterans will not be exempt from civil service rules. By a vote of 93 to 81 the House of Representatives on Tuesday rejected the bill giving the same exemption from the civil service laws as now applies to the veterans of the Civil war. The measure occasioned a lively debate, and the civil service reformers came in for considerable criticism on general lines.

Everett Appropriations.

The finance committee of the city of Everett has reported annual appropriations amounting to $384,121.74, and estimates the tax rate will be $18.05.

WAS LONG SICK.

Robert R. Smith, the Granite Manufacturer, Passes Away.

Robert R. Smith, a member of the granite firm of Joss Bros. Co., died at his home on Granite street, Tuesday, aged 44 years.

Mr. Smith has not enjoyed good health for a year or more. Last September he went to the City Hospital to undergo an operation for appendicitis. It was found, however, that his ailment was of a different nature. He was taken home some weeks later. There have been times since then when he has been able to be up and about the house, but for the greater part of the time he has been confined to his bed.

Mr. Smith was born in Scotland but has resided in Quincy for a number of years. His trade was that of a granite cutter and he was a member of the firm of Joss Bros. Co. He was a member of Clan McGregor, O. S. C., the Granite Manufacturers' association, and the Granite City club.

He leaves a widow and two daughters. Funeral services will be held from his late residence, 41 Granite street, Friday at 2 o'clock.

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Fresh Killed Fowl,	16c.
Rib Corn Beef,	8c.
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Bacon by Strip,	12 1-2c.
Bermuda Onions,	8c.
Fancy Lettuce,	6c.
Potatoes,	$1.10 Bushel.

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HONORS AWARDED.

Wollaston in First Place in Class of '04, Q. H. S.

The graduation day honors for the senior class at the Quincy High school were announced by Head Master Harper this morning. They were as follows:

Valedictory,—Margaret Mills.
Salutatory,—George E. Brown.
Third honor,—Helen B. Kingman.
Fourth honor,—Helen D. Rhines.
Fifth honor,—Marjorie Fay.
Sixth honor,—Olive N. Lesher.

Three Launchings.

Ship building is active at Bath, Me., as indicated by the three launchings scheduled to take place next week. The 700-ton four-masted schooner Frontenac building at the Kelley, Spear Company yard for J. S. Emery & Co. of Boston, will be launched March 29; two days later the four-masted schooner, building for Nichols Brothers of New York, will take her maiden plunge, and on April 2 the five-masted schooner, building at the New England Company's yard for Captain Magnus Manson of New Haven, Conn., will leave the ways.

New Force Main.

A large part of the cast iron pipe has arrived, that is to be used for the new force main that is to connect the sewer pumping station at Merrymount Park with the new Metropolitan sewer that runs through Quincy. The pipe is piled up on Greenleaf street and at Merrymount Park. Work will be commenced laying the pipe as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

High School Figures.

It is said that the present High school could be duplicated for $65,000. These figures were given by a builder at a recent meeting. While the prices have advanced and affect the cost of house building, it is said they do not apply with equal force to a public building of this character.

Basket Ball.

The Quincy basket ball team went to Milton Town Hall Tuesday evening and were defeated by the Milton A. C. team 17 to 7. The Milton girls team won from the Leap Year girls of Hyde Park 8 to 2.

Noted Guests.

The Master Builders Association have extended an invitation to Judge Emmons and Congressman McNary to attend the annual banquet next Wednesday evening.

—Men have made queer wagers in the past and present. One man afflicted with the gambling spirt was Sir Mark Sykes. He offered to pay any one $5 a day for each day Napoleon lived, provided the taker would pay $500 down. A clergyman accepted the offer and made a fine profit, as Napoleon lived three years.

—The Bridgewater model school is to send an exhibit on "Nature Study" to the worlds fair at St. Louis. The exhibit includes work from all nine grades and was placed on exhibition at the school yesterday. The arrangement was under the direction of Arthur C. Boyden of the normal school.

—The total appropriations of Randolph for 1904 including State tax are but $44,529.00.

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Grand Easter Opening

FRIDAY and SATURDAY,

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Drift of Opinion.

☞Quite a number of spring overcoats appeared on the streets on Sunday but the ladies were more cautious about forcing the season. Easter is early enough for them to blossom out in spring hats.—Lynn Item.

☞Many kind, devoted, even self-sacrificing mothers find the result of their childrens bringing up very unsatisfactory. Their complaint is that they have given up everything for their children, granted every wish and indulged every whim, and yet they have grown up to be anything but helps and blessings. There is just where the trouble lies. Let the children sacrifice something for the mother and father, save their steps and help them all they can in little things. The old saying is; "As the twig is bent so will it grow," and the first impression made on children's minds remain through future years.—Exchange.

☞The secretary of the Navy got a splendid reception at the Evacuation day observances in Boston and the suggestion of the possibility of his stepping into the governor's chair at some future time, with its enthusiastic endorsement by the assembly, had more significance than the ordinary banquet compliments. While the secretary claims the privilege of retiring from public service to engage in the practice of his profession for his personal interest, he will not be lost sight of. That he is the man in the state who could step into that office without having laboriously climbed over the stairs of succession, when the time comes that the people of the commonwealth want to break that practice, has occurred to many of the political strategists of the state previous to the banquet in Boston the other night.—Haverhill Gazette.

A MILITANT PARSON.

First He Preached, and Then He Offered to Fight.

When the settlements on the Forked Deer river were new and western Tennessee was still Chickasaw country all attempts to start religious services were for a long time broken up by a gang of young outlaws who drove the ministers away. At last the Rev. Arthur Davis, a muscular Christian, came. They had given him notice that no Methodist parson should ever preach on Lower Forked Deer. Mr. Davis went to the forbidden ground and preached to a large audience. When the service was over he stepped out into the grove which surrounded the log church and, taking off his coat and collar, placed them on a stump. The outlaws had gathered on one side, the church people on the other. Turning to one of the church people, Mr. Davis gave him a message for his wife and then, facing the outlaws, demanded that they select their champion.

"You said I should not preach," he said, "but I have preached. You say I shall not preach again. Well, I say I shall unless you kill me now. Come on, one at a time, fair play, and we'll see who is right."

The outlaws looked at him in amazement. Then the leader stepped forward, holding out his hand.

"I'm with you, Mr. Davis," he declared. "Any man who has got your courage can be parson here as long as he likes. Boys, step up and shake hands with the minister."

Thenceforward the "fighting parson" held forth regularly in the Forked Deer country.

—There are in use in the United States 1,640,220 railway cars and 41,228 locomotives.



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PUBLIC UTILITIES

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IMPORTANT LAWS PASSED

Federal Party Dies With Adjournment of Legislature--Gompers Fails to Unite Warring Labor Factions of Island

San Juan, P. R. March 23.—The second biennial legislative assembly of Porto Rico has closed a somewhat uneventful 60 days' session. As usual, the budget caused the hardest fight, the house insisting upon cutting it, while the executive council declared that a reduction of figures would be false economy. The council won, and the budget will stand for 1904-5 about the same as for the present fiscal year, at $1,200,000.

The most important legislation was the passing of a bill authorizing the insuar government to borrow from $3,000,000 to $4,000,000 on four percent bonds, to be sold at not less than par, for general improvement purposes. The natives wanted a $5,000,000 loan for the relief of island farmers, but finally accepted the general loan bill as a compromise. Governor Hunt will name three commissioners to visit the United States and negotiate for the sale of the bonds. The money will be used for roads, schoolhouses, horbor improvements and other public utilities.

Another far-reaching act passed was the bill reorganizing the judiciary of the island. This measure originated with Attorney General Sweet. It increases the number of judicial districts, but decreases the number of judges, effects a large money saving and closely follows the plan of the judiciary in Idaho, from whence Judge Sweet came.

Another bill consolidates the insular departments of health, charities and prisons. Other important bills approved by the government are: To confer original jurisdiction upon the supreme court to examine titles to the Roman Catholic church properties; amending the election laws, political and civil codes and code of criminal procedure; allotting land for a $90,000 Carnegie library in San Juan; preventing cruelty to animals, a much needed statute; several bills for the development and aid of the University of Porto Rico; locating the new asylum for the blind at Ponce; making eight hours a legal day's labor; compulsory school attendance; study and eradication of anaemia in Porto Rico; and enormous necessary sanitary laws. Governor Hunt for the first time exercised his veto power, and disapproved a bill giving municipal officers greater powers, and intended to minimize the supervision of the governor and secretary over municipal affairs.

The Republicans and Federals united in a most creditable manner and unanimously passed a bill, by a rising vote, to protect the American flag in Porto Rico from desecration by draping the same or attaching thereto black ribbons and to prevent the carrying of black flafigs in the island. This measure was suggested in Governor Hunt's message. With the final fall of the gavel in the house of delegates the federal party passed out of political existence. It had 10 members out of 35 in the house this session, but next fall will not oppose the Republican party at the polls.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor has just returned from an extensive tour of the island, having held many conferences with labor leaders, and fruitlessly used his best endeavors to unite the warring labor factions of Porto Rico under the banner of the American Federation. The Federacion Regional rejects Gompers' proposition, declaring that it cannot submit to the leadership of Santiago Iglesias, the present insular representative of the American Federation, and resolving that "the blame for the failure to effect the union that is sought rests solely and exclusively with Mr. Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, due to his persistence in supporting his representative in Porto Rico."

Spain Gets Back Ordnance

Washington, March 23.—At the suggestion of Secretary Hay the war department has sent instructions to its officers in Porto Rico to turn over to agents of the Spanish government the ordnance in the fortifications which remained after the Spanish evacuation. The value in money of the ordnance is about 200,000 pesetas. It is not known whether the guns will be sent to Spain or offered for sale in Porto Rico.

Irish Commoners Pleased

London, March 23.—The majority of the government again fell very low last night in the house of commons, a motion from the Irish benches, censuring the government's action in Irish waterways, being defeated by a majority of only 16. The figures were greeted with prolonged Irish cheers.

Relief For Baltimoreans

Annapolis, Md., March 23.—Governor Warfield has signed the bill appropriating $250,000 for the relief of destitution in Baltimore and for the payment of the national guardsmen while policing the burned district.

Forty-Two Deaths From Plague

Johannesburg, March 23.—Up to date the total number of deaths from bubonic plague is two white and 40 colored persons.

A WEIRD LEGEND.

The Reason of the Daily Ebb and Flow of the Sea.

Do you know why the sea ebbs and flows? This is the legend: The army of drowned twice daily gather their forces at the bottom of the deep and march toward the four points of the compass to lay their weary bones on earth and escape from their watery tomb. You can hear their tramping—they call it sea moaning—and see the waves being pushed on before them in great water hills, which dash against each other in their furious flight from the escaping host, and when they break and hurl clouds of snow white spray high in the air it is caused by the lashings from the swinging, bony arms of the army drowned. And did you ever listen to the weird noise as these mountains of water leap up on each other? That is the cry of the victims of the sea.

On and on the waves are driven, farther and farther they encroach on land, and the feet of the mighty body can be heard scraping for foothold on the smooth, shifting pebbles. Only another incoming wave and escape is theirs, but it is just too late. The reacted undertow sets in, and you hear their bony feet slip from under them, and back they are carried, the sea holding them tightly in its arms, exhausted captives.

Then look when the tide has run far out and see the prints of their feet, and you will know why the sea ebbs and flows.

SERVANTS IN CHINA.

The Way They Show Their Contempt For Foreigners.

The native servants employed by white foreigners in China rarely learn to call their employers by their proper names when among themselves. If the white man understands Chinese they are, of course, careful to refer to him by such deeply respectful names as "Heaven Born" or "Prince of Flowers," but if he only understands English the case is different.

There was once a British warship on the China station which had native servants in the wardroom mess. None of the officers spoke Chinese. One day they invited an American to dine with them. The head butler tried the stranger in Chinese, but he looked blank, although he really knew Chinese thoroughly.

Several times during the meal he laughed, but it was not until it was over that he explained the cause of his mirth.

"You should hear the beautiful names these waiters call us," he said. "The butler has been referring to me all evening as 'He of the Dragon Face.' When you [speaking to the president of the mess] asked for the soda he called out, 'Give the poison water to old Duck Face.' 'Fill the glass of Hog Eyes.' 'When Big Mouth has finished with the fire wine pass it to Red Eyed Salamander.'"

Failed In an Emergency.

The man who said he did not see what good his life insurance would do him until he was dead must have been a hopeless object for the suave attack of the agent. Like him is the farmer of a Fifeshire village of whom a London paper tells.

He had been advised from time to time to insure his house against fire. The agent, Sandy McLery, could never get the old man to sign and was forced to listen to the familiar argument that "his house would never gang on fire."

The unexpected happened, however, and the neighbors were astonished when the old man, instead of trying to save his goods, ran wildly up and down the village, crying:

"Whaur's that mon Sandy noo? Whaur's that insurance chiel? Ye can never get a body when ye're needin' him!"

Two Clever Answers.

It is reported that a man appointed sixth auditor of the treasury subject to examination was asked to state the distance of the moon from the earth. His written answer was simply, "Not near enough to affect the functions of a sixth auditor." He passed. So did another who, being examined for employment in the treasury, was asked how many soldiers England sent to this country during the Revolution. His answer was, "A blamed sight more than ever got back."

Snapped Up.

"You're looking gloomy today, Tomkins. What's the matter?"

"Matter? You know Miss Passee, the old maid that lives down the way. Dawkins told me she was engaged to him, so just for the fun of the thing I proposed to her, and she accepted me. Now I'm looking for Dawkins."—London Telegraph.

A Growing Climate.

The Professor—Do things grow rapidly in your part of the country? Young Housekeeper—I should say they do. When I order lamb from the butcher it always grows to mutton on the way home.—Woman's Home Companion.

Sure.

House Owner (to insurance inspector)—But, my dear man, why do you put the cook down as an explosive on the premises? Inspector—Ain't she liable to go off at any minute?—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Made Another Man of Him.

He—My first wife married me because I neither smoked, drank nor played cards. She—How did your second wife come to marry you? He—To reform me.—Smart Set.

Revenge is sweet when you get it yourself. When it is taken out of you it's different.

Davis Against Roosevelt

New York, March 23.—Webster Davis, assistant secretary of the interior under the McKinley administration, now a Democrat, addressed a large audience last night at the Democratic club. His platform for the Democratic party, Davis said, would be "Roosevelt must return to private life." He also denounced trusts and monopolies, which, he said, were fostered by the Republicans.

Bargain Sale of Tube Plant

Zanesville, O., March 23.—The plant of the Eastern Tube company in this city was sold by a commissioner in chancery to Edward Nugent of New York for $170,000. The plant was built three years ago at a cost of $600,000 and after running two years went into the hands of receivers. Nugent represents the Ohio Tube company, organized in New Jersey a few weeks ago.

Parker's Nomination Favored

New York, March 23.—Delegates instructed to favor the endorsement of Judge Parker for the presidential nomination at the state convention were elected by Democratic conventions in Sullivan and Ontario counties and by the Second district of Ulster county. Schoharie county delegates also favor Judge Parker.

Canadian Wrestler Won

New York, March 23.—Eugene Tremblay, champion lightweight wrestler of Canada, last night defeated John Tomkins of this city in two straight falls. The men wrestled catch-as-catch-can, Tremblay getting the first fall in 12 minutes and the second in 5½ minutes.

Twenty-One Colonels Promoted

Washington, March 23.—The senate has confirmed all the army nominations held up pending action on the nomination of General Wood. Among them were 21 colonels to be brigadier generals. All have been retired except General Thomas H. Barry.

To Compete For Airship Prize

Middletown, N. Y., March 23.—William Roescher, a musician of this city, claims that he has perfected an airship with which he proposes to compete for the $100,000 prize at the St. Louis exposition.

Didn't Talk of War

Washington, March 23.—No business of first importance was transacted by the cabinet at its meeting. The far eastern situation, it is said, was not referred to, even incidentally.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Thursday, March 24.
Sun rises—5:41; sets—6:01.
Moon sets—12:25 a. m.
High water—4:15 a. m.; 4:45 p. m.

The area of high pressure that occupied the Canadian maritime provinces has not given way as rapidly as was anticipated and it continues to influence the weather in eastern districts. There will be rain in New England.

CANARY BIRDS.

They Are, Barring Men and Peacocks, the Vainest of Creatures.

"Do you know," said an observant gentleman, "that, barring a man and a peacock, I believe a canary bird is the vainest of all creatures? Both my wife and myself are very fond of pets, and we keep several of these little songsters always in the house. One of the cages was an old affair, which had been in the family for years and was used as much for tradition's as for economy's sake. I had frequently remarked to my wife that I believed the occupant of this cage was somewhat ashamed of his shabby dwelling place and observed with envious eyes the fact that the other songsters were more artistically lodged. Well, the old cage finally collapsed, and it became necessary to purchase a new one. In order to test my belief in the intelligence of my feathered friend, I made it a point to get him the prettiest little brass house I could find. The effect was magical. No sooner was he turned into his new home than he began to sing as he had never sung before, completely drowning out the music of the other birds and behaving otherwise in a manner altogether becoming his sudden rise in life. No proud pauper coming unexpectedly into an inheritance of great riches could more gracefully have assumed a greater degree of vanity."

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CITY BREVITIES.

Rainy this morning.

The public schools will be closed until Monday, April 4.

The City Council Committee on Finance will meet Friday evening.

The three upper classes of the Quincy High school will hold a social at High School hall this evening.

Several car loads of heavy machinery for the new power plant at Quincy Point arrived Monday by freight.

The Fragment society of First church is meeting this afternoon with its oldest member, Mrs. Charles A. Spear, of Washington street.

Four days after the first date when nominations may be filed, the Republican City Committee give notice that papers may be filed.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Gladys Bartlett Adams of Chelsea and Councilman George E. Adams of this city, on April sixth, at Chelsea.

Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows will attend on Thursday the funeral of John Graham of Milton. Services will be held at the residence at 2. P. M. and at St. Michaels church at 2.30 P. M.

The Junior Sons and Daughters of the Revolution have nearly completed their program for the entertainment which they are to give in Colonial hall on Friday evening, April first. The entertainment is given to replenish the treasury of the chapter and a generous response is hoped for from the friends of the young people.

Nearing the Limit.



Miss Tabby—How is your husband getting along, Mrs. Thomas?

Mrs. Thomas Cat—Not very well. He lost his seventh life yesterday, and I am getting worried about him.—New York Times.

How a Meaning Changes.

"Cheat" is a word that now has a very ugly sound. To cheat a man is to defraud him. Originally the word conveyed no such meaning. The old word "escheat" referred to the dues that fell to the crown. It came from the French echoir (Latin, excadere). The modern meaning that attaches to the word tells a sad tale of the extortion and greed that must have been practiced in collecting the dues.

Once Was Enough.

"Did you ever," said one preachor to another, "stand at the door after your sermon and listen to what people said about it as they passed out?"

Replied he:

"I did once"—a pause and a sigh—"but I'll never do it again."

Barred Out.

"Could you not, if you tried, grant me a place in that icy heart of yours?"

"My heart may be of ice, as you say, Mr. Sophleigh, but, all the same, I am not in the cold storage business."

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LONG FIGHT AHEAD

Lynn Shoe Manufacturers Lock Out Their Workmen

MOVE WAS UNEXPECTED

Union Men Face Unusual Proposition In Sympathetic Action of Employers--Latter Aided by Conditions In Labor Unions

Lynn, Mass., March 23.—Thirty-three shoe factories entirely or partly closed down last night, inaugurating what is expected to prove the hardest battle between capital and labor which New England has ever seen. It is a war for which great preparations have been made. The only outcome is expected to be either the annihilation of the Lynn labor unions or their entrenchment in supreme power.

The initial trouble was inconsequential. A dozen or so turned workmen did not agree with their employer on a new price list. The trouble spread until it included the turned workmen in the factories of Cushman & Cushman, George W. Belonga & Co. and Timson & Co.

But no one thought that it amounted to anything, until yesterday the owners of 33 factories posted notices stating that unless the trouble was settled last night no members of the Shoe Workers' Protective union would be employed in those factories.

The ultimatum of the employers came like a bombshell. Sympathetic strikes they were familiar with, but a sympathetic lockout was an entirely new proposition. All at once the workmen saw batteries which had been covered disclosed.

Secretary Supple of the state board of arbitration came down, and he was told by the labor men that they would be very glad to submit the whole matter to arbitration.

Mr. Supple then visited the employers, who said they would submit to arbitration, but first, the men must return to work. This proposition was rejected by the workmen.

The workmen are well organized, but this time they will have to fight an organization as strongly formed as their own. The individual manufacturers will have nothing to do with the settlement of the present trouble. This association was formed at the close of the labor troubles last fall, and its membership includes nearly every shoe manufacturer in the city.

No one in Lynn thinks that the struggle will be a short one. The peculiar conditions in the Lynn labor unions aid the manufacturers, who feel that now, when the men are fighting among themselves, is the time for the employers to strike.

It is expected that the Knights of Labor bodies will help out the shoe workers, while on the other hand, the Boot and Shoe Workers' union, it is said, will throw their influence on the other side, if they do not openly help the manufacturers.

Assessment to Aid Strikers

Haverhill, Mass., March 23.—The demand of the Lynn shoe manufacturers that the turned workmen now on strike in three factories in that city should return to work pending a conference was rejected at a mass meeting of the Shoemakers' Protective union, with which the turned workmen are affiliated and which has its headquarters in this city. The union voted to levy a 10 percent assessment to assist them.

Arlington Mill Hands Out

Lawrence, Mass., March 23.—Five hundred employes of the carding and combing rooms of the Arlington Cotton mills here struck as a protest against an order that a cut in wages, varying from 5 to 10 percent, would be made next Monday in one mill, and in the worsted spinning department. A general strike throughout the Arlington corporation is expected unless a compromise is reached this week. The company employs about 4000 hands, half of whom will be affected directly in the reduction. The strikers met last night, formed a strike committee and considered plans for the continuation of the strike.

Colorado Troops Ordered Out

Denver, March 23.—A proclamation was issued by Governor Peabody last night declaring Las Animas county in a state of insurrection and rebellion. Subsequently an order was issued for 300 troops to proceed to Trinidad, the county seat. The civil authorities of the county are quoted as authority for the statement that no less than 1500 unemployed men are armed in apparent anticipation of an open conflict.

Telegraphers Want More Pay

Baltimore, March 23.—The telegraphers employed by the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, nearly 2000 in all, have formally presented a demand for increased pay and a reduction in hours to Vice President Potter of that company. The meeting is said to have been amicable.

A Beef Trust Investigation

Washington, March 23.—The department of commerce and labor is making an investigation into the operations of the so-called "Beef trust." There will be no public hearings and publicity will be avoided so far as possible. Whether the results of the investigation are to be made public at its conclusion will depend entirely on President Roosevelt.

NO MORE WITNESSES

Nothing Done by Mormon President In the Smoot Case

Washington, March 23.—The promise made by President Smith of the Mormon church that he would use his best efforts to find the half-dozen Mormon witnesses whom the sergeant-at-arms could not has thus far brought no results, and the senate committee on privileges and elections is now trying to get hold of them through Senator Smoot. He has been told by members of the committee that if the charge is proved that these Mormon witnesses are deliberately dodging their subpoenas, it will greatly prejudice the respondent's cause. It is doubtful if any effort to hold Smoot accountable for the absence of these witnesses can be successful either before the committee or the public. His lawyers conducting the case have repeatedly emphasized the fact that they were not in any sense representing the church.

After 20 days of waiting for the recalcitrant witnesses there is still no indication when the hearings will be resumed. The sensational part of the testimony is now probably at an end. The organization of the church and the relation of the apostle to his fellows has now been pretty thoroughly explained. It remains to be shown by concrete examples and by testimony as to general repute how the Mormon church works in spiritual and temporal affairs.

Northern Securities' New Plan

New York, March 23.—Following a day of great excitement in the stock market and numerous conferences among the leading financial interests, the new plan of the Northern Securities company was made public. It provides that the capital stock be reduced from 3,954,000 shares to 39,540 shares, a reduction of 99 percent; that said 99 percent be called in and cancelled; that against each share so cancelled there will be delivered $39.27 stock of the Northern Pacific Railway company and $30.17 stock of the Great Northern Railway company, also proportionate amounts for each fraction of a share.

Wants Senate to Investigate

New York, March 23.—An investigation of the United States board of general appraisers by a committee of the United States senate to determine whether the members are competent to manage their own affairs is suggested by Judge Somerville, a member of the board. Although it has been known that there has been considerable friction between the treasury department and the board, this is the first time that anything like an admission has been made that trouble exists.

Symons Stays In Washington

Washington, March 23.—The house committee on military affairs agreed to report the amended resolution to permit Colonel Symons of the engineer corps one year's leave of absence without pay, that he may accept the appointment as advisory engineer member of the New York canal commission. Symonds will decline the compromise. He prefers to remain in Washington and retain his grade and position in the line of promotion in the army.

Afghanistan Ruler Poisoned

St. Petersburg, March 23.—A dispatch from Ashkabad, capital of the Russian trans-Caspian territory, says a rumor is current there that the Ameer of Afghanistan has been poisoned.

Habibullah Khan, the Ameer of Afghanistan, was born in 1872 and succeeded to the throne on the death of his father in October, 1901.

Dick Was Shut Out

Washington, March 23.—Late yesterday Senator-elect Dick of Ohio appeared in the senate chamber for the first time since his election. He went direct to Senator Foraker's seat, but their conference was cut short by the announcement of an executive session from which Mr. Dick, not having taken the oath of office, was excluded under the rules of the senate.

Alaskan Claims Ignored

Washington, March 23.—Alaskans who have been in Washington all winter pressing the claims of that territory for remedial legislation fear now that congress will adjourn without according their claims the attention which, in their opinion, they warrant. Several of them called on the president in the interest of the legislation they are seeking.

Compels Gamblers to Testify

Albany, March 23.—The state senate passed the bill introduced at the behest of District Attorney Jerome of New York, abrogating the privilege of persons who have participated in gambling to refuse to testify on the plea that such testimony would tend to degrade or incriminate them.

House Work Dragging

Washington, March 23.—Outside of a few minor matters the house of representatives devoted an entire day to further discussion of the postoffice appropriation bill, but disposed of only one page of the bill.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Captain Lynah of the Cornell football team has undergone an operation for appendicitis at the general hospital in Buffalo.

The French chamber of deputies adopted the socialist proposition to devote a week each month to the consideration of workingmen's legislation.

Two hundred and thirty-five natives of the Philippines, who arrived on the steamship Shawmut, have left Tacoma, Wash., for the St. Louis exposition.

Postmaster General Payne is able to sit up. The gout in the right foot is still troubling him some. The progress towards recovery is tedious.

SAVAGES OF TAHITI.

They Live In a Paradise of Flowers and Are Very Hospitable.

Tahiti, the paradise of the south seas, is inhabited by the gentlest race of savages in the world. They are passionately fond of flowers, which play a leading part in every act of their lives from birth to burial.

"To visit the home of a native planter," said an American traveler, "is not to feel that you are accepting hospitality at the hands of a Tahitan, but that you are conferring upon him and his humble abode a greater honor than you confer upon any of his neighbors.

"If you will but condescend to visit his home, partake of the native cooked meal, which is daintily spread upon large leaves upon the ground and surrounded with roses and other beautiful flowers, you place him under greater obligations to you than he can ever hope to repay.

"If you will kiss his wife upon leaving and pat his shaggy dog upon the head he is yours to command as long as you remain in the islands. They have an artistic eye for the beautiful and never think of sitting down to a meal, especially while entertaining a visitor, unless there are garlands of flowers for each head at table and lavish floral decorations for the various dishes that may be served.

"It is a paradise of flowers, and the natives use them with no sparing hand."

DINING IN SIBERIA.

You Eat With Your Knife and Reach For What You Want.

A traveler in Siberia has the following to say in regard to table manners which he met with: "In eating you must reach for what you want. It is very seldom that anything is passed during the first stage of a meal. You would never suggest to your neighbor on the right to pass you the cheese, but you would rise in your place and, with a firm grasp on your knife, reach over his plate and impale the tempting morsel. If this is not impossible you leave your place and go around the table and secure your loot. My Russian naturalist, Alek, was a fair sample of an educated Russian, and he turned to me and said, 'I see you eat with a fork.' 'Yes,' said I, 'and I see that you do not.' 'No, but I had a sister who studied at an English convent in Japan for a year or so. When she came back she ate with a fork, but we soon laughed her out of it.' The end of the Russian knife is broader than the portion next to the handle, and it is used both as a knife and as a spoon. They complain that the American knives do not 'hold' enough." After this it is not surprising to learn that "the Russians were highly amused" at the author's "use of the toothbrush, which they consider a peculiarly feminine utensil."

Cloves.

Cloves are probably the greatest speculative article in the spice trade and have been so for many hundreds of years, because they have always come from small and restricted areas of cultivation and have been used as tribute, almost taking the place of money in ancient times. They have been mostly grown on the two small islands of Zanzibar and Pemba, on the east coast of Africa.

One More Brute.

Mrs. Nubbins—My husband is a perfect brute. Friend—You amaze me. Mrs. Nubbins—Since the baby began teething nothing would quiet the little angel but pulling his papa's beard, and yesterday he went and had his beard shaved off.

Consideration.

You may never know what harm an indifference may work, what despair a rebuff may brew. Your pulse of irritation under pressure of obligations might be the last feather weight to flame an oppressed soul into desperation.

The Society Struggle.

Ethel—Mamma, what is the society struggle? Mamma—Getting the clothes, daughter; getting the clothes.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

STARVE THEM OUT!

Why not starve the germs to death? Scott's Emulsion will do it.

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Why not put new life into it? Scott's Emulsion feeds the lungs. It fills the blood with nourishing food for all the weak parts. Good food means life. Life means resistive force.

Germs cannot live on healthy tissue. Scott's Emulsion and good fresh air drive out the germs of consumption.

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EARTH'S CRUST CRACKED

Professor Williams' Explanation of New England Earthquake

New Haven, March 23.—Professor Henry S. Williams of Yale, who was recently elected head of the geological department of Cornell university, says that the earthquake felt in New England Monday was undoubtedly caused by a slip in a crack of the earth's surface. Down deep in the crust, one of the two faces of a crack moved against the other, causing the jarring. By the readjustment of the two faces tension was relieved and there is no immediate danger of a recurrence of the shock.

Professor Williams thinks the earthquake was probably similar in origin to that at Charleston in 1886, which was the most extensive of modern times. "I should say that in extent the one of Monday comes next to that in Charleston. The faces which were disturbed may have been eight to ten miles below the surface of the earth."

Incendiary Fires at Malden

Malden, Mass., March 23.—Three fires, all believed to be of incendiary origin, kept the local fire department busy for several hours this morning. The largest one was in the hay and grain storehouse of J. A. Connor & Co., causing a loss of $13,000. Before this blaze was extinguished fire was discovered in the hay and grain store of W. H. Cunningham, which bore unmistakable evidence of having been set. The damage here was not over $1000. A few minutes later the Evans house, one of the largest hotels in Malden, was found to have been set on fire in two places, but the fires were extinguished before the loss had exceeded $100. The hotel is being renovated and was unoccupied.

Bogus Students Picked Pockets

New Haven, March 23.—Two young men who had the appearance of being Yale students were admitted to the Yale gymnasium last evening and while the members of the baseball team, crew and track teams were out of doors, went through their clothing in the locker room, stealing jewelry and money amounting to about $2000. The men were seen by several of the students in the gymnasium, but no attention was paid to them. The police have no clue.

Ate Poisonous Food

New London, Conn., March 23.—Charles J. Champion and his wife are in a precarious condition from the effects of ptomaine poisoning. They had a supper of hog liver and both became ill during the night. The family physician administered antidotes and Champion has shown signs of recovery. His wife cannot recover.

Governor Recommends Pardon

Providence, March 23.—Governor Garvin has sent to the senate a recommendation for the pardon of Rocco Votto, an Italian, who has served 21 years of a life sentence for murdering Achille de Robbio in 1882.

College Degrees Conferred

Chicago, March 23.—The features of the 50th convocation of the University of Chicago were a letter from President Roosevelt, a message from Emperor William of Germany and the conferring of the degree of doctor of laws upon Baron Speck Von Sternburg, Charlemagne Tower, ambassador to Germany, and upon five professors of German universities.

Warrant Out For Bank Cashier

Riverside, Cal., March 23.—A run on the Orange Growers' National Bank of Riverside and its suspension followed the issuance of a warrant charging H. T. Hayes, its former cashier, with the embezzlement of amounts said to aggregate over $100,000. Hayes has not yet been apprehended. President Rouse says that the bank is perfectly solvent.

Corporation Law Amended

Trenton, March 23.—The state house of representatives passed a bill amending the present corporation law and relieving directors from criminal prosecution for declaring dividends out of the capital stock where they had not done so knowingly, but had made diligent inquiry into the companies' affairs.

Platt Amendments Ratified

Washington, March 23.—The senate has ratified the treaty between the United States and Cuba, embodying the Platt amendments to the army appropriation bill defining the future relations of the United States with Cuba. The treaty enacts the Platt amendments in treaty form.

Steamers Probably Foundered

Victoria, B. C., March 23.—Steamers Queen City and LaMorna, marine men here are inclined to believe, are lost with all hands. It is believed that they foundered in the southwest hurricane a week ago Thursday.

Instructed For Roosevelt

Kansas City, March 23.—Missouri Republicans, in state convention here, named four delegates-at-large to the national convention at Chicago, and instructed them to vote for Roosevelt for president.

River Frozen Eighty-Five Days

Fishkill Landing, N. Y., March 23.—Steamer Homer Ramsdell left here for New York today to open navigation on the Hudson river. Navigation has been suspended 85 days, the longest in 30 years.

Tornado In Central Kansas

Little Rock, March 23.—A tornado did great damage to property and caused at least one death in central Arkansas.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after March 14, 1904, trains will run as follows:

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TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 33	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	a t c	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 23	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	a t c	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 15	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
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r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

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MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6.21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7.21 9.21 P. M.

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Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.00, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —6.55 7.25, 810 A. M, then 10 minutes past each hour until and including 10.10 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	47	34	74	65	39
Monday,	47	43	48	44	52
Tuesday,	45	38	47	43	58
Wednesday,	56	41	45	58	49
Thursday,	—	39	57	39	40
Friday,	—	40	58	37	46
Saturday,	—	48	53	48	48

New Advertisements Today.

For Sale—Property.
Wanted—Young Man.
To Let—Modern House.
Wanted—Woman Office Assistant.
Girl Wanted in Shoe Factory.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Sunday will be Palm Sunday, and the following Sunday will be Easter.

Miss Elizabeth Souther, who was injured by a fall last week, was able to be at the High school today.

Mrs. Alice Cobb of Bigelow street has extended her visit to her brother in New Jersey who recently lost his wife.

Edward Southworth has secured a leave of absence as master of the Mathers school of Boston until June 10.

Owing to death in the family, the matinee whist to have been given by Mrs. B. Porterfield tomorrow afternoon, has been postponed.

The members of the Wollaston Yacht club are sorry to hear that their genial secretary, C. W. Dill, is confined to the house with the grip and his speedy recovery is hoped for by all.

The funeral of Mrs. Betsy, widow of Mr. Jacob Flint, was held Tuesday from her late residence on Hancock street. Services were conducted by Rev. Ellery C. Butler. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston.

The funeral of Mrs. Gertrude, wife of Mr. John L. Fratus was held Tuesafternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Chrysostom's church, and largely attended. It was conducted by Rev. Carleton P. Mills. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston.

The members of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., were entertained at Grand Army hall Tuesday evening by the Woman's Relief corps, who served an appetizing supper. An entertainment of vocal and instrumental music followed.

It was the intention of the City Council Monday night to adjourn until next Monday night, that the budget might be reported. It was overlooked, however, so that the budget can not come in until the first Monday in April unless a special meeting is called.

Mr. Napoleon Trideon of Biddeford, Me., has been married three years, and is a perplexed man. His family is increasing more rapidly than his salary. His wife has just presented him with the third pair of twins. She was a twin and so was he.

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—A room in which soiled clothes or shoes become mouldy is too damp for health.

BOSTON COMMERCE.

Paper by Mr. Elwin Preston at Monday Evening Club.

The fifth meeting of the Atlantic Monday Evening Club was held March 21.

The address of the evening was made by Mr. Elwin Preston, secretary of the Boston Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Preston's subject was "Boston's Commerce." He described its growth, its present status, and its prospects for the future, in an able and interesting manner.

Mrs. Charles Safford read a fifteen-minute paper on the subject, "Tennyson and Browning, as poets and men."

Miss Emma Curtin and Mr. John Duggan had charge of the music for the evening. They were not able to present their full program on account of the sudden illness of one of their artists, but the Misses Beliveau entertained the club with vocal and piano solos.

One hundred and seventy-three members were present. The club has a paid membership of two-hundred and seventy-four.

The Grizzly In the Old Days.

In the old days, before the deadly magazine rifle was invented, hunting the grizzly was a very different affair, and no animal on the American continent was more dreaded, his fierceness and vital force when wounded filling the most reckless hunters with a wholesome dread. It was not at all unusual for a grizzly with a bullet through his heart to pursue and tear to pieces the hunter, whose long, single barreled, muzzle loading rifle, with its one round lead bullet, was altogether inadequate for such a contest. It is a strange thing, too, that, while the grizzly bear is an omnivorous feeder, living on anything, from roots and nuts to steer and buffalo meat, he has never been known to devour human flesh.—St. Nicholas.

Quaint Custom In Land Tenure.

At Chingford, in Essex, England, an estate is held by a very curious condition. Whenever it passes into new hands the owner, with his wife, manservant and maidservant, comes on horseback to the parsonage and pays his homage by blowing three blasts upon a horn. He carries a hawk upon his wrist. His servant has a greyhound in a slip, both for the use of the rector for that day. He receives a chicken for the hawk, a peck of oats for his horse and a loaf of bread for his greyhound. After dinner the owner blows three more blasts and then, with his party, withdraws from the rectory.

Sorry He Asked.

An eminent bishop was the speaker at a meeting in the interest of an organization of which a woman is the president and tells of a joke which she perpetrated at his expense a few moments prior to the beginning of the meeting. "I inquired of Mrs. N., with the idea of being facetious, 'How many long winded speakers will there be at this meeting, madam?' 'You are the only one,' she replied charmingly."

Position Well Filled.

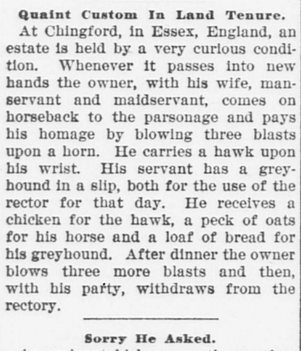
Auntie (to little niece, aged seven, who has been left temporarily in charge of brother, aged three)—Well, Effie, dear, I hope you have been quite a mother to him while mammy's been away. Effie—Oh, yes, auntie, dear, I have. I've smacked him three times.—Punch.

Far Away.

The Brute—What are you thinking of, Mamie?
Mamie—I am dreaming of my youth.
The Brute—I thought you had a far-away look in your eyes.—Princeton Tiger.

When a man falls back on oaths he declares himself out of arguments.

His Regrets.



"Yer ain't beautiful, Fido, an' yer ain't got no pedigree, but I loves yer fer de enemies ye've made."—Chicago American.

The Brute!



Wife—Mr. Dauber, the artist, has asked me to let him paint my face.
Husband—Didn't think one coat was enough, I suppose?

BROCKTON CASES.

Must Railroads Deliver Liquor to the Parties Named?

The cases of the commonwealth against the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad company and one of its agents, Willis Harding, a clerk in the Brockton freight house of the company, were in the police court at Brockton on Tuesday.

It was alleged, says the Globe, that Harding unlawfully sold liquor within the meaning of the law to Antonio Kozlowski, March 16, and that the corporation had made sales to William J. Boyd, Nathan Guerin and J. S. Burnett, expressman.

The case was submitted to the court on a statement of facts, no evidence being introduced. The corporation did not deny delivering liquors to the men named, but contended that it had a right to do so, it not being the intention of the law to include railroads as being concerned in liquor cases when the corporation acted as a common carrier merely.

City Solicitor Dowd claimed that in order to comply with the law the railroad must deliver the goods to the persons named on the package, street and number.

Judge Reed took the matter under advisement. Francis W. Knowlton appeared for the railroad company.

Rates to St. Louis Exposition.

Preliminary announcement is made of $28.25, fifteen days; $35, sixty days, and $42 for season tickets from Boston via. the New York Central Lines. For full particulars send for circular and descriptive folder, A. S. Hanson, Gen. Pass. Agt., Boston.

—A reduction of the debt and all bills paid was report at the parish meeting of Pilgrim Congregational church at North Weymouth Monday evening. The parish committee for 1904 are: George L. Newton, Isaac H. Walker, and Thomas B. Seabury.

—One playing on the piano the music for three songs exerts enough force to raise 1,000 pounds.

DIED.

HALL—In Neponset, March 22, Mrs. Elizabeth M., wife of Mr. George L. Hall, aged 62 years and 8 months.
Funeral from late residence, 571 Freeport street, Thursday, March 24, at 1.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

SMITH—In Quincy, March 22, Mr. Robert R. Smith, aged 44 years, 10 months and 3 days. Funeral from late residence, 41 Granite street, Friday, March 25, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited to attend. 2t

HURLEY—In Quincy Point, March 22, Mr. Patrick H., son of Mrs. Johanna and the late Bartholomew Hurley of Dorchester, aged 23 years.

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"I am still selling the specific at half-price, although I cannot tell how long I shall be able to do so, and anyone who is subject to constipation, sick headache, dizziness, liver trouble, indigestion, or a general played-out condition, ought to take advantage of this chance. You can tell your readers that if they are not satisfied with the specific they can come right back to my store and I will cheerfully refund their money." 23-30-6

THE MORMON CHURCH.

How It Is Governed—The President an Absolute Dictator.

Andrew Jensen, assistant historian of the Mormon church, who recently testified before the senate committee on privileges and elections in the Reed Smoot case, gave an elaborate explanation of the machinery of the church and the distribution of authority among its officers. At the same time he made it clear that the president of the church is the absolute dictator of its affairs, both temporal and spiritual.

As at present organized the Mormon church comprises fifty-three stakes and 700 wards, the stakes being governed



ANDREW JENSEN.

by presidents and the wards by bishops. As three men constitute the first presidency over the whole church, so each stake has a presidency of three persons. The president of a stake is named by the head of the church, and he in turn selects his own two counselors. The bishops of the wards are also named by the president of the church. The people of the wards send up a name or names, and he selects one as bishop. There are also officers called teachers, who are selected by the bishops. Thus all the officers are selected by the president of the church or by the men he has himself put into office.

A stake usually comprises a county, but because of the increase in population there have been made as many as three stakes in one county. In each stake there are from five to thirty wards.

According to Mr. Jensen, the organization of the church extends to all parts of Utah, and, aside from Salt Lake, Weaver and Summit counties, the Mormons were in a majority in all the counties of the state. High officers of the church, who are supposed to devote all of their time to its affairs, are under obligations to get the consent of the president if they desire to enter other business or politics.

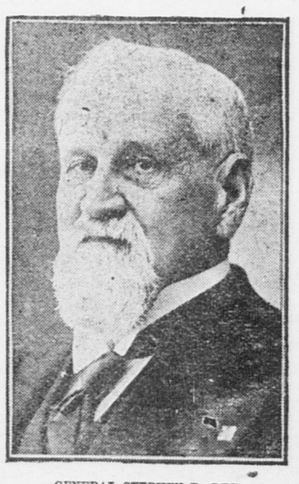
In regard to punishments for breaking rules of the church, any member, the president not excepted, is amenable to the bishop of his ward. A member's moral conduct is treated as a local affair in the ward in which he resides. Mr. Jensen said that if a Mormon should turn informer against a polygamist who had continued to live with plural wives since 1890 such informer would be odious in the sight of most members of the church.

FOUGHT FOR LOST CAUSE.

General S. D. Lee, Commander of Confederate Veterans.

General Stephen Dill Lee of Mississippi, who succeeded the late John B. Gordon as commander of the United Confederate Veterans' association, was one of the men who called upon Fort Sumter to surrender.

He was a graduate of West Point and entered the Confederate army as a captain of artillery at the very outbreak of the war. He took part in the



GENERAL STEPHEN D. LEE.

battles around Richmond in 1862, the Second Bull Run, Vicksburg and many other engagements. At the close of the war he bore the rank of lieutenant general.

General Lee is a native of South Carolina, but has lived in Mississippi since 1865. After the war he labored to dispel sectional bitterness, and a "reunited country" is due as much to his efforts as to those of any individual. Since 1899 General Lee, who is seventy-one years old, has been commissioner of the Vicksburg National Military park.

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Quincy, March 23. tf

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JOHN A. WIGHT,
late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.
All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to me,
GEORGE BOWMAN, Administrator.
(Address) 115 Intervale street.
Quincy, March 16, 1904. 3t-16-23-30

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of
ELIZABETH S. BARKER,
late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.
Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to William P. Barker of said Quincy, without giving a surety on his bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D., 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.
Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1904.
JOHN D. COBB, Register.
March 16. 3t—16-23-30

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FARES HIGH.

Says Representative Fallon After Investigaiion.

Are Less on Other Divisions.

A Schedule Which is Not Favorable to Quincy.

Boston, March 22, 1904.

Editors Quincy Daily Ledger:

I wish to call the attention of the citizens of Quincy to the following:

The New York, New Haven, and Hartford railroad is charging its patrons of this city higher rates of fare, than it does to many of its stations, with greater mileage from Boston than Atlantic, Norfolk Downs, Wollaston, Quincy, Quincy Adams or West Quincy.

Roslindale 6.5 miles from Boston has a five-ride ticket issued for that station for 35 cents whereas Atlantic only 5.5 miles out, pays 38 cents for 5 rides.

Hyde Park and Readville, both further from Boston than Quincy, likewise enjoy five ride tickets for 50 cents.

The schedule submitted for inspection will prove these facts:

PLYMOUTH DIVISION.

Miles.	Station.	Single Fare.	Trip Tickets
4.9	Neponset	10c	5 rides $0.25
5 5	Atlantic	11c	5 rides .38
6.1	Norfolk Downs	12c	10 rides 1.00
6.7	Wollaston	13c	10 rides 1.10
8.	Quincy	15c	10 rides 1.25
8.7	Quincy Adams	17c	10 rides 1 50

GRANITE BRANCH.

6.1	Montclair	12c	10 rides $1.00
7.6	East Milton	14c	10 rides 1.10
8.7	West Quincy	15c	10 rides 1.25

PROVIDENCE DIVISION.

5.3	Forest Hills	9c	5 rides 30c
6.5	Roslindale	12c	5 rides 35c
7.3	Central	13c	5 rides 45c
7.7	Highland	14c	5 rides 50c
8.1	West Roxbury	15c	5 rides 50c
8.5	Spring Street	15c	5 rides 50c

MIDLAND DIVISION.

5.3	Forest Avenue	11c	5 rides 45c
5.9	Mattapan	12c	5 rides 45c
6.5	Rugby	13c	5 rides 50c
6.9	River Street	14c	5 rides 50c
7.8	Fairmount	15c	5 rides 50c
8.3	Glenwood Avenue	17c	5 rides 50c
8.5	Hyde Park	15c	5 rides 50c
9.1	Readville	20c	5 rides 50c

I feel it is my duty at this time to interest myself and endeavor, with the assistance of my constituents, to secure a cheaper rate of fare to Boston from all stations within this city's limits.

It is my intention to procure, if possible, a 12-trip ticket for all Quincy stations at the rate per mile now charged for the 25-ride books.

Petitions for the signatures of all interested citizens will soon be found in City Hall, also in the grocery and drug stores.

As the population of Quincy is steadily increasing and has increased greatly in the past ten years, and with this increase the New Haven road has likewise been benefited, it is my opinion that we should receive a suitable reduction which I feel the Quincy patrons of the New York, New Haven & Hartford, justly deserve.

All are requested to cooperate and take active interest to get for Quincy the same rates enjoyed by many of Boston's minor suburbs.

Yours truly,
Peter T. Fallon.

LEAGUE BOWLING.

The Quincys and East Weymouths Won Last Night.

The distance between the two leading teams of the Old Colony league was opened up this week, the Quincys gaining while the Weymouths lost.

At Quincy.

The games between the Quincy and Quincy Point teams on Wednesday evening were close and one required a roll off. Quincy won the first by 2 pins, and the last by 11 pins.

The summary.

QUINCYS.

	1	2	3	Total
Morton,	76	100	85	261
Hartney,	87	74	62	223
Smith,	100	79	84	263
Grant,	62	79	78	219
Moorhead,	91	79	73	243
Totals,	416	*411	382	1209

QUINCY POINTS.

	1	2	3	Total
Dunn,	97	82	77	256
Porter,	84	86	72	242
McMasters,	72	86	73	231
Lyons,	69	80	82	231
Flynn,	92	77	67	236
Totals,	414	411	371	1195

* Quincy Point won rolloff.

At Weymouth.

The East Weymouth team pulled up on the Weymouths Wednesday evening, winning two games out of three. The Weymouths had the best three string total, but put all their energy into the the second game.

The summary:

EAST WEYMOUTHS.

	1	2	3	Total
Smith,	89	76	84	249
Levangie,	79	80	88	242
Farrar,	84	94	82	260
Flannery,	79	80	86	245
Welch,	88	75	89	252
Totals,	419	405	424	1268

WEYMOUTHS.

	1	2	3	Total
Burrell,	77	89	83	249
Peleran,	89	91	73	253
Turner,	88	93	93	277
Glover,	79	72	81	232
Connell,	76	84	80	241
Totals,	409	432	411	1252

League Standing.

The standing to date:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Quincys	60	48	12	80
Weymouths	60	33	27	55
East Weymouths	60	22	38	37
Quincy Points	60	17	43	28

THE CELLAR.

A Place Where Perpetual Cleanliness Should Reign—Often a Death Trap.

"It isn't typhoid, malaria, grip or spring fever half so much as decayed vegetables in the cellar," said one physician to another when called in consultation over a severe case of fever.

It is a popular notion that the cellar should be cleaned in the spring cleaning time, but by spring the seeds of disease and death may have been sown, and cleaning comes too late to save the life of some member of the family.

Cleaning the cellar should be a weekly affair, but with the breaking up of cold weather greater attention to its condition is required.

Decayed vegetables should not be allowed to remain one hour, and all specked or spotted fruits should be removed.

The cellar should receive a daily airing. This does not mean to leave the windows open long enough to freeze the vegetables and fruit, but in the severe cold weather let the windows be opened to allow a circulation of fresh air and closed quickly.

Jars, pots and barrels should be thoroughly cleared before putting away, and untiring watchfulness should preside over this portion of the house.

In the spring the walls should be swept down, sprinkled with water and a little sulphur be burned in the cellar.

Upon a pan of ashes, hot or cold, place a tablespoonful of sulphur in a little heap. Touch a lighted match to it and leave it to burn. It will slowly consume and will kill all unpleasant odors and disease germs.—Table Talk.

Cleaning Furs.

Furs dark in color may be cleaned first by brushing them well with a switch, after hanging over a line, then by rubbing well heated cedar or mahogany sawdust into the fur and brushing out again. The best way to remove the same after the cleaning is done is to put the fur side down on feather pillows and beat thoroughly or until all dust is removed.

If the furs are soiled at neck or wrists, they may be cleaned with gasoline—of course in a room or outdoors, where no fire is.

White furs may be cleaned with hot cornmeal (white), the same being rubbed into the fur as described above for the dark furs with sawdust. Both the dark and white furs should be hung outdoors in a shady place after cleaning.

Magnesia may also be used for cleaning light colored or white furs. It should be used in cakes and the cake rubbed upon the fur.

NOT GUILTY.

Railroad and Agent Discharged in Brockton Liquor Cases.

The N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad company and its agent, Willis Harding, were found not guilty in the police court at Brockton on Wednesday, of violation of the liquor laws.

They were summoned into court by City Marshal William A. Boyden, says the Globe, charged with breaking the law in delivering to certain local expressmen packages of liquor which were marked for other persons in the city.

The counsel for the corporation and Harding, its agent, contended that the corporation was a common carrier, and the intent of the law was not to include railroad corporations, since they were common carriers and could not deliver packages to street addresses.

Judge Reed ruled that it was a case where the law in question was not couched in language clear and precise, and he was forced to consider which meaning was the most reasonable and best suited to accomplish the object of the statute.

Accordingly the defendants were found not guilty.

City Marshal Boyden is still confined to his bed, as a result of a recent accident. It is believed, however, that he will try to present evidence before the grand jury, in an endeavor to bring a new case and stop the business of liquor expressmen who do not have messengers on the trains.

ABOVE SUSPICION.

Crew of Fels & Co. Know Nothing of the Burglary.

A representative of Fels & Co. of Philadelphia was in town today to correct any mistaken ideas which Quincy people may have connecting employes with the recent burglary. It seems that there is more than one soap company at work here.

Fels & Co. have six men here in charge of a crew manager. They have no wagon, and offer no goods for sale. The character of the men are known, and they are making their headquarters in Quincy while at work here. The men are simply giving away one sample at each house, and they are under the eye of the manager at all times.

The neighborhood in the vicinity of Mr. Harper's home was covered March 14, six days in advance of the burglary. The representative of the firm is positive his men should not be held up to suspicion.

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NO CONTESTS

Except in Ward Three for Delegates

To the Republican Conventions.

The Most Interest Being Taken in Congressional District.

Nomination papers for delegates to the State and Congressional conventions to be voted for at the Republican caucuses, were opened Wednesday evening at Republican headquarters. The only ward in which there is a contest is Ward Three, where a double list for both conventions has been filed.

The delegates nominated are as follows:

WARD ONE.

State,—Charles A. Howland, Warren W. Adams and John O. Hall.

Congressional,—Archibald F. MacLeod, Charles C. Hearn and Albert G. Dolliver.

WARD TWO.

State,—Thaddeus H. Newcomb and Arthur W. Newcomb.

Congressional,—Rollin H. Newcomb and C. Arthur Sampson.

WARD THREE.

State,—Frederick L. Jones, Alexander Falconer, and William T. Spargo.

Second list,—Walter E. Piper, John P. Bigelow and James Thompson.

Congressional,—Harry S. Nicol, John Robie and Frank Tinney.

Second list, John F. Bigelow, John Kennedy, Frank L. Carlton.

WARD FOUR.

State,—Edward J. Sandberg and William Duane.

Congressional,—Thomas F. Burke and William H. Teasdale.

WARD FIVE.

State,—Walter S. Pinkham, Henry O. Fairbanks, Herbert Y. Follett and William M. Chase.

Congressional,—Charles M. Bryant, W. J. Wellington, Albert G. Olney and Richard R. Freeman.

WARD SIX.

State,—Roger H. Wilde and Ralph W. Hobbs.

Congressional,—Daniel McGrath and James H. Cunningham.

No more nominations can be filed.

Cutting Affray.

There was quite a serious cutting affray in an Italian boarding house on Brackett street this morning, during which Tony De Priska was badly slashed about the face; his nose being nearly severed.

The row is said to have started over a pint of milk at the breakfast table. Just what the bone of contention was could not be learned, as the parties speak but little English.

It is reported, however, that Nicola D'Amelio threw a bowl at Tony's head. At this Tony ran into the yard, closely followed by Nicola and his brother Joseph. Here the two brothers attacked Tony with a knife. They got him down and slashed him several times in the face.

It is also said that Joseph held Tony while Nicola used the knife.

After the cutting the two brothers started off, and it is thought that they have gone toward Boston. Inspector McKay, who was called, learned that the men did not go toward Houghs Neck as was at first supposed.

The injured man's wounds were dressed by Dr. Garey.

United Presbyterian.

There will be a preaching service at the United Presbyterian church, Fort Square, this evening by Rev. J. A. Alexander of Cambridge, preparatory to the communion at 7.30. Meeting of session at the close to receive members.

Rev. Barr will meet with "The Bible Training Class" this evening at 6.30; subject, "Lord's Supper"; historical lesson, "Palestine."

Rev. Dr. McLennan of Boston will preach tomorrow night at 7.30. The doctor is a favorite with our people as is also Brother Alexander.

—In France the officer wears his uniform on every possible occasion. Here in the United States he takes it off whenever he is not on duty, and in Washington army uniforms are seldom seen, even in the war department, while they are indeed rare on the streets.

McQueen—Ross.

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. John McKinnon 276 Water street, Wednesday evening, March 23, when Miss Mary Catherine Ross, sister of Mrs. McKinnon was united in marriage to Mr. Duncan James McQueen; in the presence of a number or relatives and friends.

The bride wore a gown of white point d'esprit, trimmed in satin ribbon, and carried a bunch of white carnations.

Mr. Alexander Ross, brother of the bride, was best man, and Miss Katie McDonald was bridesmaid.

Rev. William B. Barr performed the ceremony.

After an informal reception an excellent wedding supper was served.

The presents were numerous and handsome.

Mr. and Mrs. McQueen will reside in Quincy and have the best wishes of their many friends.

High School Social.

The three upper classes at the Quincy High school—the seniors, juniors and sophomores—observed the close of the winter term of school with a social at High School hall Wednesday evening. There was a committee of fifteen, five from each class, with Homer Morrison as chairman. While half the hall was reserved for dancing, there were games in the other half, so that there was a variety of entertainment. Four members of the freshman class served lemonade during the evening. Head Master Harper and other teachers were present. The attendance was large.

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Fresh Killed Fowl,	16c.
Rib Corn Beef,	8c.
2 lbs. Good Steak,	25c.
Bacon by Strip,	12 1-2c.
Bermuda Onions,	8c.
Fancy Lettuce,	6c.
Potatoes,	$1.10 Bushel.

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

The loan order for water pipe which caused so much controversy last December has not yet been negotiated.

A file was discovered in the shoe-sole of one of the boodlers temporarily detained in durance in St. Louis. He laughed and said it was of no consequence. Merely going to file his bonds, probably.

The building ordinance forwarded to the City Council this week is said to have the endorsement of the Master Builders' Association. The building being erected on Copeland street near Common street, and Whicher's factory on Main street which is to become a tenement house, should come under such an ordinance.

The contest is on in Alabama between Merrimac Hobson and Congressman Bankhead, and the welkin rings whenever Hobson opens his mouth. He is for a twenty billion dollar navy and he doesn't begrudge a single dollar of it. Bankhead lies low and stays in Washington and trusts his people. The race is nip and tuck.

Drift of Opinion.

☞The Gloucester quarrymen and their employes will split rocks harmoniously for another year because they found no rock on which to split around the wage question.—Taunton Gazette.

☞What does the man in the street see in a bed room? Probably a bed; possibly a wash stand; problematically a bath. But what does the eye of science behold? Unutterable things, perhaps. Beds and bacteria, mattresses and microbes, dressing gowns and deadly gases, gas jets and carbonic oxide, tapestries and toxins. It is little wonder that so many people say their prayers before going to bed, or that so many people die there.—London Chic.

☞Success in life consists in fitting oneself to one's environment, and one thing more—elevating the environment. Whether college education helps or hinders depends upon the man and the environment. Higher education would not help a digger of ditches or a mere grubber after money. But it is indispensable to men whose interest and pursuits extend beyond themselves. If education were what it ought to be—charater development—it would make every man more successful in life. But unfortunately it is not always that.—Beverly Times.

☞The stand-patters are willing to yield a little and swing the door just a crack more widely. According to the Advertiser, the state Republican platform is to contain a reciprocity plank written upon protectionist lines, which is what about every honest reciprocity advocate wants. It is to set forth that reciprocal agreements will be for the benefit of the country in providing for the exchange of non-competitive or "not highly competitive" products, following the statesmanship of Blaine and McKinley. The descriptive "not highly competitive" is evidently calculated to be broad enough to meet any wants that may wants that may be mentioned at this time and also capable of being narrowed down to fit any wants that may be mentioned by other people when the matter is brought up in congress. To be sure this is following the statesmanship of Blaine and McKinley, but it is following at such long distance that they will lose sight of the leaders at slight provocation of a cloud of dust.—Haverhill Gazette.

—The total rolling stock of all the Massachusetts railroads in 1903 was:—locomotives, 2277; passenger cars, 3398; baggage, express and mail cars, 650; freight cars, 34,825; gravel cars, etc., 1865.

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LAND BATTLES NEXT MONTH

Central Manchuria Likely to Be the Theatre of Contest

WAR WILL BE A LONG ONE

Japs Will Endeavor to Isolate Port Arthur, but Not by Assault--Commissariat the Greatest Difficulty Facing Them, Owing to Poor Food Supplies In Korea--Neutrals at New Chwang Want Protection of American Man-of-War

London, March 24.—The stringent Japanese censorship is likely to be relaxed early in April, says the well informed Daily Telegraph's Seoul correspondent. This coincides with the numerous indications of the imminence of land operations.

In the meantime the veil has not lifted and not a word has yet been issued, either officially from Japan or unofficially from any other source, concerning the last bombardment of Port Arthur.

The Times prominently publishes an opinion of a correspondent that Japan will land her main army at New Chwang, and that she also probably will seize Hai Cheng (15 miles eastward, and on the railway) as an additional base, and that, without seriously attacking either Port Arthur or Vladivostok, the war will be fought out on the plains of central Manchuria. It is almost certain, in the correspondent's opinion, that the war will be a long one and that at the worst Japan will retain a way to retreat overland into Korea. If she secures New Chwang, he says, her prestige will be established, and he adds that the water ways of southern Manchuria will be of inestimable value in somewhat counterbalancing the weakness of Japan in her cavalry.

That the Japanese will seek to isolate Port Arthur—in other words, lay siege to the place—goes without saying; that they will try to take the place by assault at this time does not seem likely, unless the political situation in Japan should demand it. To take Port Arthur by assault would cost Japan a great many lives. There would be no compensating advantage to Japan at the present moment other than the moral effect it would have on the combatants.

Japan could cut the railroad in the rear of Port Arthur, fortify and hold some part of the Liao Tung peninsula in sufficient strength to prevent any successful sortie by the garrison, and then work up the railroad line through New Chwang toward Hai Cheng, Liao Yang and Mukden on the Russian right.

A series of messages sent by a correspondent of The Daily Mail at Cinampho, Korea, describes the perfect organization and arrangements of the Japanese in Korea. Elaborate preparations have been made for landing troops and advancing them through the country, and pontoon bridges and stables are built wherever they are found to be necessary. The greatest difficulty facing the Japanese is the commissariat, as owing to the poor food supplies of Korea, it is only possible at present to maintain 90,000 men.

The Japanese hold two enormously strong positions, at Ping Yang and on the Miokak San range between Hwang Ju and Seoul. The latter, the correspondent says, is probably impregnable and secures Seoul from land attacks from the northwest. In the the event of defeat it is intended to hold the passes at Kazan, thus protecting the Ping Yang valley. The Japanese troops are suffering from dysentery and pneumonia and many of the cavalry horses, which the correspondent says are poor, have died, but the army is full of spirit.

There are probably 20,000 Japanese at Ping Yang, which, the correspondent points out, might easily have been taken when the Russian scouts first arrived, there being then only 250 Japanese soldiers there. The Russians intended to make Anju their base, but owing to the delay in the arrival of reinforcements they feared being cut off and so retired.

An informal meeting of the foreign consuls stationed at New Chwang has been called for the purpose of discussing means for securing the protection of the property of neutrals, in view of the fact that New Chwang is now surrounded by large Russian forces, having breastworks and batteries established at the railway station on the east side of the River Liao and also at the fort on the west side. This situation exposes the treaty port to the danger of cannonade, should the Japanese come.

On account of the fear that the United States gunboat Helena will be withdrawn, American residents at New Chwang have telegraphed to United States Minister Conger at Pekin, requesting the presence of an American man-of-war in constant communication during the continuance of the war for the purpose of especially protecting property during the disorder that it is expected will attend the interregnum between Russian and Japanese occupations.

THE BOY OF TODAY.

One View of Him—A New Ideal of Training Suggested.

It is now generally agreed that man is expected to work out his own life problem, the age of miracles and special dispensations being long past. Therefore when the boy, from the highest social grade to the lowest, is found to be the moral inferior of the girl of his own age and station even the least thoughtful will understand that there must be grave fault in training to bring about such a result. That the case may not seem to be overstated, let representative facts be cited. For example, educators in the public schools are at the moment demanding the return of corporal punishment as a disciplinary measure for boys. Asked, "If the law were passed would it not have to apply also to girls?" it was answered that although it would the question was of no moment, as when a similar law was operative a few years ago not a girl had made herself eligible for rod punishment. The agitation is wholly in behalf of boys. Take another example: In Harvard university this term the dean of the Lawrence Scientific school, Professor Shaler, appeared before the 600 students in the geology class and delivered a scathing address on their conduct toward a substitute professor. This had consisted in hurling copper cents, chalk, books and old shoes. At a later lecture the missiles included two eggs. The justly indignant dean stated that during most of the thirty years he had been instructor his audiences had been made up of gentlemen, but that for the last few years classes of loafers had been coming into the university.

Now, to one who disbelieves, as all intelligent persons must, in inherent moral superiority of girls and women there must be some reason for this universal barbarism of the boy, for that is what ails him. The reason is not far to seek, and it is all epitomized in that much quoted and much esteemed maxim, "Boys will be boys." From the time, in his baby days, when he is given a drum or a trumpet or some other ear splitting, noise producing article and encouraged to disregard the rights of others in the matter of reasonable quiet until he passes from parental control he is allowed a license and tolerated in lines of conduct which breed in him a profound contempt for the rights of any whom he may bully or override. At the bottom of all boyish wrongdoing is that indifference to the rights of others. The remedy lies wholly with parents and educators.

Let us hope the time is not far distant when the ideal for boys will be changed from "boys will be boys" (with all the licenses therein implied) to high chivalry in all things.—Vogue.

The New Style Marquise Ring.

Just when everybody on this side the water is settling down to the conviction that the marquise ring is a bit passe comes the news from Paris, through the Jewelers' Circular, that this really elegant and beautiful ring model has taken on new life and enjoys the greatest popularity there. It is, however, "a jour" or in openwork, distinguished from the old style solid mass of stones. A superb example is shown. It is of chased matt gold, framed with diamonds, and presents in its center a beautiful design enriched with a large opal and two rubies.



THE LATEST RING.

Heat and Air In the Dining Room.

The temperature of the dining room should not be as high as that in the living rooms of the house. People lose the relish for their food as much when they are compelled to eat in an overheated room as when it is not ventilated properly. Probably the majority of people would name 70 degrees F. the proper heat for the room, but this is much too high. An authority in these matters says: "Have the room neither too cold nor too warm. The temperature should never exceed 60 degrees. The dining room should be well aired before dinner commences." Those who have suffered from the discomforts of an overheated room are likely to agree with this authority after making a trial of different temperatures. Servants should be instructed to air the room thoroughly just before dinner and lower or raise the temperature, as the case may be, until the proper heat is obtained.

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SHOOTING AT LYNN

Case Surrounded With Atmosphere of Mystery

Lynn, Mass., March 24.—John J. Tucker, an expressman, was shot and probably fatally wounded late last night. Tucker told the police after the shooting that he did not know his assailants, but the police, after a more extended investigation, expressed the belief that he did know who shot him.

The affair happened about 10:30 o'clock on Railroad avenue. Few people were on the avenue at the time, but the sound of the firing attracted attention of persons in Central square and a crowd was on the scene almost immediately. A man and woman were seen running around the corner of Washington street. A moment later Tucker staggered into a saloon. He was bleeding from a wound in the back and was taken to the Lynn hospital.

After an examination of his injury the surgeons stated that Tucker would probably die. Should he live his legs, it was said, would be paralyzed. The bullet entered his back and came out through the skin covering the abdomen.

The police believe that Tucker witnessed a quarrel between two men over a woman, took part in it and was shot by one of the men.

Campaign Oratory

Providence, March 24.—The Republican national campaign in Rhode Island was virtually opened last night by Secretary of the Treasury Shaw and Senator Aldrich, who were the principal speakers at the banquet of the Young Men's Republican club here. Trust legislation, its progress under several administrations and the attitude of former President Cleveland in regard to such legislation, constituted the principal points of Shaw's address, while Aldrich tried to impress upon his hearers the necessity of organized effort in order to ensure party success.

Guilty of Perjury

Waterbury, Conn., March 24.—A verdict of guilty of perjury was returned by a jury against Willis Vandemark, formerly a trolleyman. During the street railway strike last year a non-union conductor and motorman of a car were viciously assaulted by a crowd of masked men at Waterville. It was the testimony given by Vandemark at that trial in establishing an alibi that led to his arrest recently on the perjury charge. Vandemark was sentenced to imprisonment for not more than three years and not less than two years.

May Not Have Been a Suicide

Danbury, Conn., March 24.—Relatives of George C. Rockwell, the young farmer of this city who was found dead beneath a railroad bridge in New Haven with a bullet wound in his head, are not wholly satisfied that the case was one of suicide and will probably take steps to have a further investigation made. Just before the body was buried discolorations that had the appearance of finger marks on the man's throat were observed and these gave rise to a suspicion that he had been possibly murdered.

Ice Beginning to Move

Bucksport, Me., March 24.—The ice in the river from a point off Winterport to Fort Point is now well broken up. The Winterport and the Bucksport ferries are running. The western bay is still closed by an ice field, which closes Belfast, Searsport and Stockton harbors. This field shows signs of weakness.

Accidentally Killed Sister

Washington, N. H., March 24.—Katherine Sanborn, aged 10, died from the effects of a wound received through the accidental discharge of a shotgun in the hands of her brother, aged 11. The charge entered the child's back. The boy was cleaning the weapon when the accident occurred.

Corbin's Second Great Gift

New Britain, Conn., March 24.—Philip Corbin announces the gift of a chime of 14 bells to the South Congregational church of this city, as a companion gift to the $20,000 organ presented by him a few years ago. The chimes will weigh 19,000 pounds.

Placing Ban on Tramps

Boston, March 24.—A favorable report was made in the house on a bill to enforce the laws against tramps. The bill provides for the addition to the state police force of one man who shall give his whole attention to the suppression of vagabondage.

For Songbirds' Protection

Providence, March 24.—For increased protection of songbirds of the state the senate passed an act providing for a bounty on wild owls, crows and hawks, with the exception of the fishhawk.

To Head Off Impeachment

Washington, March 24.—A member of the house committee on the judiciary has prepared a bill looking to a consolidation of the northern and southern judicial districts of Florida. This expedient is proposed to legislate Judge Swayne out of office and avoid the necessity of impeaching him, but there is serious objection to this plan.

Symons to Leave Washington

Washington, March 24.—Colonel Symonds, superintendent of public buildings and grounds here, says that he has decided that his duty to the citizens of New York calls on him to accept their invitation to become one of the board of consulting engineers of the New York state canal.

Cotton Mills to Be Sold

Charleston, March 24.—Judge Brawley, in the United States circuit court, ordered the sale of the DeKalb Cotton mills, at Camden, S. C., for the benefit of creditors. The upset price is $150,000.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mrs. Daniel Nyhan of Hancock street is seriously ill.

Mrs. Patrick Barry of Sagamore street is quite ill.

The alarm from Box 28 at 10.42 Wednesday night was a false alarm.

The whist party of the Mt. Wollaston Associates to have been held this evening, has been postponed.

Miss Bertha L. Tower has given up her position at Mr. Tanner's store to take a much needed rest.

The first dancing party of the season will be held in Music hall, Atlantic on Friday evening of this week.

Ward Five is now entitled to more delegates to the Republican conventions than are Wards One and Three.

Mrs. Leon H. Austin, who has been slightly ill for the past few days, is able to be about the house once more.

The brass foundry of Norfolk Downs, which has been closed for some time, has been reopened by a different party.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Newcomb, formerly of Quincy, who have been spending the winter in Maine, are visiting their daughter in Lynn.

Mrs. E. E. Willey and family has purchased and moved into the house on Walker street recently owned by James Churchill of Billings street.

William T. Shea, Michael T. Sullivan and Peter T. Cahill are the committee on invitations for the annual ball of Quincy council, Knights of Columbus.

The residents of Ward Two are glad to learn that their councilman, Mr. Stone has a movement on foot to procure a sidewalk on South and East Howard streets.

The L. A. S. held a large whist party at G. A. R. hall on Wednesday evening, there being fourteen tables in play. Souvenirs were awarded to Mrs. Calvin Fletcher, Jonathan Keast, Arthur Merritt and Miss Elvira Ewell.

MILTON.

The Assessors have organized with George W. Nickerson as chairman and William D. Churchill as secretary.

East Milton will become an international money order office April 1.

The new Warrant committee has organized with C. S. Pierce as chairman and J. H. Perkins as clerk.

The ladies guild of the Mission church will hold its annual fair April 6.

A son was born on Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walsh of Squantum street.

A parish meeting of the East Milton Congregational church will be held next Monday evening.

Christopher Graham, the East Milton grocer, was taken to the Massachusetts General hospital on Monday, where he will undergo an operation for a stomach trouble.

The Pierian Sodality, with Mrs. Mary Knowlton reader, will give a concert at the Town Hall under the auspices of the Woman's Relief Corps on Friday evening.

The return dance by the gentlemen who participated in the recent leap year party at Ellsworth hall will be held April 8.

Labor-Saving Number.

The March issue of the Engineering Magazine is a remarkable one. It is known as the first labor-saving number. It places in the hands of thinking men in the engineering and machinery trades a survey of progress in labor-saving machinery and methods from the invention of the condensing engine down to our times. The present number is confined to laying the groundwork of the series, while those yet to come will deal more specifically with the very latest and best standards in machinery and methods.

Seriously Injured.

While playing with other boys on Sunday at Patch's ice house at Quincy Neck, David Melville had the misfortune to fall from the run, a distance of about thirty feet. Dr. C. M. Marstin of Braintree was in the neighborhood and took the unconscious boy home. His collar bone was broken and also his shoulder blade. For a couple of days concussion of the brain was feared but now his chances of recovery are good. He is the son of Mr. Charles T. Melville of East Howard street.

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—The report of the Lynn Hospital for 1903, just issued, shows that the places of nativity of the 1253 patients during the year includes many States and countries. The largest number, 307, were born in Lynn, and 245 in other places in Massachusetts.

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For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P.M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.30, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —At 7.30 and 30 minutes past every hour until 8 30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10. Sundays: 8.30 A. M., then same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

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Filipinos Wrestling With Problems of Self-Government

THE POPULAR ASSEMBLY

Natives Will Probably Propose Ideas For Universal Salvation --Guarantee Needed to Bring American Capital to Islands

Washington, March 24.—"I have just received a letter from Governor Wright," said Secretary Taft, in his testimony before the house committee on insular affairs, "in which he remarks that, judging by the number of protests and contests following the recent election, the Filipinos were acquiring a knowledge of how an election should be conducted that was quite Anglo-Saxon." Leaving the details of the particular bill under consideration the committee members of both parties plied the secretary with questions relating to the general status of Filipinos with respect to the problems of self government.

"If it is a fair question," said Mr. Needham, "I should like to ask whether the people generally are pretty well satisfied with American occupation."

"I think they are," said the secretary. "They are an Oriental people, inclined to be courteous and polite, and it is necessary to discount a little what they say. Still it is not too much to say that they seem to be satisfied. They are beginning to believe more in our desire to aid them. It was expected in some quarters that when I left the islands what was called a "stiffer" American policy would be inaugurated. Governor Wright has removed that idea. Expressions in the Filipino papers since his inaugural address show that they are thoroughly satisfied. I do not mean, of course, that they do not have ambitions and aspirations for further self-government. They are looking forward eagerly to the establishment of the popular assembly."

"Do not many of them look forward

"Do not many of them look forward to independence?" asked another member of the committee. "Yes," said the ex-governor, "many of them do."

"Do you expect them to be successful as legislators?" was asked.

"They will need education," was the answer. "I do not doubt that at first they will pass acts for the complete regeneration of mankind. The Filipinos from the universities especially are disposed to very large schemes of universal salvation. They need to learn the difference between political theories and practical government. I am sure that the establishment of the popular assembly will help greatly to their political education."

Earlier in the hearing Secretary Taft talked of the opportunities for capital in the islands. "I doubt" he said, "if manufactories will be introduced in large numbers. They have had rope walks and they now have cigar manufactories. Then they have the manual trades as in furniture and hats. Their hardwoods are beautiful and valuable, but the best are found in groves of other trees which makes it very expensive to get them out. As machinery for dragging them out and transportation is improved these will get more readily to the producing centres.

"There are practically no American investments except the $3,000,000 for the Manila street railway. In land I do not know of a single investment by Americans, but they are perhaps waiting for the public lands to be sold. After those lands are distributed, I think that there will be more small native farmers than among any other population of the world. You have allowed them 40 acres, but in rice, hemp or cocoanuts, a man can produce enough to support himself and his family from considerably less than 40 acres."

The secretary believed capital would not go to the islands for railway building without a guarantee of some sort. He had discussed this matter with New York capitalists and believed if the Philippine commission was authorized to make a guarantee the required capital would be secured.

France Will Not Get Morocco

London, March 24.—Foreign Secretary Lansdowne, in a letter replying to an inquiry from merchants, says that no agreement has yet been concluded with France concerning Morocco, and that none was ever contemplated by which Morocco would be ceded to France.

Instructed For Roosevelt

Jackson, Miss., March 24.—The eight congressional districts have held conventions and passed resolutions endorsing President Roosevelt's administration and instructing the delegates-at-large to cast their ballots for his nomination.

Fire Extends Seven Miles

Holdrege, Neb., March 24.—A terrific prairie fire is raging along the line of the Burlington road for a distance of seven miles. August Olsen was burned to death, and two other persons are believed to have lost their lives.

Negroes Got Worst of It

St. Charles, Ark., March 24.—A posse of deputy sheriffs, while engaged in a search for two negroes here, was fired upon by a party of negroes. The whites returned the fire and instantly killed two negroes.

HUBBARD'S DEATH

Details by Surviving White Man of the Exploring Party

Williamstown, Mass., March 24.—The report of the death of Leonidas Hubbard, Jr., assistant editor of Outing magazine, while on an exploring expedition in Labrador, is confirmed by a letter received by relatives of A. D. Wallace, who is the surviving white man of the party. The letter was written by Wallace at Northwest river in December, nearly two months after the death of Hubbard.

While in the deep interior Hubbard's strength failed him and the party started back, hoping to reach provisions. When Hubbard was able to go no further, Wallace and George, the Indian guide, made him comfortable and went on for provisions and assistance. Wallace found a quantity of flour which the party left on its way in, about 12 miles from the place where Hubbard was left, and started back with it, while George went 40 miles beyond to find a party of trappers.

On the return trip Wallace lost his way in the deep snow, and was near death and out of his mind when found by George's party. Wallace was cared for and soon regained his strength, but Hubbard died the same day. Wallace was badly frostbitten and had to stop at Northwest river to recover.

Senators In Liberal Mood

Washington, March 24.—The senate committee on appropriations has reported the District of Columbia appropriation bill. It carries $11,363,204, an increase of $1,168,727 over the bill as passed by the house. The bill as passed by the house decreased telephone rates and provided that any violation of the rates fixed should work a forfeiture of all rights within the district. The senate committee struck out the entire house provision, including the penalty clause, and adopted a substitute fixing a higher rate.

Helped Capture Booth

Washington, March 24.—Representative Dixon (Mont.) has introduced a bill to pension at $108 a month former Judge Conger, who was judge during the territorial day of that state, and who is now paralyzed. The claim is made that he was in charge of the detachment of soldiers which shot and captured John Wilkes Booth after the assassination of Lincoln. Judge Conger was at that time lieutenant colonel of the First District of Columbia cavalry on special duty at the war department.

Postal Cars' Age Settled

Washington, March 24.—When the house adjourned some progress had been made in the reading of the post-office appropriation bill for amendment, but only six pages were disposed of. The question as to the length of time a postal car may be used before it becomes unfit for service was settled by the house when an amendment was adopted providing that no part of the appropriation shall be used for the rental of cars which have been in service for more than 15 years.

Trusts Are Not Disturbed

Detroit, March 24.—Interstate Commerce Commissioner Prouty, who is in the city to take testimony in a case before the commission, says: "I don't believe that the Northern Securities decision will result in the breaking up of any more combinations. It was absurd to announce the decision of the merger case as a great blow at the trusts. It affects no other concern."

Nine Prejudiced Jurymen

Chicago, March 24.—In a jury drawn to weigh evidence in a case where labor and capital were opposed, nine of the 12 men declared to Judge Mack that they would not consider his instructions on the law in the case, but would find a verdict in favor of the workmen. All were ordered from the jury box by the judge. The verdict in the case was in favor of the employers.

Eight-Hour Law Would Hurt

Washington, March 24.—The house committee on labor listened to an argument against the eight-hour bill by Treasurer Calloway of the Unity Cotton mill at Lagrange, Ga. The enactment of the bill, he said, would affect the cotton industry of the south adversely, when, because of its infancy, it should be encouraged.

Status of Lynn Strike

Lynn, Mass., March 24.—The executive board of the Shoe Workers' Protective union met last night and made preparations for a long struggle. It was decided not to ask for a sympathetic strike movement among other unions in the different factories nor to picket the factories.

President Gives Good Advice

Washington, March 24.—President Roosevelt soundly lectured a party of Ogallala Sioux Indians who called upon him. He told them that if they would stop horse racing and gambling and devote their energies to cattle raising and agriculture they soon might become valuable citizens.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Governor Cummins of Iowa is seriously ill with an attack of the grip and is threatened with pneumonia.

The comptroller of the currency has appointed John W. Wilson receiver of the Orange Growers' National bank of Riverside, Cal., which has closed its doors.

Brown university now has, for the first time since the recent athletic tangle, a full board of athletic managers.

While conversing with friends in the office of furniture dealers at Boston George C. Merriam, a manufacturer of Meriden, Conn., aged 63, dropped dead of heart disease.

PERMANENT PEACE

Japanese Premier Declares That to Be His Country's Policy

Tokio, March 24.—The special session of the diet has entered upon the business for which it was called. Premier Katsura said the diet had been summoned at an unparalleled moment in the annals of the country. The maintenance of permanent peace in the far east, the consolidation of the position of the emperor, the promotion of friendly relations with the great powers and respect for the legitimate rights of the powers was, he said, the established national policy of Japan.

Continuing, the premier said: "Russia not only failed to meet the Japanese proposals, but defiantly resorted to actions calculated to injure the national rights of Japan, and Japan was compelled in self-defense to terminate the negotiations and take independent action."

The premier placed before the house the full text of diplomatic correspondence with Russia, beginning with the opening of negotiations last July and ending with the instructions to Mr. Kurino, Japanese minister to Russia, to withdraw from St. Petersburg. The subject of this correspondence has already been made public.

Mr. Komura, minister for foreign affairs, said he was confident the world would recognize the justice and patience uniformly exercised by Japan in carrying forward the negotiations with Russia. The minister said he was anxiously desirous of peace, being mindful of the woeful consequences which war brings to mankind.

Ex-Minister Seward's Views

New York, March 24.—George F. Seward, formerly United States minister to China, who spent nearly 20 years in the far east, addressed the Unitarian club last night. Mr. Seward said his sympathies were with Japan. "Japan," he said, "is really fighting for all Asia against the peril of European encroachments. Asia has more need to fear Europe than Europe to fear Asia.

"To round out her eastern territory Russia needs Manchuria and Korea. She has now plunged into a war with Japan instead of agreeing to make no invasion of China's territory. England is the natural ally and friend of China and Japan. England, like America, is desirous of maintaining the integrity of China.

"The alliance of France and Russia is chiefly sentimental. Germany is an ambitious nation and has seized a port of great value on the coast of China, just back of Shansi. This is Germany's objective point and she will at no far distant day take up this territory—only 100 miles from the sea. With Germany in possession of these lands and Russia in possession of Manchuria, the rest of China would prove an easy victim. The division of the remaining territory would probably involve the nations of Europe in a war, the like of which this world never knew."

Excuse For Germany to Butt In

London, March 24.—The Daily Mail's Che Foo correspondent comments upon a report United States Consul Fowler at Che Foo has received of native anti-tax riots at Chong Ang Chow, where the Germans were massacred in 1898, as giving Germany a pretext to safeguard her interests in the province of Shantung.

State of Siege Not General

St. Petersburg, March 24.—Reports to the effect that a state of siege such as has been proclaimed in Siberia and in Saratoff province, southeastern Russia, through which the Siberian railroad runs, will be extended to the whole of European Russia, are officially declared to be false.

Russians Violate Agreement

Shanghai, March 24.—The Russians continue to evade the carrying out of the agreement to dismantle the gunboat Mandjur, in port here. A Japanese cruiser remains at Woo Sung (10 miles from Shanghai, at the mouth of the Woo Sung river).

Battleship Sank Last Week

Berlin, March 24.—A special dispatch from Yokohama repeats the report sent from Tokio that the Japanese made an attack on Port Arthur March 18 and sank a Russian battleship.

Returning Home to Fight

San Francisco, March 24.—Steamer Siberia has sailed for the Orient with 52 passengers and a full cargo of general merchandise. Among the passengers were 25 Japanese army officers returning home from England.

Claim of $50,000 Cut Out

Washington, March 24.—The senate spent the greater part of the day considering the Indian appropriation bill. Three hours of the time was given to discussion of a claim of $50,000 for services rendered the Choctaw Indians. It finally was eliminated from the bill.

Failure of Indian Bank

Holdenville, I. T., March 24.—The National bank of Holdenville, capitalized at $50,000, one of the largest banks of the Creek nation, has suspended payment. It is in the hands of the comptroller of the currency.

Payne to Have Vacation

Washington, March 24.—Postmaster General Payne, for the first time in a week, has attended to some departmental matters. It is now expected he will leave the city early next week to recuperate.

New Ship Probably Lost

London, March 24.—The new British ship Martaban, from Java Sept. 12, 1903, for Barbados and Delaware breakwater, has been reported at Lloyds as missing.

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"I like to do it for you," he said, "because you look just like my mother."

"You think, I suppose," she replied, "that your mother is the dearest, sweetest woman in the world?"

"I do," the box office man declared gallantly.

"Well, then, that is the prettiest compliment I have ever received," she said smilingly, "and I thank you for it very much."

The next time she went to buy a fifty cent seat the man passed her out one for the first row in the balcony. "But I don't want to pay that much," she protested.

"Take it, with my compliments," he said. "It is my pleasure."

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When General Robert E. Lee was fighting Grant in "the last days" an old darky besieged headquarters with requests to see "the gin'ral." He was turned away a dozen times. But one day he succeeded in reaching the guard immediately in front of General Lee's tent. The altercation which followed was overheard by General Lee, who called out, "Let that man come in." Then into the tent came the fellow, a rawboned, shambling, gray headed, gnarled old darky, who scraped the ground with his foot and kept turning his hat around nervously in his hand.

"Well, where do you belong?" demanded General Lee.

"I b'longs to y'r company, gin'ral," returned the darky.

"No; you don't," declared the general sharply. "Everybody in my company has been shot. How is it that you haven't been?"

"The darky scratched his head. Then from his twisted mouth came a confidential whisper: "Well, yo' see, gin'ral, it's this a-way. I ain't been shot 'caze when dey's a fight goin' on I always stays with the gin'rals."—Lippincott's.

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A writer in Notes and Queries points out that there are conflicting opinions on this subject of very early date, some writers stating that failing sight is restored by the wearing of an opal and others that the luck depends upon the color, a white opal being of fortunate import and a black one ominous of evil.

Sir Walter Scott in "Anne of Geierstein" ascribes to supernatural agency the loss of beauty in a Mexican opal when its iridescent surface is acted upon by water, and some trace to this the notion that as a love token its fiery or fading colors betoken faithfulness or falsity.

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The Mistress Was Forgiving.

A Boston man tells of a colored maid who came home about two hours later than she ought and burst out to her mistress:

"Oh, missus, I's got 'ligion; I's got 'ligion!"

"Very well," said the mistress; "I'll forgive you this time, but don't let it happen again."—Boston Record.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	47	34	74	65	39
Monday,	47	43	48	44	52
Tuesday,	45	38	47	43	58
Wednesday,	56	41	45	58	49
Thursday,	57	39	57	39	40
Friday,	—	40	58	37	46
Saturday,	—	48	53	48	48

New Advertisements Today.

To Let—Tenement.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

The library lawn is being raked up and is beginning to look green.

Miss Elsie Jones starts today for Maine, where she will visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bates of Berwick, Maine, are visiting relatives in Wollaston.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Blake of Safford street had a son born to them on Friday, Mar. 18.

Telephone poles are being set on Spear street. Very little frost is found in the ground.

Men are at work pulling out the bulkheads in the Metropolitan sewer on Greenleaf street.

Arthur McDonald of Pray street who is ill with rheumatic fever has been removed to the Quincy hospital.

A special meeting of the Quincy Yacht club will be held tonight to take action on enlarging the club house.

There will be an all-day session of the Ladies' Alliance at the Wollaston Unitarian vestry next Wednesday, Mar. 30. Basket lunch.

The Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters are to have an apron and candy sale at Mrs. Walter Parker's on Saturday afternoon and evening.

The last welcome meeting held in the parish room of St. Chrysostom's church Wednesday evening brought out a full attendance. A social time was enjoyed and light refreshments were served.

The Mission band will meet in the vestry of the Wollaston Congregational church on Saturday at 2.30 o'clock. The Mission study club will meet at the parsonage on Saturday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Japanese Views.

A special meeting of the Unity club is called for tomorrow evening at the Wollaston Unitarian vestry when a large number of beautiful Japanese pictures will be illustrated by the stereopticon. It will afford an opportunity for the young people who are studying Japan to get attractive glimpses of that country. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

Sudden Death,

George W. Starbuck, formerly of Quincy, mourns the loss of his estimable wife, who died suddenly on Monday at her home in Sandwich. Mr. Starbuck is a railway mail clerk on the Boston-Cape Cod run. Mrs. Starbuck (Miss Nellie Burgess) was several years ago a member of the Quincy training class. The funeral services were held at Sandwich on Wednesday.

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New Haven, March 24.—Woolsey hall, at Yale university, was well filled last night with an audience to hear District Attorney Jerome of New York city talk on "Practical Municipal Politics." Mr. Jerome spoke for more than an hour. His sarcastic references to kid glove reform made his address intensely interesting.

He said in opening that the question was not one of academic import and fine-spun theories about the scope of government. Ideal democracies had nothing to do with the subject, because practical municipal politics is really and finally the problem of getting and controlling votes. By so doing the city and the state is governed. On that premise, he argued for the absolute need of college-bred men and all decent men to work together unselfishly to get control of the votes in their communities and wrest from the professional politician and the district leader the control which they selfishly exercise.

Mr. Jerome pictured the district leader in New York as one totally different from the accepted notion held by educated men who rarely, if ever, meet him. The notion that prevails is that the district leader is loud in his clothes, a bully and fighter in manner and uneducated. On the contrary, a close acquaintance with him shows that while he may not have academic education he is a gentleman in appearance, tasteful and quiet in dress, suave in his speech, and ever ready to do a service for anyone whom he can turn into a friend by so doing. He rarely drinks to excess, and oftentimes is not a user of tobacco.

Mr. Jerome carried to a dramatic climax a story, illustrating the manner in which the district leader helped a son, who was the sole support of his mother on a $5 a week salary, to get his father out of prison and thus made two voters his sworn friends in political life. The father had been sentenced to life 18 years ago for manslaughter, but a simple presentation of facts to the governor of the state secured a pardon after the affidavits were presented.

Mr. Jerome said that the danger lay not in what the district leader does, but in the motives underlying his doing what he does. He is selfish and everything that he plans or does is not for the good of the community, but his own pocket.

"Unless educated men who want to render public service are willing to get down to the business of beating him at his own trade, he will continue to rule our cities. We must learn that not in reading abstract essays on government, but only in doing for the poor people what they need done, being a friend to them as the district leaders show friendship, in practical charity, can reform accomplish anything. It is up to college men to go into the poorer sections of the city and not continue to segregate themselves as they have long done, with the upper classes in the Murray Hill district," said Mr. Jerome.

Claims Congress Is Wrong

Jacksonville, Fla., March 24.—Quong Gong, a Chinaman ordered deported by Commissioner Archibald last week, has sued out a writ of habeas corpus in the United States district court, on the ground that the act of congress is unconstitutional, as it requires a Chinaman born in the United States to establish proof of citizenship and is therefore contrary to the 14th amendment.

Mixed Politics In Cuba

Havana, March 24.—The provincial electoral board at Santiago has discarded the returns of 42 electoral colleges which showed liberal majorities. The result, therefore, is the election of five Nationalists and one Liberal. The Liberals will contest this, claiming the election of five congressmen. There is considerable excitement here over the matter.

The West African Revolt

Berlin, March 24.—Governor Von Puttammer of the Cameroons cables that the revolt of the natives has spread to Cross river (one of the points marking the boundary of German territory in West Africa) and extended to British territory in Nigeria and that the British customs station at Obokum has been attacked.

A City of Wickedness

Chicago, March 24.—Louis Pesant has been sentenced to hang for the murder of Mrs. Mary Splika. Pesant strangled the woman to death to procure $300 which she possessed. There are now seven condemned prisoners in the county jail. There are 29 men in the jail awaiting trial for murder.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Friday, March 25.
Sun rises—5:39; sets—6:02.
Moon sets—1:20 a. m.
High water—5:15 a. m.; 5:45 p. m.

The eastern storm has passed off to sea and an area of high pressure is following in its rear. The rain area will move rapidly eastward to western New England.

Servia and Japan.

The fourth lecture in the Quincy Point course was given Wednesday night in the auditorium of the Point church. The speaker of the evening, Rev. Peter MacQueen, was introduced by ex-Councilman Arthur W. Newcomb, chairman of the committee.

The lecture was on Servia and Japan, and was illustrated with about one hundred and fifty brilliant stereopticon views. The views of the different places in the far East were fine. Some of the pictures showed the different types of people.

Mr. MacQueen said that although most of the beautiful women lived in the United States—not all did. He showed a picture of a young couple in Hungary, who were just married—then told how a woman gained $100 prize for writing an essay on "How to gain a man's affection after marriage." Her essay was composed of only three words: "Feed the Brute."

There were also many views of the Roman empire.

TODAY'S COURT.

Herman Jones was arraigned for interfering with the street railway signals at Holbrook. Case continued until March 31.

John Campbell was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Rice Mold With Maple Sugar.

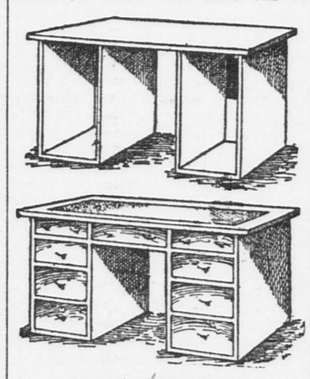
Wash well one cupful of rice, drop into boiling salted water and keep at a galloping boil until the grains are tender all through. This will take about from twelve to eighteen minutes, according to the variety of rice. Drain, place in a saucepan with one-half of a cupful of milk and one-quarter of a cupful of cream and cook very slowly until the liquid is absorbed. Have ready a buttered mold. Fill this with the rice, tapping it sharply from time to time that the rice may settle well. Stand in the open oven for five minutes, then turn out on a heated dish. Serve with an abundance of good butter and scraped maple sugar. This is an old New England dish and a very good one, says Table Talk.

Creamed Cabbage.

Chop part of a solid head of cabbage fine in the chopping bowl, put it into a kettle with a cup of hot water, and keep covered and cook quickly. When tender, drain off the water, if any remains; season with butter and salt, then add a cupful of sweet cream; if you have no cream, stir in two spoonfuls of flour in cold milk until smooth, then add a cupful of milk and stir all in the cabbage; remove and serve.

A Table For a Boy's Room.

This table, illustrated in the Ladies' World, is for the boy's room. Get two shoe boxes at the shoe store and stand them on end a little way apart. Make a top to go upon these of a size so that the ends and edges will project two or three inches over the boxes. The top should have a rectangular piece of dark green cloth glued to it in the manner shown, leaving three inches or more of the wood to show all about the cloth. The wood can be



A BOY'S HANDY TABLE.

stained a cherry color if desired. The interiors of the boxes are now to be fitted with a number of drawers, drawer "pulls" being placed upon the front of these and the whole front and sides of the boxes being stained the same color as the top. This will make a fine writing or reading table, and the drawers will be most convenient for holding the boy's treasures—writing material, "collections" of this, that and the other thing, his camera and photographic material. Oh, there will be plenty of things to put into those drawers!

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STETSON—BILLINGHAM—In Randolph, March 22, by Rev. W. C. McAllister, Mr. Edwin M. Stetson to Miss Gertrude E. Billingham.

DIED.

HARLING—In Quincy, March 23, Mrs. Margaret, wife of Mr. John Harling, of 9 Kidder street, aged 53 years.

NAGLE—In Atlantic, March 23, Catherine, daughter of Mr. Thomas J., and Mrs. Catherine Nagle, aged 11 years, 5 months and 3 days.

STARBUCK—In Sandwich, March 21, Mrs. Nellie, wife of Mr. George W. Starbuck formerly of Quincy.

A LEAP YEAR PROPOSAL

By JOHN BRIDGES

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Henderson rolled uneasily in his sleep. Macdonald, his bunk mate, jabbed his knee into Henderson's back. "For heaven's sake, lie still," he cried. "You're getting all the blankets off, and it's colder'n ice."

Henderson woke up. "I'm sorry, old man," he said. "But you can have a good sleep tomorrow morning. I'm going away today, and shall probably not be back again tonight. Did I say anything in my sleep?"

"I should say you did," replied Macdonald. "You were talking half the night—a whole lot of rubbish about blue eyes and black eyes and hair and things."

"Did I mention any one's name?"

"Not while I was listening. I pulled the blanket up over my head and refused to be let into your secret."

The two men tumbled out of their bunk. They went to the door of their cabin. The first rays of the sun came swiftly over the Sangre de Cristo, and the whole range was outlined in crimson.

The snow capped peaks rose cold toward the sky, and above the blue was unflecked by cloud. Across the valley there had been but little snow—only here and there were little patches which the wind had brought down from the mountain side and scattered against the windward of the sagebrush. Rabbits scurried across the plain in search of what little food might be found. As they ran they showed white tails—like great chrysanthemums drifting across the levels.

Macdonald got into his corduroy and pulled on his heavy hunting boots. He reached for his rifle, a little 22-long, and started out. "Tomorrow being Sunday," he said, "I propose to construct a rabbit pie for dinner like mother used to make, and I guess I can land a few jacks before breakfast. Poor little devils!" he continued. "I'm going to give them a chance for their lives anyway. I hate a man who will shoot rabbits with a shotgun. With a rifle like this it takes some skill, and there is at least a fighting chance for the beasties. I'll be back in an hour. You don't mind getting breakfast alone, do you?"

Henderson made no reply, but ground some coffee and stirred up the fire. Macdonald swung off down the hill and across the plain toward the sagebrush. Henderson watched him till he was a mile away; then he went out into the open air and took great long breaths of it. Going into the little stable, he fed his pony, a little buckskin brute, which till Henderson took her in hand had been known as the ugliest pony in the San Luis. She whinnied delightedly as Henderson opened the stable door. He fed her a double portion of grain and brought water for her from the spring. He gave her, too, an extra quantity of hay. "Better eat it all, old lady," he said. "You've got a long day before you."

He went back to the cabin, cooked some eggs and bacon, made coffee and drank three cups of it, hot and strong and without sugar or milk. Then he packed a can of food in a saddlebag and carefully tied it to the saddle which hung beside the door. He filled his revolver and his belt with cartridges and put his rifle alongside the saddle. From under his bunk he drew a small tin box, unlocked it and took out a package of letters. He did not open the package, but threw it, still tied with a bit of leathern thong, into the fire. For two or three minutes he stood and watched the letters burning, then he sat down at the table and wrote rapidly:

Dear Old Mac—You will find the bacon cut and the eggs ready for scrambling. The coffee is all made and is pretty good this morning. I have taken some of your cartridges. I found I didn't have quite enough of my own, and I may not have a chance to get any more. I am going away now. I shall not be back. I hope the rabbit pie will turn out to be a good one. Yours, HENDERSON.

He folded the letter and placed it under Macdonald's cup. Then he took the saddle to the stable, cinched it tightly on the pony, took his rifle, mounted and rode away up the trail which led directly into the mountains.

An hour later Macdonald returned with five rabbits swinging at his side. He was whistling. In one hand was his game and in the other he carried his rifle. When he reached the door of the cabin he kicked it to attract Henderson's attention. "Open the door, will you, old man?" he called.

There was no answer. Macdonald put down his rifle and entered. "Probably he's out at the stable," he thought. Then he saw the letter.

Macdonald sat down and stared blankly before him. "Won't be back!" he exclaimed. "Won't be back! What does all this mean?"

He went to the door and looked up and down the trail from the stable. There were no marks of a horse's feet showing on the frozen earth. Returning to the cabin he cooked his eggs and bacon, ate hurriedly, and again slinging his rifle over his arm he walked rapidly in the direction of Alamosa.

Henderson rode all day. At night he had come to the very crest of the mountain where the trail descended to the camp on the other side. It was near 6 o'clock. A moon was rising somewhere in the east, and Henderson watched it eagerly. He took from his saddlebag a can of meat and opened it, eating ravenously. The pony watched him. She whinnied, and called his attention to the fact that she had had nothing to eat since morning.

Henderson rose from the snow and put her bridle rein back over the saddle and led her to the trail which led back toward his cabin. "Go home, old girl," he said, "but don't tell them where you left me. This is as good a place as any in which to die. Go home."

The pony started down the trail. Henderson took a cartridge from his belt and fitted it into his rifle. "I wonder," he said, "if they kill quickly?"

He placed the butt of the gun against a jagged rock—the muzzle over his heart. Then he turned and looked out over the east to the moon, which was big and round and beautiful.

While he stood watching a soft india rubber like nose was pushed over his shoulder, and the ugliest pony in all the San Luis said as plainly as a horse can say things that she was hungry and wanted to go home. Henderson dropped the rifle into the snow. "We'll give them one more chance, old lady," he said.

Then he climbed wearily into the saddle and rode down toward the valley.

When he reached Alamosa he took the pony to the stable and fed her royally.

Afterward he went to the postoffice. There was a letter there for him. This is what it said:

My Dear—I am so sorry—so dreadfully sorry—about it all. Mr. Macdonald has written Frances how you would not tell me about your failures and all that sort of thing. Why didn't you? Why couldn't you have told me that you wanted me to help you fight out? I would, dear—oh, I would! And why didn't you ask me whether I cared—cared more than anything in the whole world? Why didn't you, dear?

Surely to ask me to love you wouldn't be asking so very much. I am waiting, dear. Will you come? KATHERINE.

Henderson came out of the postoffice and found in front of the hotel a group of men. They were mounted and evidently ready to ride away. Macdonald was with them. "We'll go first up the trail toward Sunnyside," he said.

Henderson walked over to the group. "Were you looking for me, old man?" he asked. "If you were you're just in time to go with me to the station. The train leaves at midnight."

Then he handed the letter to Macdonald.

When the little narrow gauge train pulled out that night Henderson occupied one of the berths of the Denver sleeper. Three days later he was in New York. Katherine was waiting for him.

The next spring Macdonald found the rifle at the foot of the jagged rock on the crest of the mountain.

Where the System Was Weak.

"So you've been fighting, have you?" said Johnny's father, more in sorrow than in anger. "Well, did you beat him?"

"No," said his son.

The old man surveyed his son in silent grief.

"It's wicked to fight," he said absently, "but it's a sight wickeder to get beat. I was never beat when I was a boy, as I've often told you. When I was a boy I allus aimed to get in the first blow."

"That's what I did," said Johnny.

"Well, you must have been too easy with it. My system used to be to hit him one hard under the chin, and it would be all over. That system never failed."

"But suppose," said Johnny, "that when you got in that blow you knocked him on to a pile of bricks, and he finished up the contest with half a brick in each hand? What's the next move in the system that never failed when you were a boy?"

"My boy," said the old man after a moment's consideration, "I am surprised that you should expect your old dad to give you advice that would tend to cultivate a quarrelsome disposition in you. Go out and play."

Wars and Their Causes.

There was a good deal of truth in the saying that England drifted into the Crimean war without knowing exactly why it did so. Not less accurate was Lord Palmerston's familiar declaration concerning the Sleswick-Holstein troubles. Only three men in Europe, he said, ever knew what those war making troubles were. Two of the men died before the war broke out, and the third forgot what was the point in dispute. A slighting reference by Frederick the Great to Mme. Pompadour was one of the exciting causes of the Seven Years' war. An overturned glass of water was one of the contributing elements to another. The omission of a simple "etc." was the peg upon which an earlier one was hung. The theft of a lady's petticoat brought Moors and Spaniards to bloodshed. The smashing of a mandarin's teapot was the basis of a war between the imperial forces of China and hill tribes which lasted for generations.

An Anecdote of Pope.

There is an old anecdote of Alexander Pope concerning one of the old watermen who was employed for many years in rowing Pope on the Thames. Pope was in the habit of having his sedan chair lifted into the punt. If the weather was fine, he let down the glasses; if cold, he pulled them up. He would sometimes say to the waterman:

"John, I am going to repeat some verses. Take care and remember them the next time I go out."

When that time came, Pope would say:

"John, where are the verses I told you of?"

"I have forgotten them, sir."

"John, you are a blockhead. I must write them down for you."

John says that no one thought of saying, when speaking of him, "Mr. Pope," but that he was always called "Mr. Alexander."

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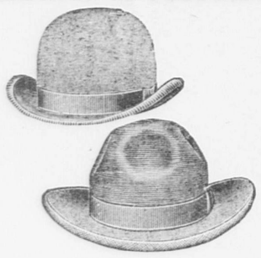
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FIRST BLOW FROM JAPAN

Belief That It Will Be Delivered at New Chwang--Considered a Weak Spot In Russian Armor, but In Hands of Japs Would Isolate Port Arthur, Threaten Other Important Centres and Close Russian Line of Operation to the Yalu River

London, March 25.—The Daily Telegraph publishes a dispatch from its Tokio correspondent which says:

"On the night of March 22 the Japanese fleet renewed the attempt to bottle up Port Arthur. Sixteen warships escorted seven merchant vessels to the mouth of the harbor and, under cover of the bombardment, the steamers ran in and were sunk in desired positions. Three thousand Japanese officers and bluejackets volunteered for this duty."

The Daily Telegraph's circumstantial report that the Japanese succeeded in bottling up Port Arthur is not confirmed from any other quarter. The special dispatches to the other papers announce no new developments in the situation, but throw a few side lights on the operations.

As the moment approaches when it logically may be expected that Japan will begin her invasion of Manchuria the cables are loaded with "plans of campaign" which it is alleged have been decided upon by the mikado. It always is safe to predict in an offensive war that the aggressor so will place his armies as to threaten the centre and the right and left wings of the enemy. It therefore is easy for the correspondents to telegraph that the Japanese intend to attack the left wing of the Russian armies by way of Possiet Bay, along the valley of the Tumen to Ninguta and thence to Modashi, on the Harbin-Vladivostok railroad, where the line would be cut.

Although the Cossacks took this route in the Boxer troubles, it would be a difficult road for the Japanese to travel and to keep open as a line of operation, especially as the Vladivostok fleet still is intact and could menace the Japanese transports. It would be possible to send troops east over the road from Ping Yang to Wonsan and up the coast to the Tumen, and might be done if the war is a long one, but it is not to be considered at the present time. It therefore is extremely doubtful if Japan has a great force on the Tumen, though it may well be that she has troops in the vicinity to watch the Russians who have been reported as working down that way.

As to the centre, it is known that Japan has a large army, perhaps 90,000 men, in Korea, many of them north of Ping Yang, from which point they are gradually advancing on the Yalu. On the Russian right, the general trend of opinion is that the Japanese will make New Chwang their objective. The place is considered a weak spot in the Russian armor, but in the hands of the Japanese would furnish a good base for operations, isolating Port Arthur and threatening Hai Cheng, Ashanchan, Liao Yang and Mukden on the north and the Russian position on the Yalu on the east.

The attack on the right, however, may come from some point on the Korean gulf, say Takushan. Were a large army landed here and sent north to Fung Wang Chang toward Liao Yang, it would compel the evacuation of New Chwang, the garrison fleeing north toward Mukden to prevent being driven in on Port Arthur. The Russian line of operation to the Yalu would be closed and the czar's troops now holding the river would be compelled, if defeated by the Japanese, to retire north through a difficult country or northeast along the line of the Yalu toward Maofurchan, from which point they could reach Mukden or Kirin.

Eluded Japs by Clever Ruse

Odessa, March 25.—The volunteer fleet steamer Voroney, the first Russian ship to leave the far east after the outbreak of the war, has arrived here, having eluded the Japanese. She was painted to resemble a Japanese collier which left Vladivostok just before her. The captain of the Voroney had resolved to take to the boats and blow up his ship if hard pressed by the Japanese.

Russia Buys Big Steamers

Berlin, March 26.—In spite of the denial of the Hamburg Boersenhalle of all reports of the sale of German liners to Russia, the Hamburg correspondent of The Tageblatt insists that the Fuerst Bismarck and the Kaiser Friedrich have actually been sold to that government and that the crews have already been engaged.

EASTER HATS AND OTHERS.

Beautiful Spring Confections For Dressy or Smart Street Wear.

Pink straw, white lace and flowers compose the lovely Easter confection of the upper figure sketched by the Delineator, while white straw, black straw and a black quill form the other very smart affair. The same authority says:

There is a suggestion of the picturesque "baby" hat in some of the dressy models. One of rare beauty was made entirely of ruffles of lace outlined with gold. The lace was caught up at the left side, where the palest pink roses nestled and fell over on the hair. In black lace ruffles edged with gold, American Beauty roses supplanting the pink ones, this would be a striking style for a young brunette. The lace ruffle falls over the brim and shades the face slightly in these new "baby" hats, and ofttimes a pretty touch is given by a spray of blossoms caught in the ribbon bow and trailing over the brim to the back, where it falls on the hair. For street wear this pretty hat is fashioned of glace taffeta or liberty satin. It should match the gown in color.

The black picture hat trimmed with a white lyre feather is one of the essential items of a fashionable wardrobe, and it has come forth again in tulle and lace. The brim of this hat is straight and suggests the large, round sailor. It is slightly raised at the left side and in front by a bandeau. Hats of this type are becoming to almost every woman, but they should be worn only upon dressy occasions.

There is a touch of gold in nearly all of the newest models, and it is rumored that this military suggestion will be more and more in evidence as the season progresses.

A bonnet or headdress that is especially appropriate for evening wear is



AMONG THE NEW HATS.

formed of a hoop of wire about an inch wide, over which is twisted black or colored velvet ribbon.

Flower toques and turbans are especially attractive at this season, for the flowers that now pervade the millinery world have copied nature very closely, some of them almost defying detection as imitations. There are flowers, though, that in no way suggest nature which are nevertheless beautiful and full of delightful possibilities.

The new toques are much smaller than those that were worn during the past season. They are quite oval in shape, forming almost a point in front. At the sides they are close fitting, and in nearly every instance a long lace drapery that falls over at the back is a distinguishing feature. All sorts of materials from coarse straw to the filmiest lace will be employed to fashion these modish hats.

A cavalier gown composed entirely of tiny red rosebuds is the distinctive feature of a new and dressy hat. The wide, straight brim is of black chantilly lace, the finely scalloped edge of the lace falling over.

So fashionable is ostrich plumage that in some cases it forms almost the entire hat. A model of rare beauty had the entire crown of pale pink ostrich feathers, with the wide, straight brim of cream lace.

The violet hat is included in almost every spring outfit.

Sausage Rolls.

Sausage rolls are a favorite in our family these crisp mornings, says a Good Housekeeping correspondent. Try my recipe: Make a rich biscuit dough with milk and cream, roll thin and cut with a large cooky cutter. Have the fried sausage, in links, hot; roll one link in each disk of dough, pinch ends together and bake in a quick oven. Serve on hot platter, pouring gravy around them when sent to the table.

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☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

UPON NEW PLANS.

Committee Authorized to Enlarge the Q. Y. C. Clubhouse.

A special meeting of the Quincy Yacht club was held Thursday evening at the store of F. F. Crane, to take action on enlarging the club house at Houghs Neck.

At the annual meeting of the club in February plans were presented for the enlargement, and the executive committee were empowered to enlarge the club house according to these plans if they saw fit.

These plans upon examination proved to be unsatisfactory, and the meeting of Thursday night was called. After some discussion it was voted to authorize the executive committee to expend a sum not exceeding $1500 in procuring plans and enlarging the club house.

The only other business transacted was to pass a vote of thanks to the Wollaston Yacht club for courtesies shown at the Y. R. A. M. in relation to changing dates for the open race.

Which is Which?

The Herald reports an amusing episode in the Legislature on Thursday.

The House resumed consideration of the several amendments offered to the freight brakemen's bill. Mr. Good favored the amendment of Mr. Seward of Watertown, that if any brakeman having begun his duties, shall leave the train without authority, the act shall not apply to that "run."

Mr. Hayes of Lowell moved an amendment, that for good cause shown the railroad commissioners may authorize the running of a train with less than three men.

Mr. Hayes spoke in a vein of ridicule, citing details of management which might be legislated by the general court. Mr. Fallon of Quincy addressed the chair, seeking permission to ask the gentleman from Lowell a question.

Mr. Hayes having yielded, Mr. Fallon said: "Wouldn't it be cheaper, Mr. Speaker, to go down to Keith's and listen to a clown there than here?" (Laughter).

When the laughter had subsided, Mr. Hayes, looking at Mr. Fallon, retorted: "The way I'm looking, I can't see any necessity for the House going down to Keith's." (Renewed laughter).

After Mr. Hayes had spoken over 15 minutes, it became apparent that he would occupy the floor until the hour of adjournment. So at 4.30 o'clock, Mr. Newton moved adjournment, which prevailed.

Franchise Bill.

By a vote of 33 yeas to 61 nays the House refused on Thursday to reject the bill to allow cities and towns to impose conditions in granting extensions of street railway franchises such as are not authorized in the original grants.

The street railway committee had recommended rejection of the bill and Mr. Poland of Wakefield led off in attacking the report. Mr. Mitchell of Marlboro spoke for the bill and Mr. Pingree of Haverhill defended the committee, saying that such a bill would give local authorities power to impose conditions and obligations that would hamper the development and operations of street railways.

Mr. McManus of Natick said that in the early days of street railways selectmen granted franchises with practically no conditions. The present generation should not be bound by the shortsightedness of a former generation. If the law of 1898 was passed to prevent imposition upon street railway companies, this bill would prevent street railway companies from imposing on localities.

Don't Miss It.

Four great labor features will make the Boston Globe next Sunday interesting and useful to every man and woman, employe and employer. "Will The Labor Problem Ever be Solved?" This question will be answered in signed editorials. "Labor in Chicago" by Mayor Carter Harrison, who tells Frank G. Carpenter why Chicago is the strike center of the country. "Are There Grafters in England?" This is the question which Frederick Upham Adams has asked of leading English municipal authorities, and he will give their answers to it next Sunday. The New England Fisheries, the greatest profit-sharing cooperative business in the world, producing $17,000,000 yearly, will be described.

For the women there will be a physical culture lesson and a song which has made a great hit on the stage. For the children there will be a lot of toy soldiers, who will stand alone. Order the Boston Sunday Globe of your newsdealer today.

Gov. Cummins Ill.

Gov. Cummins of Iowa, who attended the launching of the U. S. cruiser Des Moines in this city, is critically ill with pneumonia.

BANQUET

Of Granite City Club at United States Hotel.

Theatre Party at the Tremont

An Elaborate Menu and a Grand Good Time.

The annual dinner and theatre party of the Granite City club was held Thursday evening. The affair was in the hands of the entertainment committee and it proved to be fully as enjoyable as similar affairs held in other years.

The dinner, which was served at 6 o'clock, was at the United States hotel. It was a good dinner, well served, and as everybody was hungry, those present went through the several courses like a mowing machine through grass.

Dr. F. E. Jones, president, occupied the seat of honor at the head of the table. At his right was his guest Dr. J. F. Welch, and Vice President Geo. H. Field, and at his left, Dr. C. W. Garey, chairman of the entertainment committee.

The other officers and members were seated without any general order. There was no formality to the dinner. The president simply said "Glad to see you boys," and then the feast began.

Monk's orchestra furnished music during the dinner, which is a sufficient guarantee that it was all right.

All the popular airs were played. These included "Always in the Way," "On the Water Wagon," "Anona," "Sycamore tree," "Bedelia," "In the good old summer time," "Mr. Dooley," etc. That the orchestra was to render these selections was made known by the menu upon which they were printed. Each number being dedicated to some club member. The boys did not catch on at first, but when they did they saw the pointedness with which they had been arranged.

A number of the club members possess good voices, and as they all joined in the chorus, the dining room was filled full of musical vibrations that reached every nook and crevice. The voices blended with but little discord. The result was a very pleasing feature. Three cheers and tiger were given Mr. Monk as he boxed up his fiddle and made his escape for the Tremont theatre where he was later heard in the orchestra.

The menu served at dinner was as follows:

Oysters on Shell
Consomme, Vermicelli
Olives
Planked Shad, parsley sauce
Celery Hollandaise Potatoes
Roast Young Turkey, cranberry sauce
Roast Ten derloin of Beef, mushroom sauce
Mashed Brown Potatoes Green Peas
Sweetbread Cutlets, Lima beans
Banana Fritters, Jamaica sauce
Creme de Menthe Sherbet
Charlotte Russe
Harlequin Ice Cream Frozen Pudding
Assorted Cake Fruits
Water Wafers Swiss Cheese
Coffee

It was 7.40 before dinner was over and cigars lighted. Then it was a case of move lively to arrive at the Tremont theatre before the curtain went up on the first tuneful chorus of "The Prince of Pilsen."

The three front rows of the center front balcony had been reserved for the club, and the array of good looking gentlemen thus congregated together was good for the ladies in the balcony to look upon. The good looking gentlemen however had eyes for none but the pretty chorus girls behind the foot lights.

It was 10.45 when the curtain dropped and it was go-as-you-please to the South terminal, where a special car had been reserved on the 11.28 train which brought the party home. Quincy was reached at 11.49 and half an hour later it is probable most of the boys were tucked away in their little beds dreaming of what a pleasant evening they had experienced.

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WAS UNDER ENGINE.

Narrow Escape of Young Child on the Railroad.

The three year old son of Joseph Pengrass of West Quincy came as near meeting a horrible death Thursday as he ever will again and escape. The little fellow was playing about the tracks of the Granite branch, near the Railway Granite Co. yards. There is a sharp curve at the point where the child was so that the engineer of the 11.16 inward train did not see him until it was too late to stop. He applied the emergency brake, however, and stopped the train but not before part of the engine had passed over the boy.

The engineer jumped from his cab and pulled the child out from between the driving wheels. Fortunately the only injury sustained by the child was a slight bruise on the cheek.

While the little fellow was being looked over his mother rushed frantically up, and the child was placed in her arms.

TWO GIRLS' TEAMS

Play Basket Ball at Coliseum—Quincy Defeats Milton A. A.

The attendance at the basket ball games at the Coliseum Thursday evening was unusually large, fully 800 being present. There was an absence of the rough element in the audience, too, and many women witnessed the games.

The regular Quincy team had as rivals the Milton A. A. team and won in a hot game by the score of 18 to 4.

The summary follows:

QUINCY	MILTON A A
Jones rf	lb Gardner
Geary	
Collins lf	rb Sargent
Chase c	c Manning
Crowell rb	lf C. Maloney
Gibson lb	rf D. J. Mahoney

Score, Quincy 18, Milton A. A. 4. Goals from floor, Crowell 3, Chase 5, Jones 1, D. J. Mahoney 1. Goals from fouls, D. J. Mahoney 2. Referee, Parker. Umpire, White. Scorer, Smith. Timer, Glover. Time, two 20m periods. Attendance 800.

THE GIRLS GAME.

The girls' teams were very well matched, but the Milton girls won from Hyde Park by a score of 10 to 3. The game was refereed by a young lady.

The summary:

MILTON GIRLS	HYDE PARK GIRLS
Mullen rf	lb Miles
Kersey lf	rb Bucan
Barry c	c Tullant
Gunning rb	lf Dahldoff
Brigg lb	rf Ewell

Score, Milton Girls 10, Hyde Park Girls 3. Goals from floor, Kersey 4, Mullen 1, Dahldoff 1. Goals from fouls, Ewell. Referee, Miss Kelley. Scorer, Smith. Timer, Glover. Time, 15m halves. Attendance, 800.

Quarrymen Strike.

Three hundred quarry workers employed by Winston Locher & Co., at West Chelmsford, near Lowell, are on strike against an order fixing 10 hours as a day's work. Last year the men worked nine hours.

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

Kansas farmers complain that they cannot raise their crops without elevators. What's the matter with manure?

Congress has visited Pocahontas's people down at Jamestown and is now expected to shell out $3,000,000 as a starter for the tercentenary celebration. Will Capt. John Smith's folks cap it with a still larger subscription to begin with, as Chicago, Buffalo, and St. Louis did. This ought to be required before any appropriation is made anywhere.

The schedule of railroad fares prepared by Representative Fallon certainly shows that Quincy is handicapped in the selection of homes by those who go to Boston daily. West Roxbury, which is farther from the Boston terminal than Quincy, not only has five-cent fares on the street railway but ten-cent fares on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., while it costs Quincy people ten on the electrics and twelve and one-half cents on the steam cars.

Perhaps allowance should be made for West Roxbury, because it is a part of Boston, but Cambridge, Somerville, Arlington, Malden, Chelsea and other places north of Boston, are not a part of Boston, and they have low fares both on electrics and steam cars.

Hyde Park and Readville, both on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., like Quincy, and further from Boston, have lower trip tickets. The people in these towns can purchase five-ride tickets for 50 cents where Quincy and West Quincy people must buy ten-ride books and pay $1.25, and Quincy Adams people even $1.50.

It therefore costs Hyde Park people $1.20 per week to travel daily to Boston, where it costs Quincy and West Quincy people $1.50, and Quincy Adams people $1.80. There should not be such a discrepancy.

Drift of Opinion.

☞They have commenced to round up the vagrants in Boston, and with some startling results. Some of the beggars had bank books with them, showing good healthy deposits, and one had $6000 on her person. Some of the supposed armless ones had two good ones when it came to resisting arrest. Professional mendicant should neither be allowed to ply their trade from door to door or from stands upon the public streets. The deserving poor should be cared for and the criminals locked up.—Lynn Item.

☞If out of all this investigation and discussion of the Mormon church and the practices of its saints there should come nothing more than a demand for a national marriage law which would enforce recognition, the country ought to be well satisfied. Polygamists in one state are as much of a menace to national welfare as in an other, and the only difference that is made when one martial engagement is shuffled off by a legal formalty before another one is openly entered into, instead of having the engagements concurrent, is that the divorce escapes a burden which his comrade in Utah has to bear, which difference, it seems to us, stands to the credit of the Mormon.—Haverhill Gazette.



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RUSSIA HAS FEARS

Neutral Chinese Territory to Be Invaded by Japanese

REPORTS ARE "SPECIFIC"

Russian Line of Conduct In Such a Contingency Decided Upon--Sees Step Intended to Inveigle China Into the Fight

St. Petersburg, March 25.—The war office is in receipt of persistent reports that the Japanese are preparing to land on neutral Chinese territory, on the west coast of the Gulf of Liao Tung, either at Tienkancheng in Kin Chow bay, or at Shan Hai Kwan.

Although slow to believe that Japan deliberately contemplates a violation of her pledge to respect neutral Chinese territory, the reports received at the ministry of war are so specific that they compel consideration. The presence of disguised Japanese soldiers acting as spies along the Shan Hai Kwan road has been established and Russian agents report that there is every indication of an intended landing on the west coast of the Gulf of Liao Tung. The information conveyed by these agents seems to coincide with other information indicating a complete change in the Japanese plan of campaign, or of its entrance into a second stage practically involving the abandonment of further heavy landing of troops in Korea.

According to advices received by the government there are only about 70,000 Japanese troops in Korea at present. It is considered possible that the Japanese reckoned on a complete mobilization there much sooner, but that the difficulties met with in transporting troops from Japan and over the roads in Korea proved more serious than expected, and that the Japanese found themselves unable to deliver a frontal attack in Manchuria before the Russian troops arrived in sufficient force to check them. At any rate the latest advices indicate that the Japanese will not send many more soldiers into Korea. They may make a diversion at Possiet Bay in the direction of Vladivostok, but their main objective henceforth will be in the Gulf of Liao Tung.

If the information received is correct the Japanese have discovered that landing on the peninsula is too hard a nut to crack and have elected to land on the Chinese side, where there will be no army to repel them. The only two points feasible for landing are Chin Wan Tao and Tien Kiau Cheng, which are connected by rail, respectively, with Shan Hai Kwan and Kau Kiau, on the Pekin railroad. A landing at either place would give the Japanese possession of a splendid strategic line by which to strike the Russian flank, and, if desired, to hold Pekin in subjection.

The Russians have little faith in the Chinese Generals Ma and Mu, who might disregard orders from Pekin and join forces with the Japanese.

The Russian military authorities have felt themselves compelled to consider the foregoing possibility and to take the necessary precautions. The international complications which might arise out of a Japanese landing on neutral Chinese territory have also received careful consideration, for, although it is specifically declared that it is not believed Japan would dare to violate the agreement made in response to Secretary Hay's note, as well as in Japan's other public professions, there is reason to affirm that the Russian line of conduct in such a contingency has already been decided upon in principle. The assurances obtained from Pekin require that the Chinese authorities should oppose with their army such a step on the part of Japan.

A high Russian official said: "It would have worse consequences for other powers than Russia if Japan should enter neutral territory, for such a step would obviously be for the purpose of inveigling China into the fight. If Japan could be successful in this there would be an uprising against foreigners which would be ten-fold greater than the Boxer affair. The mere possibility is pregnant with all sorts of dangers, but we can hardly believe that Japan will venture to violate the neutrality of China as she did that of Korea."

It is learned that the Russian military attache at Pekin is now at New Chwang watching the movements of the Chinese troops.

Where Russia Was Mistaken

London, March 25.—The Tokio correspondent of The Times, commenting on the White Book recently issued, says that the signal concession in Japan's last note during the negotiations with Russia, offering to recognize Manchuria as outside Japan's political sphere, instead of placating the Russians seemed to lead them to imagine that Japan would sacrifice anything rather than fight. The entire correspondence shows that Russia was inventing frivolous pretexts for delay and that the government at St. Petersburg subordinated itself to Viceroy Alexieff throughout the negotiations.

Flour Business Is Dull

Minneapolis, March 25.—Eighteen Minneapolis flour mills have shut down indefinitely, owing to the poor condition of the flour trade. It is stated, however, that the mills will resume grinding next week.

HOTEL CLERK HELD

Suspected of Firing Shot Which Killed a Lynn Man

Lynn, Mass., March 25.—John J. Tucker, who was shot on Railroad avenue Wednesday night, died yesterday afternoon. All that he was able to tell after being revived was that he passed a man and a woman standing in a doorway and that he was shot immediately afterwards. Tucker was a teamster, 40 years old.

Boston, March 25.—David H. Passy, 23 years old, night clerk at the Hotel Westminster, in this city, is held on the charge of being a suspicious person in connection with the fatal shooting of John J. Tucker at Lynn.

An Army and Navy Celebration

Boston, March 25.—Lieutenant General Chaffee, U. S. A., and Rear Admirals Watson and Goodrich, U. S. N., were the guests of the Middlesex club at its "army and navy night" celebration last night. General Chaffee highly lauded the deeds of the American soldiers and sailors in the Civil and Spanish wars. Admiral Watson spoke of the courage of Farragut, while Admiral Goodrich told of his personal experiences while commander of the St. Louis during the Spanish war. Chaplain Horton of the Massachusetts senate made an impassioned plea for sympathy with the Japanese cause in the present war.

Skipper and Crew In One

Nantucket, Mass., March 25.—Captain Parker J. Hall, famous along the Atlantic coast for sailing his 100-ton two-masted schooner Angler entirely alone, has left here with his vessel for an eastern port, getting under way without any assistance whatever, weighing anchor and hoisting sails as easily as though the vessel was manned by a full crew. The Angler has been frozen in here since last November. Captain Hall not only runs his vessel alone but loads and discharges his cargoes of lumber without assistance.

Boasted of Foul Deed

Boston, March 25.—Frank Frasier, a negro, was arrested here on suspicion of killing a man, Frasier having boasted to several friends that he had made away with some one. After several hours' search among the hospitals, the police finally discovered William Craig at the relief hospital suffering from six scalp wounds and a possible fracture of the skull. Frasier, it is said, lured Craig into a doorway and, after pounding him on the head with a stove cover, robbed him.

Results of Severe Weather

Woodbury, Conn., March 25.—Henry Jeffry, an expert in the culture of honey bees, says that at least 80 percent of the honey bees in Connecticut starved to death during the winter because the honey on which they usually subsist was frozen solid. Jeffry has also found that field mice have killed thousands of young pear, apple and plum trees. Frost struck into the ground so deep that the mice, unable to gnaw roots, attacked the bark of trees at the snow line.

Held Up and Shot

Fiskeville, R. I., March 25.—A Pole, known only as "Joe," is in a critical condition at his home here, as the result of having been shot twice in the head. During a conscious interval he said that he was attacked by three men while walking along the road between Quidneck and Phoenix. The men demanded his money, and when he resisted they fired two revolver shots at him. When he regained his senses his money and watch were gone.

Quarrymen's Demands Rejected

Milford, Mass., March 25.—The Milford Quarry company has shut down on account of the refusal of the Milford Granite Manufacturers' association to meet the demands of the Granite Cutters' union for 45 hours a week and a minimum wage scale of 40 10-11 cents an hour. A conference between the union and the association brought no agreement.

Bloobumper—"They called in Dr. Piller to set Jones's leg."

Dr. Keneen—"Piller set a leg! Why he couldn't set a hen!"—Harlem Life.

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BUILDINGS LEVELLED

Death In Wake of Storm Which Swept Western States

Chicago, March 25.—One of the most severe storms this city has known in many years passed over Chicago last night. Great damage was done in the suburbs. The town of Indiana Harbor, 20 miles southeast of Chicago, was the heaviest sufferer. Eighteen residences were blown down. Three people are known to be dead, several are fatally hurt and there are several others reported missing who may be buried in the ruins of their homes.

The storm covered the entire region around Hammond and Indiana Harbor, and was cyclonic in its nature. Telegraph and telephone wires are down. For a distance of 30 miles from Indiana Harbor and Hammond all the wires are down, and all the street car lines have been put out of business by the blowing down of their wires.

East St. Louis, March 25.—An electric storm, accompanied by a high wind and a heavy fall of rain, caused considerable damage here last night. The lightning struck many buildings, among them the plant of a fire-works manufactory, which exploded and three of the larger buildings were burned. A large number of persons were injured and many dwellings were demolished.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 25.—Six houses were completely wrecked and a number of their inmates were injured here last night by a svere windstorm, which was accompanied by rain. A large number of other buildings were moved from their foundations. At Muskegon several buildings were unroofed and considerable damage was done.

Milwaukee, March 25.—A severe rain and windstorm swept over a large portion of Wisconsin last night, doing much damage to the telegraph and telephone service and in some cases unroofing buildings. All the Wisconsin telephone wires are cut out of service.

Lease of "Property of God"

Chicago, March 25.—Under a lease which expires 1096 years hence, the Chicago and Milwaukee Electric Railroad company has secured from "Dr." Dowie the right to extend a line through Zion City. According to the terms, "said lease is to expire 3000 A. D." The reason for the lease instead of a purchase is that it is forbidden "to sell the property of God."

Grover's Big String of Ducks

Baltimore, March 25.—Former President Grover Cleveland, who arrived here early in the week, returned last evening from a duck shooting trip on the flats of the upper Chesapeake, with 20 canvas-backs and red-headed ducks as trophies of his prowess in blind shooting. Mr. Cleveland left late last night for Princeton.

Dealt In Stolen Tickets

Kansas City, March 25.—George W. Welles, a ticket scalper, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment for disposing of railway tickets stolen from the Santa Fe depot, at Princeton, Kas., which was burned to hide the robbery. It is estimated that the tickets stolen were worth upwards of $100,000.

Gift of $100,000 to McGill

Montreal, March 25.—Sir William MacDonald, who has already given over $3,000,000 to McGill university, has given $100,000 to the university for the purpose of providing a home for the college union on the same lines as that at Harvard. Graduates will provide an endowment of $75,000.

The Nebraska Prairie Fire

Holdredge, Neb., March 25.—A heavy rain checked the disastrous prairie fire which started near here, but not before it had burned over a strip from three to 10 miles wide and 20 miles in length. As far as known but one life was lost. The total property loss is estimated at about $100,000.

A Scarcity of Puddlers

Pittsburg, March 25.—The National Tube company has been compelled to close several of its important plants because of a scarcity of puddlers. This is accounted for by the fact that wages have been greatly reduced. Many puddlers have gone to other employment.

Racers Had Bad Luck

London, March 25.—During the Stanley steeplechase at Liverpool the starters all fell. The winner, Glenmore, fell twice, but was remounted and finished alone. His rider came in covered with blood and most of the other jockeys sustained injuries.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson has returned to Washington from the south. His health is much improved.

The General Rubber company, with an authorized capital of $2,000,000, was incorporated at Trenton to manufacture rubber.

Cornelius Haley, aged 60, a railroad section hand, lost his life trying to break an ice jam near Ware, Mass.

Walter D. Myers of Marysville, Pa., won the first of the Ten Eyck prizes at the Yale junior exhibition. This is the only public speaking contest at Yale. Myers' subject was "1849 in California."

Thomas Judge, 18 years old, was instantly killed at Wallingford, Conn., while attempting to jump from a freight train on which he had stolen a ride.

The National Association of Hardware Dealers adopted resolutions favoring the bill increasing the pay of rural letter carriers and prohibiting them from accepting outside employment.

Although President Roosevelt cannot attend the opening exercises of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, he has consented to press a button at the White House which will start the machinery of the exposition.

CITY BREVITIES.

The last Friday of the month.

Isaac Lincoln of Raynham has accepted a position at R. E. Foy's store.

Auctioneer Crane will have a large sale of horses and carriages at Hanson tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Pratt of Edwards street gave a theatre party at Keith's Wednesday evening.

It is not the N. J. Nyhan brass works at Norfolk Downs that has changed hands. They are at the old stand.

Miss Ruth Keegan has severed her connection with E. H. Doble & Co. and accepted a position in a Boston store.

The City Council Committee on Finance and Streets will meet tonight, and the Committee on Sewers and Drains Monday night.

A force of men from the Street department, armed with brooms, removed the sand from the concrete sidewalks this week and received the thanks of pedestrians.

Miss E. B. Collins in Faxon block, Fountain square, is having her Easter millinery opening today and tomorrow and has a fine display of tailor and dress hats. Miss Collins' styles attract the ladies of Quincy and vicinity and she has a large clientage.

Out for Hearst.

Representative Horace Drinkwater of Braintree told a Herald reporter on Wednesday that he was for Hearst for President. Mr. Drinkwater's position has been suspected for some time, but he has hitherto refrained from openly committing himself, one reason probably being the fact that his father, Col. A. C. Drinkwater, had, as a member of the Democratic state committee, voted for the Olney resolution. Representative Drinkwater did not hesitate, however, to declare his attitude when the Herald man plumped the question to him.

Naval Cadets.

As a result of a competitive examination for appointment to the Annapolis Naval Academy, Congressman William S. McNary of the Tenth Massachusetts District has named Francis J. Cumerford as principal and Lincoln R. Soule as alternate. Francis J. Cumerford resides at No. 55 Moseley street, Dorchester, and is a graduate of the Boston Latin school. Lincoln R. Soule lives at No. 581 Washington street, Dorchester, and was graduated from the Roxbury Latin school.

Automobile Speedway.

New Orleans is to have an automobile speedway, according to plans of motorists in that quaint town. It will be five miles long, running from West End to the Spanish Fort. The motorists may join with the horsemen and have a double course, one side for automobiles and the other for drivers of fast horses.

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Left Over.



"Johnnie, I don't believe you used soap on your face!"

"No-o, ma'am. Dere was some soap left on it from de time I washed it last."—New York Evening Journal.

Eruptions

Dry, moist, scaly tetter, all forms of eczema or salt rheum, pimples and other cutaneous eruptions proceed from humors, either inherited, or acquired through defective digestion and assimilation.

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Bermuda Onions,	8c.
Fancy Lettuce,	6c.
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Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgaged deed given by George W. Hurd to Foster Rogers, dated November 14, 1903, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 962, Page 504, will be sold at Public Auction upon the premises upon TUESDAY, the twelfth day of April, 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgaged deed, namely:

A certain lot of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on Vassall street, being Lot No. 463, on Plan of Norfolk Downs by Charles D. Elliot, dated April, 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans No. 14, Plan 640, bounded westerly by Vassall street, 50 feet; southerly by Lot No. 464 on said plan, 78 feet; easterly by land now or formerly of John H. Storer et als trustees, 50 feet; northerly by Lot No. 462 on said plan, 78 5-10 feet. Containing, according to said plan, 3912 5-10 square feet; subject to the restrictions referred to in the Deed of said trustees to Wilkinson, dated December 23, 1895, and recorded with said deeds, Book 751, Page 105, and any unpaid taxes or assessments. $75 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

FOSTER ROGERS, Mortgagee.
101 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.
March 18. 3t-18-25-1

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

CORNELIUS MOYNIHAN,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Cornelius H. Moynihan of Quincy, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, or some other suitable person, the executors named in said will having declined to serve.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
March 11. 3t–11, 18, 25

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO All persons interested in the estate of

LYDIA L. BLANCHARD,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Mary A. Andrews, executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the final account of her administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
March 18. 3t–18-25-1

"AN AMUSING CUSS"

Grosvenor's Reference to House Minority Leader

TO BE NO POSTAL INQUIRY

Overstreet Declares Move Puts Blot on House Escutcheon, to Which Democrat Responds He Wants Postal Blot Removed

Washington, March 25.—Mr. Boutell of Illinois, chairman of the committee of the whole, ruled out of order the amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill offered by Representative Williams of Mississippi, providing the appointment of a congressional committee to investigate the postoffice department. The ruling was made on the two grounds that the amendment was not germane to the bill and that it was new legislation. On Mr. Williams' appeal from the decision of the chairman, Mr. Overstreet protested that in such a motion the minority was inflicting a slight upon the chairman, putting a blot on the escutcheon of the house of representatives.

Mr. Williams made an exceedingly humorous reply, saying that it was his purpose instead to wipe out a blot from the escutcheon of the postoffice department. He argued that there was a power above the strict rule of parliamentary laws. "If the gentleman would withdraw his point of order he would awake tomorrow like Byron and find himself famous. Won't you do it?" he said amid great laughter. "Won't you do something to make yourself famous?"

Mr. Grosvenor replied in similar vein, calling Mr. Williams "an amusing cuss." "Every time the minority leader gains a point, even a small one," he said, "it is another plume in his coronet. Only," he said hastily, "plumes and coronets don't go together." He had never voted to overrule even a Democratic speaker, he declared, "when he thought a ruling was legally right."

The house, which had but few members in their seats when this discussion began, rapidly filled and the same interest was displayed as in the previous Democratic attempt to secure a congressional investigation of the postoffice department. Representative Robinson of Indiana interrupted Mr. Grosvenor, in violation of the established rules of the house, by declaring emphatically that in the last five congresses the house had not been permitted so much as five minutes' debate on the justice of those rules. "The proper procedure is," he said, "to let the committee on bills bring in a special rule for the consideration of such a measure as you are here trying to adopt."

"Haven't you several resolutions for that purpose before the committee on rules now?" asked Mr. Williams. "I don't know," said Mr. Grosvenor. "I don't either," said Mr. Williams, who is a minority member of that steering committee; "but if I bring in one will the gentleman from Ohio vote with me?"

"I don't want to come into the house," said Mr. Grosvenor, "to apologize for associating with the gentleman from Mississippi in a matter of that sort." At this there were shouts of laughter on the Republican side.

Representative Cooper of Wisconsin quoted a number of parliamentary precedents from Thomas Jefferson down, regarding the overrruling of the chair in cases where that would in effect temporarily amend the rules. There were cries of "vote," but Mr. Williams proceeded, and asserted that Mr. Cooper himself had voted with the minority to overrule the chair on a matter connected with the sugar differential.

Mr. Cooper rose to say that he had not remembered it. "I have the highest regard, of course, for them as Jefferson's opinion," went on the minority leader, "but Jefferson had never seen a locomotive or the present rules of the house."

The chair sustained the point of order by Mr. Overstreet against the amendment and when Mr. Williams appealed the chair was sustained, 133 to 99.

Mrs Hendrick Gets Children

New York, March 25.—Mrs. Agnes M. Hendrick, wife of Dr. Hendrick, whose name has been mentioned in connection with the troubles of Laura Biggar, the actress, has been awarded by Supreme Court Justice Gaynor the exclusive custody of her children, Thomas, Joseph, and Mary, pending the determination of her separation suit.

Cheated the Gallows

Tuskegee, Ala., March 25.—Ralph Armstrong, under sentence of death for the murder of his cousin, Alice Armstrong, committed suicide in his cell here. He killed the young woman because she refused to marry him. Armstrong was a son of the late H. C. Armstrong, consul to Rio Janeiro.

Schley and the Presidency

Richmond, March 25.—When asked about reports as to his candidacy for the presidential nomination of the Democratic ticket, Admiral Schley replied that he thought it would be a mistake for a navy man to get into national politics.

Gov Cummings Has Pneumonia

Des Moines, March 25.—Governor Cummins is suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia. The disease has reached a critical stage.

UNDER MARTIAL LAW

State Troops In Control In Two Counties In Colorado

Denver, March 25.—Martial law is now in operation in San Miguel and Las Animas counties. No trouble is reported. Governor Peabody has ordered Adjutant General Bell to send 300 more soldiers to Telluride. At the capitol no secret is made of the fact that the purpose in declaring maritial law in San Miguel county is to prevent the return to Telluride of the expelled union men who have announced their intention of going back under protection of an injunction granted by District Judge Stevens.

Governor Peabody said that he declared San Miguel county in a state of insurrection and rebellion because of the representations made to him by public officials and citizens of the town, who declared that a body of men were arming outside the county to join men within the county for the purpose of destroying property and inflicting personal injuries on persons in Telluride.

A dispatch from Telluride contained the news that 20 Finlanders left that place yesterday. It is inferred from this fact that the deportation of strikers and their families has been resumed by the military.

It is reported that the Western Federation of Miners has made a second appeal to President Roosevelt to send federal troops to Colorado. The union men take the ground that Governor Peabody put martial law in force at Telluride only to prevent the injunction against the Citizens' Alliance from becoming operative.

Settled After Eighteen Years

New York, March 25.—After friendly litigation extending over a term of 18 years, the court of appeals has declared valid a bequest of $500,000 made by the will of Jose Sevilla, who died in this city in 1886, for the establishment and maintenance of a home for poor young girls. The original bequest has grown considerably by accumulation and the board of managers already has taken steps to carry out the ideas outlined in the will.

The Kaiser "Stuck on Himself"

London, March 25.—The Daily Mail's Naples correspondent says that on leaving the steamship Koenig Albert, Emperor William asked whether his state cabins would be left as he occupied them. On the captain answering his question in the negative, Emperor William said: "Oh, that is a great mistake. I am sure lots of Americans would pay any sum to live in the cabins occupied by me."

Thieving Marines on Trial

Washington, March 25.—Two noncommissioned officers and five privates of the United States marine corps are being tried by general court martial here on the charge of robbing Captain Wynne, while acting quartermaster at the barracks here last August, of $1000 worth of supplies. The stealing was revealed in Panama by the confessing of one of the culprits to Captain Wynne.

Irish Opposed a Show

Dublin, March 25.—A meeting called for the purpose of promoting an international exhibition in Dublin during the year 1906, under King Edward's patronage, broke up in disorder, the members of the Gaelic league voting with the majority against the project. Later the supporters of the national movement attempted to hold a meeting, but were dispersed by the police.

Light Demand For Coal

Philadelphia, March 25.—All the collieries of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company have shut down for the remainder of the week after having worked only two days. This is due to the disinclination of dealers and consumers to lay in supplies to last beyond immediate necessity, pending the usual reduction of prices on April 1.

Youthful Buffalo Crooks

Buffalo, March 25.—William Trueman, 18 years old, the second of the four boys to be tried for killing Balsano, an Italian grocer, in an attempted holdup, was found guilty of manslaughter. Heimberger, another member of the gang, has been convicted of murder in the second degree. Trueman's defense was a plea of insanity.

No Regret at Sakay's Death

Washington, March 25.—Secretary Taft and officials of the war department generally openly express their gratification at the news of the death of Macario Sakay, the so-called president of the Filipino republic. Sakay has made considerable trouble by attacking small villages and unprotected expeditions.

Canmakers' Strike Settled

Chicago, March 25.—The American Can company, whose three plants have been crippled for six weeks by a strike of 1600 canmakers, has apparently settled the troubles. The basis is arbitration of the wage scale for the coming year and reinstatement of the strikers, most of them girls.

Brothers Charged With Murder

Starke, Fla., March 25.—The grand jury found a true bill for murder in the first degree against John, Henry and Richard Bennett, brothers, who are accused of killing Deputy Sheriff Lawtry some months ago. A bond of $3000 each was allowed.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Saturday, March 26.
Sun rises—5:38; sets—6:03.
Moon sets—2:12 a. m.
High water—6:13 a. m.; 6:43 p. m.

The eastern area of high pressure still overlies Atlantic coast districts, having made little progress eastward. Showers are indicated for New England. It will be warmer.

MALLORY'S READINESS

By Bertha Trevelyan

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If it usually happened that Mallory got what he wanted in the world, it was by no means due to chance. When he wanted anything he began by looking the field over carefully, noting all the salient points—the advantages and the disadvantages. Then with his feet up and a cigar between his lips he would consider all available methods of securing the thing desired.

Having finally arrived at a decision as to the best course of action to pursue, he pursued it with an energy and a single mindedness that were open to no discouragement, admitted no defeat. And the result was that, as life goes, Mallory was accounted lucky.

He was a handsome, vigorous man of fifty when, business affairs making it necessary for him to spend a number of months in New York, a letter of introduction secured him the very delightful privilege of rooms with the Fosters, whose story of waning fortunes he had heard from the friend who sent him to them. The ominous length of his upper lip was hidden under a short gray mustache, or Miss Foster would have known from the first that it was useless to oppose him once his mind was set upon anything.

The romance of his youth was a beautiful memory, a thing as faint and elusive as the scent of lavender. But he had been loyal to it for twenty years, having been left at thirty a widower with two children. As he sat in the great dim drawing room where everything was eloquent of other days he noticed several things—touches unusual in stiff city drawing rooms, but which made for homeliness. He sighed with a sudden wistfulness altogether out of keeping with his height, breadth and floridness.

In the midst of his reverie Miss Foster appeared, her delicate slightness heightened by the massive doorway in which she stood framed for a moment. As she rose to greet her he wondered idly what could have given her that harassed look, this little woman with the oval face and the piled up hair. Her smile, he thought, was oddly shy and girlish, and in a few minutes they were talking with the ease of old acquaintance.

With a businesslike air that sat amusingly on her she showed him the rooms that she and her mother rented to eke out their small and uncertain income, and the next day found him installed in them.

Often during the following months he would spend an hour with the mother and daughter, noting with hidden amusement the latter's unnatural little air of elderliness. She would forget and laugh and chat gayly at times; then, in a moment, she seemed to remember that she was no longer young, and she became in a trice the prosaic, careworn woman again, drawing her mantle of years ungraciously about her. It was as if she had determined not to be surprised by old age and so had rushed out to meet it.

Her references to herself were slighting always, as if to one to whom nothing but the dregs of life were left, whom romance could not possibly touch, whose role was one of duty untouched by grace.

At first Mallory took her at her own estimate, concluding that she was about his own age. Then one night she appeared in a gown of filmy violet, with her brown hair rising in a swirl above her face, and he looked at her with puzzled but admiring wonder. She turned her head, and the surprise of her profile fairly made him start. It was singularly delicate and youthful, with a small high bred nose and full lipped mouth.

His speculative glance now told him that she could not be more than forty, if she were that. But by the way in which she was always putting forward the young girls of her acquaintance it was evident that she thought herself too old a woman to be of interest to any man.

"She belongs to the old regime," Mallory soliloquized, "and has probably considered herself an old lady ever since she emerged from her teens. She hasn't been able to assimilate this bachelor woman idea." And he smiled to himself.

"By the way, Miss Marion," he said nonchalantly, "I have tickets for the opera tomorrow night. Be good and come too."

There was a flash of surprise in her face that for one brief, fleeting moment said frankly that he must have taken leave of his senses. Then courtesy prevailed, and after hesitating for an appreciable moment, in which it was apparent that she was casting about in her mind for some plausible excuse, she accepted.

When the time arrived she was disturbed by an uncomfortable consciousness. She had the air of a person who felt that she was going to be a subject of quickly exchanged glances and half laughing comment. All this Mallory divined, and he put forth every effort to make her forget herself to such good purpose that by the end of the evening she was laughing and chatting as unconcernedly as if Mrs. Grundy did not exist.

With this excellent beginning things went smoothly for awhile. Walks, drives and theaters followed, and apparently Miss Foster's fear of appearing "kittenish" slumbered. To Mallory each hour spent in her society made him long for more. She was so deliciously contradictory.

Then of a sudden all the old prim restraint returned to her manner. Three consecutive invitations were refused with excuses so flimsy that even the most obtuse person must have seen through them.

As before, he divined the meaning of it all—some idle word that had aroused all her dormant sensitiveness, and she was writhing under it. She doubtless imagined that people were saying that that old maid, Marion Foster, was trying to catch Mr. Mallory, and her manner was her fierce, wordless refutation of it. The lines of care were deepening in her face day by day, and his heart ached for her.

"I want to speak to you, Miss Foster," he said in a determined way as she was about to pass him in the hall one day with her usual brief greeting.

"Certainly," she replied somewhat uncomfortably, and they sat down in the quiet drawing room together.

"Something is bothering you," he began, fixing his glance searchingly upon her. "Come now, be frank. If there is any way in which I can be of service to you tell me."

"It's nothing," she protested hastily, "or, at least, nothing much." Then with an attempt at lightness she added, "Women who have neither fathers nor brothers to look out for them often have to worry, you know."

Another sort of woman might have added "husbands," but to Miss Foster, whose consciousness upon the subjects of love and matrimony was as shrinking as that of a young girl, such a remark would have been impossible. Even in that moment Mallory chuckled to himself, yet would have liked to take her in his arms and put himself between her and the world forever.

"Marry me," he said softly. "Give me the right to take care of you. I shall count it a great happiness."

Her face went scarlet.

"Such a subject seems scarcely the proper one for jest," she retorted with dignity. "If you will excuse me, I have duties to attend to," and she rose to leave him.

"One moment."

His voice rang a trifle sharp and clear with command. The Mallory who achieved what he wanted in life was speaking. Miss Foster seemed to feel this, and she sat down again as obediently as a child, though he could see that her hands were quivering nervously.

"You have misunderstood me," he said in a calm, decided voice which somehow thrilled her with the certainty that he would bend her to his will.

"I have no intention of indulging in the sentimental talk of a man of twenty-five," he went on, taking one of her slim hands in his and looking at her a bit quizzically. "Love, of course, is a matter of years. A man and woman of fifty would only be ridiculous if they essayed to speak that language."

"But I'm only thirty-nine!" she exclaimed, surprised into protest.

Mallory could have roared with laughter at the innocent "only." As he had supposed, then it was not that she really thought herself outside the pale; it was only as one sensitively afraid that she ought to think so. He could not entirely banish the teasing smile from his eyes, and she felt vaguely that she had walked into the trap he had set for her.

"But of course it's absurd for you to say such things to a woman of my age—and for me to listen," she continued courageously, though Mallory noticed that she no longer made as if to leave him.

"My dear Miss Foster," he said persuasively, "we won't talk of that phase of the matter at all. I should not be saying this to you if I had not a very deep regard for you, and you, I fancy, would not be listening."

There was a little incoherent murmur which he took for assent. Then he continued with an anxious air.

"But there is an ethical side to the matter that persons of our age should consider. You would be doing a beautiful act if you would take my children and me in hand, and I could make things so much easier for you and your mother."

"That will bring her," he exulted to himself.

"But I thought your children were grown?"

"They're over twenty," he admitted boldly, "but that is the very age at which young people most need the controlling influence of home."

He could see that she was awakening, and he wisely refrained from further persuasion, murmuring only, "We need you, dear."

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On the steps of her new home as the carriage dashed up the drive she noticed that a small group awaited them. A moment later she was clasped in a bear hug by a bright faced girl who said, "My dear little new mother," so warmly that she loved her on the spot as well as the manly youth who laughingly took her next, pleading "Me too."

"And this is my husband, Ralph," the girl explained as another young man stepped forward. "And this, Janet, Harry's wife."

Then a nurse moved forward into the circle, holding a bulky armful.

"And this, mother," continued the girl proudly, "is your little granddaughter."

So these were the "children" who needed her.

The second Mrs. Mallory swept the group with an eye that sought her perfidious husband. He had disappeared. Then she buried her convulsed face in the soft, sweet smelling bundle containing her new grandchild to smother her laughter.

A Wily Programme.

"Why is your majesty so frequently reported dead?" inquired the Chinese empress' most intimate maid of honor.

"It's a little idea of my own," was the answer. "It enables me to get even with editors who are remiss in the matter of obituary notices instead of waiting until it is too late."—Washington Star.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after March 14, 1904, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 33	ad	7 52	7 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 42	abc	10 02	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 10 12	ab	10 32	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
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r 5 42	abc	6 02	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
r 5 59	abcdefghi	6 57	6 58	cba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

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r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.40 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—8.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 7 21 9.21 P. M.

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Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to March 25th, 1904.

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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs)—At 7.30 and 30 minutes past every hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10. Sundays: 8.30 A. M., then same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston)—6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON -7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

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WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	47	34	74	65	39
Monday,	47	43	48	44	52
Tuesday,	45	38	47	43	58
Wednesday,	55	41	45	58	49
Thursday,	57	39	57	39	40
Friday,	62	40	58	37	46
Saturday,	—	48	53	48	48

New Advertisements Today.

For Sale—Decoy Geese and Launch.
Mortgagee's Sale.
State House Hearing.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

L. M. Pratt & Son quote low prices for meats.

Bonfires and grass fires are numerous, but no fire alarms yet.

Auctioneer Johnson will have a sale Saturday at the City Square auction rooms.

The body of Anne A. Fay, who died at Brockton, will be brought to Quincy today for burial.

Mrs. E. C. Shores has removed her dressmaking parlors from Hancock chambers, to Room 8 Hancock building.

Edward, son of Joseph C. Morse, who underwent an operation at the City Hospital this week for appendicitis, is reported as doing nicely.

Representative Guy Ham says he was not the only guy at Niagara Falls; that there seemed to be a multitude of other brides and grooms there.

Mrs. William W. Penniman, in behalf of the W. R. C., has presented the Washington school with an oleograph of the flag and its history.

Mr. Robert Horton and Mr. Peck who have severed their connection with the Fore Piver Ship and Engine Co. started for New York on Thursday.

A pretty dancing party was given at Colonial hall Thursday evening by Misses Davidson, Newcomb and Kingman. The party was matronized by Mrs. S. I. Wood and Mrs. W. E. Blanchard.

The temperature at noon today was 62 degrees. This is the highest point the mercury has reached at noon this year and in fact is the highest point it has reached at that hour since November 5, last.

Birthday Party

Mrs. William F. Gragg of Crescent street observed her sixtieth birthday anniversary Thursday evening, entertaining thirty or more. Ex-Councilman T. J. Lamb related reminiscences of of school days. Mrs. Walter H. Ripley, Fred Badger and Miss Packard entertained with music. A supper was served, and whist and other games enjoyed. It was also the birthday anniversary of Mrs. T. J. Lamb and she was recipient of a bouquet.

Sewer Appropriation.

A favorable report was made in the Legislature on Thursday on the bill to appropriate $392,000 for the high level sewer for the relief of the Charles and Neponset river valleys.

A Question.



Ethel—You mustn't tell fibs. It's very naughty for little girls to tell fibs.
Polly—Must I wait till I'm growed up?

Parish Meeting.

The annual reunion and parish meeting of the Washington street Congregational church was held Thursday evening. Supper was served early in the evening, and was followed by the annual meeting at which the following officers were elected:

Moderator,—George A. Sidelinger.
Clerk,—Dr. E. H. Bushnell.
Treasurer,—Herbert D. Adams.
Auditor,—Thaddeus H. Newcomb.
Prudential Committee,—Thomas B. Pollard, Charles H. Sherburne and Herbert D. Adams.
Music Committee,—Harry Sherburne and Mrs. Alice Selleck.

The report of the officers was very gratifying, showing all departments to be in good condition.

Randolph Avenue.

In the Legislature on Thursday, the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs reported leave to withdraw on the petition of Mayor Bryant of Quincy, to authorize the Metropolitan Park Commissioners to take and maintain Randolph avenue within the Blue Hills reservation.

It is understood that the grant of location to the street railway required that the company should put the avenue in good condition. This has not been done, and when the Mayor requires the fulfilment of the contract the Park Commissioners will be willing to take the street.

Odd Fellows Funeral.

The funeral of Mr. John Graham of Milton was held Thursday afternoon and was attended by a large delegation from Mt. Wollaston lodge of Quincy, of which he was a member, and of the Thursday Evening club of which he was vice president. A number of the Milton town officials were also present.

Prayers were held at the house at two o'clock, and were followed by services at St. Michael's church conducted by Rev. Theodore I. Reese. The remains were then escorted to the village cemetery where the Odd Fellows' burial service was held.

House Warming.

About fifty of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Marr of Beach street gathered at their residence Thursday evening for a house warming, Mr. Marr having recently moved back into his house which was damaged in the winter by fire. It was an enjoyable evening for all. Music was contributed by Mrs. James Baker, Miss Leona Robbins and Miss Helen Willett, and readings by Miss Julia Baker of Rockland. Refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Marr were presented a picture for the dining room. Dancing closed the festivities.

TODAY'S COURT.

Dennis Duggan and Andrew J. Mahoney were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Cases continued until Saturday.

William St. Pierre was arraigned for permitting minors to enter his pool room at Quincy. Case continued until Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sears of South Yarmouth observed their 65th wedding anniversary on Thursday. Mr. Sears is 88 and his wife 86 years. They have no family.

MARRIED.

DAVIS—LEGERE—In Boston, March 23, by Charles A. Feyhl, Esq., Mr. Edwin Davis to Mrs. Bessie E. Legere, both of Quincy.

DIED.

GALVIN—In Quincy, March 24, Mr. Timothy Galvin of 163 Whitwell street, aged 62 years.
LITTLEFIELD—In Holbrook, March 23, Mrs. Angeline P. Littlefield, aged 49 years, and 10 days.
MURPHY—In South Braintree, March 23, Harold William, son of Mr. John W. and Mrs. Levina Murphy, aged 1 month.

LIKE FINDING MONEY.

Chas. C. Hearn Offers Popular Medicine at Half-Price.

Chas. C. Hearn, the popular druggist, is making an offer that is just like finding money, for he is selling a regular 50 cent bottle of Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at half-price. In addition to this large discount he agrees to return the money to any purchaser whom the specific does not cure.

It is quite unusal to be able to buy fifty-cent pieces for a quarter, but that is what this offer really means, for it is only recently, through the solicitation of Druggist Chas. C. Hearn, that this medicine could be bought for less than fifty cents, he urged the proprietors to allow him to sell it at this reduced price for a little while, agreeing to sell a certain amount. The result has justified his good judgment, for the sale has been something remarkable.

Anyone who suffers with headache, dyspepsia, dizziness, sour stomach, specks before the eyes, or any liver trouble, should take advantage of this opportunity, for Dr. Howard's specific will cure all these troubles. But if by any chance it should not, Chas. C. Hearn will return your money.

The specific is very pleasant to take, coming in the form of small granules, and there are sixty doses in every package. It is especially convenient when traveling, and no one should start on a journey without a bottle of this reliable medicine. 25-1-8

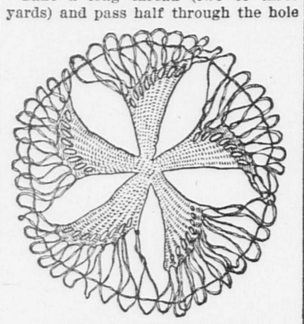
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Designs and Instructions For Doing It—It Is Worked Without a Cushion—A Number of Practical Uses. Launders Well on Linen.

Mark on a piece of rather lightweight pasteboard a circle about an eighth of an inch larger than you wish the completed medallion to be. Adjust your sewing machine to its longest stitch and with coarse thread stitch around the circle. Now make a hole in the center of the circle, and you have the frame complete for your wheel. See second cut.

Take a long thread (two or three yards) and pass half through the hole

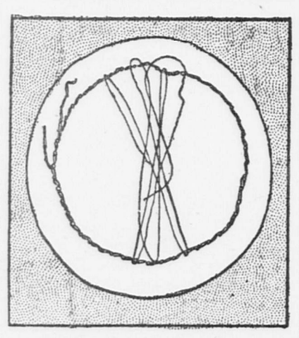


A BRAZILIAN WHEEL DESIGN.

in the center; hold the other end and the frame in your left hand. Begin working by passing the needle and thread through one of the machine stitches, then across to the opposite side, then back again in the alternate stitch, then back again, and so on until all the thread in the needle is used up; then thread it with the under thread, bring it up to the right side and proceed as before until the spokes are all complete. The end of the thread you have been working with is then passed through half of the spokes and tied securely, then tied to the loose end. In case the thread is not long enough to complete the wheel it can easily be fastened to a new needleful with a tight knot. The process, although it may seem complicated in print, will be found to be perfectly simple.

After the frame is made and spokes are all complete comes the pleasant part, that of darning in the pattern. This can be as simple or elaborate as you wish, and there is practically no end to the different combinations. Fifty spokes is a good number to work with, and a very effective wheel may be made by simply tying the spokes around in rows at four different distances from the center.

The wheels are here pictured in about two-thirds the actual size when made with rather coarse linen thread. Making them with finer thread would decrease the size, while if made of crochet silk they would be considerably larger. None of them is difficult to make after the worker becomes accustomed to the darning. The main thing to remember is to draw the darning threads closely and firmly to give a solid look to that part of the wheel, but at the same time one must not draw or pull the work, or it will look uneven. The beginner will find the process described for working with the pasteboard circle a somewhat easier one than that of working on a cushion and using pins, for the reason that the threads are held perfectly firm by the machine stitches until it is desired



MAKING THE FRAMEWORK OF THE WHEEL.

to rip the completed wheel off, while the pins might possibly be pulled out by one who is not accustomed to this weaving under and over the spoke threads in basket fashion.

Brazilian point can be used in dozens of ways as fancy work decoration and dress trimming. The wheels when made of linen thread launder beautifully, hence are excellent for trimming lawn or chambray dresses for little folks.

The wheels may also be buttonholed on coarse linen canvas or butchers' linen for the decoration of shirt waists. —Designer.

Decorative Notes.

A pretty lamp shade consists of thin, translucent laminæ of mother-of-pearl set after the fashion of leaded glass.

Hall lanterns grow more decorative each year and come in an endless variety. So also do lamp shades and lamps.

Pretty little wrought iron brackets in Venetian style come for the side wall. From the center of the bracket springs an opalescent lily, serving as flower holder.

Bead fringes in all colors are sold by the yard for the decoration of lamp shades—in fact, beads are very popular this season for decorative purposes and are shown in many styles.

Very handsome lamps, low and squat in shape, are made of glass of a raspberry shade and set in dead finished wrought iron. A shade comes to match. Lamps in yellow glass are also effective.

Vacation For Thousands

Malden, Mass., March 25.—The Boston Rubber Shoe company has posted notices in its Malden factory announcing an indefinite shutdown of the plant on April 1. By the notice nearly 7000 operatives are affected. Officers of the company say the shutdown is caused by need of important repairs in the works.

Suicide by Eighty-Foot Jump

Clinton, Mass., March 25.—Discouraged because he could not pay his debts as fast as he desired, Ambrose Newman, aged 50, a cobbler, jumped from the bridge into the Nashua river, a distance of 80 feet, and was killed. The river at this point is two feet deep.

Open For Navigation

Hartford, March 25.—The Connecticut river was opened to navigation when a tug which has been bucking the ice for several days succeeded in getting a channel through to this city. The New York steamer line will begin running next week.

Charged With Counterfeiting

Waterbury, Vt., March 25.—A man who registered at the Waterbury house under the name of F. M. Bucuar was arrested by an officer from Springfield, Mass., on a charge of counterfeiting.

No Outside Adresses

Washington, March 25.—It is announced that the president will uniformly decline this year to make any engagements away from Washington, where he may be expected to deliver addresses. It may be necessary for him to speak in public either in Washington or at Oyster Bay during the campaign, but he will deliver no more addresses than are absolutely necessary.

A Pointer on Prunes.

Don't order prunes of the grocer boy when he calls for orders and then cook any old thing he delivers. It is best to select them yourself the first time or two; then after awhile the grocer will learn what you mean when you say, "Bring me some more of those nice prunes."

Brass Beds and Drafts.

The objection to brass or iron beds that drafts are noticeable is overcome by the use of dainty curtains at the head. In hospitals squares of heavy pique tied by tapes at the corners to the uprights of the bed are laundered weekly with the other bed linen.—Pilgrim.

An Animal Story For Little Folks

A Change of Diet

Little Tommy Grasshopper
A naughty habit had.
He'd chew all day and nighttime
Tobacco good and hard.

Dr. Duck heard of the case
And called his aid to lend.
He said, "I'll surely cure you,
If fees you mean to spend."

The Hopper said he'd pay him,
And doctor said: "All right.
We'll start this very moment.
I'll cure your failing quite."



AND CALLED HIS AID TO LEND.

The doctor changed his diet;
Said: "No potato vines,
No green peas in the morning,
No beets or melon rinds.

"No cantaloupes or peaches,
No plums or celery,
No lima beans or parsnips—
They don't with you agree.

"I've brought this health food for you.
Eat it alone for food,
And I am sure tobacco
Will never more taste good.

"It builds the nerves and tissues,
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—Pittsburg Dispatch.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 23d, 1904. The Committee on Banks and Banking will give a hearing to parties interested in part two of the twenty-eighth annual report of the board of Commissioners of Savings Banks; Public Document No. 8, relating to Co-operative Banks, at room No. 448, State House, on WEDNESDAY, March 30th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ELISHA H. BREWSTER, Chairman. DANIEL J. O'BRIEN, Clerk of the Committee. 25-2t

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Thomas Smith (sometimes written Thomas W. Smith) to William S. Williams, dated August 31st, 1888, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 610, folio 456, and also recorded with Town of Quincy Records, libro 10, folio 545, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, upon the premises described in said mortgage, on SATURDAY, April 16th, A. D. 1904, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises and goods and chattels described or held under said mortgage, viz:

"A certain lot of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and bounded and described as follows: Northerly on Water street, three hundred sixty three and one-half (363 1-2) feet; easterly by land of John McKenzie, one hundred three (103) feet; southerly by land of Jeremiah Nightingale by a curved line, three hundred seventy-two (372) feet; westerly by land of said Nightingale, one hundred twenty-five (125) feet, excepting however a private passage way across said premises in a nearly direct line from Water street, running southerly eighty (80) feet, more or less, to land of said Nightingale; being eleven (11) feet wide and being one hundred eighty-seven (187) feet from the westerly bound of said premises; being the same premises conveyed to said grantor and James Murdock by said Nightingale by two deeds, one dated March 10, 1880, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 518, fol. 68, the other dated August 1, 1881, and recorded Lib. 550, fol. 429. Also the new polishing shop with additions, and barn thereon. Also all the machinery, tools, and implements, contained therein or attached thereto, consisting principally of one steam boiler, one steam engine, shafting, pulleys, belting, twelve (12) polishing machines, derricks. Also one horse and wagon in use."

Said premises, goods and chattels will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles and assessments whatsoever.

Three hundred dollars will be required to be paid down by purchaser at said sale. Further terms at the sale.

WILLIAM S. WILLIAMS, Mortgagee.
March 25, 1904. 3t-25-1-8

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TO LET—On Hancock court, Half Double House, newly repaired, 6 rooms and bath; furnace. Apply to MRS. EDWARDS, 33 School street. Quincy, March 7-tf

TO LET—Stable, 3 stalls, large loft, water, 198 Washington street. Apply C. W. GAREY, M. D., 1247 Hancock street. Quincy, Jan. 30. tf

TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2. Dec 29. tf

TO LET—The Boat Shop at Quincy Point, recently occupied by L. C. Embree & Co. Apply to W. P. BARKER, 86 Greenleaf street. Oct. 5-tf

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SMALL HOUSE LOT, No. 133 Broadway, Quincy Park. Only 3 cents per foot. $66 actual price paid in 1895. Frontage 20 feet; area 2,000 square feet. All taxes paid. Address E. M. LUCE, 3 Vernon St., Rochester, New York. March 22. 6t

SEASON of 1904.

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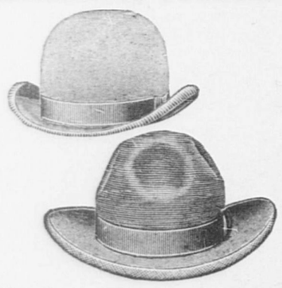
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And day's at the morn;
Morning's at seven;
The hill-side's dew-pearled;
The lark's on the wing;
The snail's on the thorn;
God's in his heaven—
All's right with the world!
Robert Browning.

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Mrs. Charles F. Harper of Putnam street is receiving the condolences of her friends, especially her young married friends, who can appreciate what the loss of all her beautiful wedding silver and part of her trousseau must mean to her, to say nothing of the two pretty gowns and jewelry which the burglars took. Last Saturday afternoon's bold robbery has filled the hearts of many young matrons with dismay.

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Mrs. Henry L. Kincaide and Mrs. Fred E. Drake of Quincy and Mrs. John A. Barbour of Wollaston, were hostesses at the Cochato club, Braintree, Saturday evening, and served a tempting lunch.

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The talk by Mrs. Lawrance Tuesday evening on "Life in Tokio" was thoroughly enjoyed by the Alliance members and friends. The speaker also had pictures and various articles of interest brought from this fascinating country. At the close of the lecture an informal reception was held and a very social half hour spent. Mrs. Henry M. Faxon and Mrs. Henry Tirrell poured and the Misses Gerna Saville, Carlena Walker, Grace Spear and Margarite Davis in Japanese attire assisted in serving.

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The Woodward Alumnae will hold its mid- winter social evening on April eighth in the school hall.

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Hon. Eugene H. Sprague and family are moving from Wollaston to the Eaton house on Adams street. They will be missed in Wollaston where they have always resided and where they have a host of friends.

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Miss Clara Merrill is home from Bristol, Connecticut.

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The Junior Friday club entertain their men friends this evening at the home of Miss Florence R. Emery, Adams street. Mrs. Harry E. Russell, president of the club will be assisted in receiving by Mrs. and Miss Emery.

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Miss Alice White of River street is spending a few weeks at Hotel Greenleaf.

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Mrs. Frank S. Patch of Alleyne terrace entertained her whist club on Wednesday afternoon, the members coming from Boston and suburbs. Miss Emily C. Wild was a guest for the afternoon and carried off the honors, having the highest score. Dainty refreshments were served. It was one of the most happy meetings of the season.

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Hon. and Mrs. William B. Rice returned to their home on Adams street this week, after passing the winter months in Boston.

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About twenty-five young friends of Miss Helen Smith tendered her a surprise party at her home at Braintree last Friday evening. The evening was pleasantly spent with games, music, etc. During the evening a dainty lunch was enjoyed. Miss Helen was the recipient of a handsome gold ring as a memento of the occasion.

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Miss Corinna Wilde of Billings street has returned from a week's visit in Somerville, where she was entertained by Miss Alice Cleaves.

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Miss Cassendana Thayer of Crescent street and Miss E. Gertrude Ward of Adams street, attended the annual banquet and reunion of the Hyannis Summer School at Hotel Westminster on Saturday March 19th.

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The New England Women's Press association had a delightful Japanese afternoon at Hotel Vendome, Boston, on Wednesday. Two Japanese gentlemen gave talks on their country and there were Japanese songs and dances in costume. Next Wednesday the club is to have a Russian afternoon which promises to be equally interesting.

One of the early spring weddings will be that of Miss Annie Graham, daughter of Mr. John R. Graham, and Mr. Elmer Ricker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hazen E. Ricker of Bigelow street.

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Mrs. Holmes of Worcester with her two children are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Simmons.

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The engagement was announced this week of Miss Christine Louise Bumpus, only daughter of Judge E. C. Bumpus of Goffe street, and Mr. Eliot W. Remick, of Boston, brother of Mrs. Herbert Lawton of Presidents hill.

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Charles Taylor, master of the Wollaston and Massachusetts Fields schools, has taken advantage of the excursion to Washington.

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Mrs. Wilson Tisdale and Mrs. E. W. H. Bass, who have been passing a few weeks in Florida, have started north being now in Washington. From there they go to Old Point Comfort, returning to Quincy about the middle of April.

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Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Miller of Russell park are receiving congratulations, a daughter being welcomed to their home on Sunday, March sixth.

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The next meeting of the Quincy Branch Alliance will be held Monday, March 28th, at 3 P. M. in the ladies' parlor of First church. Mrs. Helen E. Kilham of Beverly will speak on "Historic Churches." Members and friends are cordially invited.

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Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hilliard, of Braintree, who are spending a week in Washington, D. C., are expected home the latter part of next week.

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The friends of Mr. Edward Morse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Morse of Goffe street, will be pleased to know that his operation for appendicitis at the Quincy Hospital the first of the week was very successful and he is comfortably convalescing.

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Mrs. Wood is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur of Elm street.

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Mrs. Nichols and daughter, Miss Nichols of Durham street, Boston, are guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Patch of Alleyne terrace.

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Mrs. J. H. Emery of Adams street has extended an invitation to the Friday club and the Junior Friday club to be her guests on the afternoon of Friday, April fifteenth.

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The friends of Mr. and Mrs. George G. Saville of Saville street, are pleased to hear that their daughter Katherine, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is improving, being now out of danger.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Hazel Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Herbert Baker, of Commercial street, Weymouth and Mr. R. T. Taylor of Haverhill.

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The Easter vacation of Wellesley college begins today.

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Mr. Walter E. Severance, in company with Mr. William C. Gallagher, of Braintree, left this morning for a week's vacation in Vermont.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lysander S. Richards have returned to Marshfield, after passing the winter months in Boston.

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Mrs. Kilham of Beverly who gives a paper on "Historic Churches" at the First church Alliance meeting, has been president of the Lothrop club of Beverly for several years and is a personal friend of Mrs. E. C. Butler. The paper was prepared for the Essex Institute of Salem.

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Miss Etta M. Prescott of Spear street, who has been ill all the week is still confined to her room.

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Misses Blanche and Elizabeth Hall of Weymouth are on a trip to Washington, D. C.

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AN EASTER FANTASY.

LARGER APPROPRIATION.

Proposed by Senator Lodge for a Federal Building at Quincy.

It will be no fault of our representatives in Washington if Quincy does not get an appropriation this year for a federal building. Some time ago Representative McNary introduced a bill into the House calling for an appropriation of $150,000 for a federal building upon the site already selected and purchased, to be used for a postoffice, and other federal purposes.

Yesterday Senator Lodge introduced in the Senate a bill providing for the



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SENATOR HENRY CABOT LODGE.

erection of a public building in Quincy at a cost not to exceed $170,000.

With bills in both the Senate and House it looks as though Quincy might be successful this year.

Both of these bills call for an amount considerably larger than the bill offered by Representative Naphen last year which was but for $70,000.

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We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

GRAND DOLL HOUSE.

Work of Quincy Woman Soon to be Put on Exhibition.

Mrs. Charles F. Tirrell of Cottage street has just completed a elaborate doll house which will shortly be placed on exhibition in some store in City Square. With the exception of the frame work the house and furnishings are practically made of card board.

The house is 42 inches long, 28 inches wide and 30 inches high. It has four rooms viz: kitchen, dining room, parlor and bedroom. Each room is elaborately furnished. The furniture is made of card board with varnished wall paper. The floors are also covered with wall paper imitating grained wood.

In the kitchen is a small iron stove sink, pump, table and chairs, and cooking utensils.

In the dining room is a table, sideboard, chairs and open fire place.

In the parlor there is a piano and other parlor furniture.

The bed room is equally well furnished.

On the floor are pieces of fancy wall paper which resemble art squares. Each room is well lighted by windows which are supplied with lace draperies as well as window shades. The whole thing is done on a very elaborate scale and represents a great amount of patience and hard work.

The Study Club.

A regular meeting of the Study club was held Thursday night at the parish house, Christ church, Mr. M. A. Turner presiding. A large number of the members and their friends enjoyed the Shakesperian evening. Piano selections were given by Mr. Fall and several songs from the poet's plays were ably sung by Miss Frye and Mr. Hay. An address abounding in pleasant humor and interesting information was delivered by Mrs. W. H. Alden. After adjournment refreshments were served by the members.

—If you wish to have your old clothes look neat send a postal to Geo. S. Baker & Co., Wollaston, or call them, 42-3, on the telephone. They do cleaning, pressing or dyeing, and will make your clothes look like new. Read their advertisement in the Ledger today.

Japanese Scouts Report the Enemy In Large Force

NEW CHWANG SITUATION

River Liao Open to Navigation and Russian Military Officials Promulgate Stringent Shipping Rules--Chinese Generals Said to Have Proposed Open Alliance With Japan

London, March 26.—Dispatches from Seoul say Japanese scouts report that they have discovered a larger number of Russian troops south of the Yalu than was expected. This is about all there is in the dispatches bearing on the actual military situation in the theatre of war.

A New Chwang dispatch says that the Liao river became navigable yesterday and shipping agents have received notices of the departure of vessels from ports along the entire coast of China for New Chwang. The Russian military authorities have issued an order regulating shipping at New Chwang. The order provides that all incoming vessels must anchor 5½ miles below the fort and can proceed into the harbor only between the hours of 6 a. m. and 6 p. m., after undergoing an examination of papers and cargo. The merchants are protesting against the order in the hope that ships will be permitted to anchor within two miles of the foreign settlement before submitting to an examination by the authorities. Although further compromising the rights of neutrals the surveillance of all ships passing by the fortifications is considered by the authorities to be a necessary military precaution.

The Daily Telegraph prints a dispatch from its correspondent at Shanghai which says that the empress dowager has negatived a proposal made by General Yuan Shi Kai and General Ma that China conclude an open alliance with Japan in view of Russia's repeated violations of Chinese territory west of the Liao river.

Hard Times at Vladivostok

St. Petersburg, March 26.—Proclamations issued by General Voronez, who is in command at Vladivostok, have been received at St. Petersburg. They urge the people at Vladivostok to remain, but add that only those will be allowed to stay who have 432 pounds of flour and 108 pounds of buckwheat, which quantity is calculated to last eight months. All the Chinese and Koreans who are without occupation have been ordered to depart. Persons who start untrue and alarming reports will be court-martialed.

The Vladivostok papers say that there is no money in circulation, the banks having closed, and that it is almost impossible to obtain money by telegraph. Business at Vladivostok is slack.

Russian Traitors Caught

St. Petersburg, March 26.—Captain Leontieff of the artillery, employed at the Warsaw fortress, was arrested in the act of communicating plans of the Kovno and Warsaw fortresses to Austria. It is believed that Leontieff also supplied information to the Japanese.

Captain Irkorff of the Manchurian comissariat service, charged with having sold information in connection with the quartermaster's department to the former military attache of the Japanese legation here, has been tried by court martial, found guilty and sentenced to 25 years' penal servitude.

Room Preferred to Company

Paris, March 26.—Information reaching here bears out the reports that the Japanese desire to retire the French and other foreign functionaries serving in Korea. It is understood that all the foreign officials will go except Mr. Brown, the English manager of the customs, and a few others.

Complaint of Lack of Discipline

Paris, March 26.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Matin says that Paul Lessar, Russian minister at Pekin, has been instructed to make representations to the Chinese government on the subject of the lack of discipline among the Chinese troops.

Eight Killed In Bombardment

Paris, March 26.—The Matin's Harbin correspondent, supplementing Viceroy Alexieff's report on the last Japanese attack on Port Arthur, says that the bombardment resulted in the killing of eight persons.

Won't Remain at New Chwang

Washington, March 26.—The navy department has been informed by Admiral Cooper, commanding the Asiatic station, to whom was left the question of protecting American interests at New Chwang, that he has decided that the conditions there do not warrant him in detaining the gunboat Helena at New Chwang. If the town is attacked by the Japanese navy the Helena would be in the line of fire and no neutral ship has a right to remain there if she can get away. The navy department has cabled him to withdraw the ship.

Mickey Will Succeed Himself

Lincoln, Neb., March 26.—W. H. Harrison of Grand Island has withdrawn as a candidate for governor. This leaves Governor Mickey with no opposition.

Financiers In Gas Case

Boston, March 26.—As a witness in the Boston gas consolidation case here Thomas W. Lawson told of his connection with gas matters in this city, and his testimony excited much interest. In many respects his statements differed from those made by previous witnesses in the trial now in progress, and he flatly contradicted evidence given by H. H. Rogers of New York and Robert Winsor of the firm of Kidder, Peabody & Co. of Boston, concerning certain payments said to have been made to Lawson in connection with the consolidation. Lawson stated that he had received large sums of money from Rogers, not on account of gas transactions, but on account of copper investments.

Mr. Lawson told of a proposition made to Rogers whereby Lawson was to receive $1,000,000 in connection with the gas combination, and his ultimate decision to accept 10 percent of the profits. He also described in detail how, as he said, J. E. Addicks of the Bay State Gas company of Delaware had "tricked" him out of the control of that company.

Old-Timer In Custody

Boston, March 26.—Charles W. Hicks, known to the police as one of the oldest swindlers in the country, is under arrest here on a forgery charge. Hicks is 64 years old, and has a home somewhere in Dorchester. He has been arrested frequently on charges similar to the present one. He was caught in the banking district and held on a warrant charging him with swindling a Maine man out of $77 by means of a worthless check.

Probably Struck Bad Weather

Boston, March 26.—Evidently the north Atlantic is keeping up its reputation for tempestuous weather established last winter. Steamer Cambrian, 15 days out from London, is three days overdue; the Oakmore from Antwerp, which port she left 16 days ago, is also three days behind, while the Ohio from Hull, Eng., is somewhat overdue and the Queen Eleanor from Calcutta is making rather a lengthy passage from that port.

A Boston Slugger Caught

Boston, March 26.—After choking and robbing Mrs. Margaret Freeman on Garland street late last night, John D. Hayes led the police a chase of several blocks before they finally caught him. The man was brought back to the doorway from which he started. The woman, with bruised throat and torn collar, at once identified him. Hayes is 24 years old, of powerful build and was quite well dressed.

Couldn't Break McAleer Will

Boston, March 26.—The will of Patrick McAleer, the eccentric contractor and builder of Province court, was allowed by Judge Grant of the probate court. Patrick McAleer died suddenly nearly a year ago, leaving an estate valued close to a million dollars. The daughters, Sarah, Annie, Mary and Helen, alleged that their brother exerted undue influence upon their father in the making of the will.

Customs Officials Out

Boston, March 26.—Secretary Shaw has removed from the service John W. Trafton and James A. Shedd, who were suspended from their positions of examiners in the appraisers' stores last November. Both men are under indictment, together with William Munroe and the three members of the Glasgow Manufacturing company, charged with conspiring to defraud in the customs case.

Supposed Incendiary Fire

Lancaster, Mass., March 26.—The house and barn of John Gaw were burned early this morning, causing a loss of $5000. The fire is believed to have been incendiary. The family escaped in their nightclothes, saving practically nothing, and a horse, two cows and over $100 in money were burned.

Lewis Not a Firebug

Stoughton, Mass., March 26.—Gardner K. Lewis, 13 years old, charged with setting several of the numerous fires that have occurred in Sharon for the past eight months, was discharged by Judge Marden in the district court here. The judge said he believed the boy was innocent.

Dividend From Defunct Concern

Nashua, N. H., March 26.—A dividend of 10 percent to the depositors of the defunct Security Trust company has been ordered by the superior court. The amount will be $29,300, and its payment will bring the total received by the depositors up to 60 percent of their original deposits.

Curtailment In Cotton Mills

Providence, March 26.—Notices of a curtailment of one day a week in the cotton mills controlled in this state by the Lonsdale company were posted this morning and hereafter all the mills will be closed on Saturdays until further notice. The new order will affect 3000 employes.

Guardian For Cashier Piper

Wolfboro, N. H., March 26.—Judge Abbott has appointed Dana J. Brown guardian over Charles F. Piper, former cashier of the Wolfboro Loan and Banking company. The company is now in the hands of a receiver and Piper has been adjudged insane.

Pin Scratch Caused Death

Leominster, Mass., March 26.—Mrs. Margaret Sullivan, 92 years old, died last evening from blood poisoning caused by a pin scratch on a little finger.

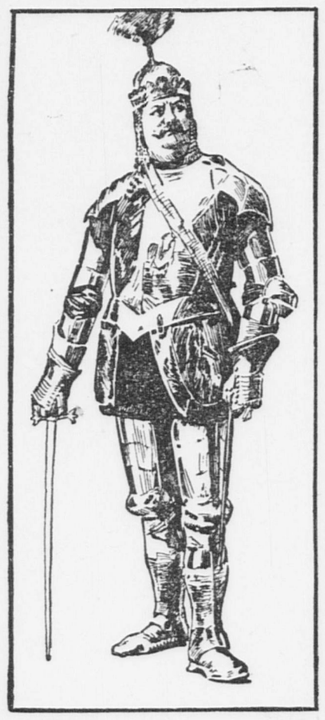
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Henry Miller's New Play, "Man Proposes." The Century Players In "Much Ado About Nothing" ⁂ Katherine Kennedy's Debut.

[From Our New York Dramatic Correspondent.]

Judging by the activity among New York theatrical managers, one would readily imagine that the season is opening instead of drawing to a close.

Several new plays have just opened, and consequently the dramatic writers



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must earn their salaries. Henry Miller's return to the "metrolapus," as Francis Wilson would say, is auspicious. In "Man Proposes" he has a comedy that will surely succeed. The Century Players have finally produced "Much Ado About Nothing" at the Princess, and at the Garrick theater Katherine Kennedy, a newcomer in the starry way, is producing "The Ruling Power."

Henry Miller's new play at the Hudson theater was written by Ernest Denny, an Englishman. On the whole it is not a satisfactory vehicle for Mr. Miller and, although bright in spots, drops to a low level of interest in the main.

The story of "Man Proposes" is that of an Irish lord who undertakes to bring up a harebrained younger brother and keep him out of scrapes. He is self sacrificing and even offers to give up the woman he loves. Some gossipy women of a small English village aid in keeping the talk going, but the lord wins the girl at the end of the fourth act.

H. Hassard Short makes the best of his opportunities as the brother, and Dorothy Hammond plays well the part of the girl in the case.

Mrs. Kennedy has made her professional debut, with the indications of a



FLORENCE ROCKWELL IN "MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING."

successful future. She has ability and for a comparative novice does remarkably well.

Her play at times goes beyond her, but in time she will develop the dramatic strength that comes only through experience.

"The Ruling Power" is the product of Christian Science over hypnotism. Mr. Barron was formerly a Chicago dramatic critic and has spent the last three or four years abroad. He is a Christian Scientist, as also is Mrs. Kennedy.

According to the play's story, Hawley Harwood, recently married, meets with an automobile accident, and his doctor, an old flame of his wife, finds that he is a good subject for hypnotism and causes him to enter on a life of dissipation.

His wife of course is tempted by the doctor, and equally of course she rejects him. Then by Christian Science or mental suggestion she releases her husband from the bonds.

Emmet Shackelford does splendid work in two character parts.

In "Ivan the Terrible" Richard Mansfield has one of the most imposing productions he has ever put on "the boards."

The tragedy is in five acts and is played in seven scenes. The cast is long, and the total number of people appearing is considerably over a hundred. Pictorially it reflects the barbaric prodigality of mediæval Russia refined by a characteristic national taste.

The scenes and the costumes are all modeled on plates loaned Mr. Mansfield by the directors of the Imperial theater in St. Petersburg.

The translation was made by Mme. Sophie de Meissner, an American woman of attainments, who left her home in Washington many years ago to follow abroad her young husband, Vladimir de Meissner, then secretary of legation. Accompanying him to higher posts of diplomatic honor, Mme. de Meissner spent many years in the European capitals. She is now in America and was present at Mr. Mansfield's first appearance in "Ivan the Terrible."

Little Edith Taliaferro, now with "The Girl With the Green Eyes," promises to become a star before she even enters her teens.

Miss Taliaferro is ten years old and plays the part of the slangy little sister of the jealous heroine of this story. She is a sister of Mabel Taliaferro, who is playing Lovey Mary in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."

A company of twenty sorrowful American vaudeville performers has returned to New York after an engagement of ten days in Havana. The manager of the venture, James Lederer, employs the vernacular concerning it to the following effect: "We were stung, and we were stung all over. There is no doubt about it. Cuba is the very worst place for an actor to go if he wants to make good. They did not want us at all. Not one little welcome did they give us. Why, it was so frosty in that theater that we needed our overcoats all the time."

The gallery is supposed to be the main source of boisterousness in the



HENRY MILLER, STARRING IN "MAN PROPOSES."

theater, but collegians really deserve this questionable distinction. Many an actor's heart has been set aching by the pranks of the callous scholastics.

Richard Mansfield once had an experience in England with a boxful of Oxford students. Once bitten, twice scared, so when he played later in Cambridge Mansfield anticipated exactly what happened. The opera was "The Mikado," and Mansfield was playing Ko-Ko. There were students in every part of the house. Ko-Ko's entrance was greeted by hurrahs from the boys and the thrusting of half a dozen roosters on the stage. Instantly there was bedlam. Ko-Ko, however, stood his ground. In a couple of minutes the students had shouted themselves hoarse or tired, or both.

When quiet prevailed Mansfield, in his own robes as Ko-Ko, entered and began his song as the super he had sent on to take the reception grinned at the success of his ruse and ambled awkwardly off. ROBERT BUTLER.

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A KERRY COWARD

By M. Louise Cummins

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Mike Carney sat loosely on a heap of slag during the last two minutes of the noon hour, the empty dinner pail which hung from his locked fingers swinging backward and forward rhythmically between his knees.

His blue eyes, looking straight ahead, held that blending of guilelessness and mysticism which is the birthright of a religious people. Down to the end of his short nose Mike's face might have been a fit study of a fifteenth century monk, but his mouth belied all that, apparently having been formed for no reason on earth but to whistle an Irish jig, and the sight of it thus engaged was sufficient to cure one forever of the idea that life was dull.

At present his lips puckered more than once, but only a lone note, which seemed to have gone astray from the rest of the tune, issued from them. Something began to grow in his eyes, burning away their mysticism and revealing a substratum of quicksilver.

"'Tisn't fair, be gob!"

He stood up and faced the brick wall opposite, as though it was the president of the wire works himself.

"'Tis chances enough the workin'man has to take anyhow"—

His voice stopped as if broken. Cringed into himself, he sank back on the slag, torn between the conviction that "'twas fair" and the Irishman's inherent abhorrence of "informing."

"An' sure, where'd be the use?" he soliloquized, his mental attitude seeming to descend despondently with his body. "Don't they know 'tis done, an' every day too?"

But an hour later when the foreman ordered him to replace a large belt from a shafting to a countershaft while the machinery was in motion Carney looked him quietly in the eyes and refused.

His glance had measured the danger first. It was a particularly ugly job, crammed near the ceiling, compared to which the belt he had replaced that morning was as child's play.

"You'll not do it?"

"Not while she's running I'll not do it."

The foreman's strong young hands closed and unclosed at his sides. He was ten years the Irishman's junior, with his record still to make. The eyes which answered Mike's narrowed to points of steel. For a moment the two men regarded each other with a peculiarly still, flat look.

"You Kerry coward!"

The measured words were like the hiss of escaping steel scalding the Irishman's face. All the fighting blood of his race showed in the one unloosed shaft of blue light that leaped from his eyes. Like a felled log the foreman went down.

Very quietly Mike picked up his belongings and left the shop. Not even the certainty that he had lost his job and the beating thought of five small mouths at home to be fed could quell the fierce satisfaction in what he had done. For an hour he walked, hugging it savagely to his breast. Then, as he ascended the steps of his tenement, it seemed suddenly to ooze out at his finger tips. Nora's eyes, while she stood on the small piazza hanging out clothes, were as mirrors from which all the grim, bare facts attendant on being "out of a job" looked back at him with cruel distinctness.

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Margaret Hartman leaned her arms on the table and looked across the silver and cut glass at her husband. Her white face and wide open eyes still held the tremulousness of one who had recently been in the darkness of a great fear.

"But the man," Hartman said, fingering his glass. "I wish you had found out his name, Constance."

"I know, dear; but, Henry"—her hand went to her heart; Hartman felt reproached as he watched the added pallor of her face—"oh, it was all so sudden, so awful, those mad horses with the trailing harness and wrecked carriage, the fearful recklessness of it, as they came down the street! And then when baby left Anna and came toddling unconsciously across to where I sat on the piazza"—

"There, dear, don't go over it any more." Hartman came around the table and put his hand on his wife's shoulder.

"The man," she went on after a pause, "has been hanging about here lately. I have fancied sometimes that he wished to speak to you or me. When I had baby safely in my arms I looked at him—he had the kindliest blue eyes—and saw that he was very white. But when I asked him if he had been hurt he said no, only a 'bit of a bruise' where the shaft grazed his shoulder. It was the quickness and coolness with which he did it, Henry, that stunned me. And no sooner had he grabbed baby than his mouth puckered in the funniest way, and he sauntered up to me whistling an Irish jig."

Hartman's brows drew together.

"It couldn't be—of course not"—

"Who, dear?"

"Carney, my little jig whistler. And that reminds me that I haven't seen him around since I got home."

The superintendent of the Leffington wire works went quickly into his library. A moment later his wife heard him calling up his assistant by telephone.

Mike stood in the Hartmans' library two hours later. His sensitive face worked as he turned a shabby hat round and round by the brim.

"Oh, sure, 'twas nothing, ma'am. I've got five o' thim meself at home," he said deprecatingly.

"How does it happen that you're not working, Carney?" The superintendent looked at him keenly.

"Well, sir, you see, 'twas this way: Meself an' Harrington had a bit of a disagreement about a belt and—a"—

"Well?"

Hartman's eyes held his, compelling the truth.

"Mr. Hartman, sir"—the words rushed from the Kerry coward in a choking blurt—"I once seen a man tore to bits doing what Harrington bid me do. I'll not deny that it's hungry the childer've been sometimes since I've not had a steady job, but 'tis hungrier they'd be if I wasn't here at all, an'—I couldn't take the chance."

"You don't have to take the chance." Hartman was pacing the floor, with hands thrust deep into his pockets, the veins on his forehead knotted. "No man who works under me will be asked to take chances that I would not take myself. Did Harrington discharge you for that?" He wheeled suddenly, facing Mike.

"No, sir; no, Mr. Hartman, sir. We had a few words first, an' Harrington he called me a Kerry coward, an'—I hit him a lick."

"Did you, though?" There was relish in the superintendent's voice.

"Oh, sure 'tisn't any harm I'd want to be dojn' him," Mike put in quickly; "the lad is a dacent lad enough, an' knowledgable, too; only a bit young, an', sure, that'll mend."

Hartman followed him to the door.

"Come down to the works in the morning, Carney, and we'll see if we can't find something for you that'll keep the 'childer' from being hungry in future," he said genially. "As to what you did for me this afternoon—I can't speak of that yet."

Margaret Hartman pushed her husband aside and, taking Mike's hand, raised it to her lips.

"He called you a Kerry coward," she said, with heaving breast, while Mike stood transfixed by the beauty of her tear filled eyes, "but I call you the bravest man—the bravest man—that ever lived!"

When Mike reached the street he stood and looked at his hand in the moonlight.

"Wisha, now, to think of that!" he said reverently. "Faith, I dunno but I'm glad he called me a Kerry coward."

The Maid's Evasive Answer.

Strange as it may seem, there is a public man in this city who is blessed or cursed with a tender conscience that worries him in small matters as well as in great. Among the things that he cannot justify to himself is the bidding a servant to say that he is not at home when in reality he is inside his house. At the same time he is not able to receive the many visitors who call upon him, and his only resource was to give instructions that polite excuses should be given. Upon one occasion such instructions were given to a maid, an Irish girl gifted with the readiness and good wit of her nation.

"Then I'm to be saying, sir, that you're not at home?" the maid inquired.

"No, Mary; no!" was the reply. "That would not be true. If any one should ask for me you must just put him off—give him some evasive answer, you know."

"I'll do it, sir, never fear," was the maid's reply. Mary was as good as her word.

That afternoon a person of importance made his appearance and was duly sent away. The faithful maid reported the circumstance to her employer.

"What did you do, Mary?" inquired the latter, with some trepidation.

"Oh, I just put him off, sir, as you told me. I gave him an evasive answer."

"Yes, but what did you say to him?"

"Oh, sure, he axed me if the boss was at home, and I said to him, 'Was his grandmother a monkey?'"—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Puzzled the Irishman.

The Rev. Robert Collyer was a blacksmith in Germantown, Pa., before he became a preacher, says Success. Once when there was little work at hand he asked a builder in his neighborhood for something to do. The latter replied that all he could give him would be a job carrying a hod.

"I'm your man," replied the blacksmith promptly.

Years afterward, while an imposing edifice was being erected in Chicago for Dr. Collyer, he was standing among the beams watching the progress of the work when an Irishman came along with a hod of bricks. Dr. Collyer spoke to him, and he paused.

"This is har-rd work, sor," said the Irishman.

"I know that well," answered Dr. Collyer. "In my day I've carried the hod myself."

"The Irishman stared at me an instant," said Dr. Collyer in relating the incident, "and then went on his way mumbling something that sounded suspiciously like, 'I wouldn't 'a' belaved th' parson was such a liar.'"

Swimming Boards.

Sandwich swimming boards take their name from the fact that they are used in the Sandwich Islands, and not from their shape, as might be imagined. The contrivance is simply a large coffin shaped board, usually about five feet in length and from one to two feet in width. It is used especially for passing through the surf. In most cases the islands of the Sandwich group are of coral formation and surrounded by dangerous reefs, which make it extremely dangerous to land. By clinging to his swimming board, however, the native has the advantage of being able to use all his strength in propelling himself forward.

When Eastertide Comes

OUR word "Easter" is but the Anglicized form of the name of the British goddess of spring, and all our regard for Easter, aside from that based on religion, rests on the fact that in our northern hemisphere it ushers in the spring.

So comes Easter to stand for the rejuvenation of man's soul and body and the brown old earth as well as for the highest religious hope.

Possibly from the same grand original cause the blood of man runs warmer when the sap begins to flow in the tree and he breathes in a new vigor from the springtime breeze.

A good poet tells us that when man is young his fancy at that season turns to thoughts of love, perhaps in obedience to the same tacit command heeded by the wanton lapwing and the red breasted robin.

Be he old or young, the season inspires him with new hope. It must. He sees all that was dead live again, and, whether he knows it or not, it is this sight that inspires him with new courage. That nothing is lost, that no effort of his can come to naught, is the message taught him and the sermon preached by every oat blade sprouting by the wayside, by the flower blooming in the crevice of the rocks.

No matter how desperate his circumstances in the bleakness of a few weeks before, he cannot deny himself the cheer that comes of full reliance on the power which is working the sublime miracle of putting a single shrub in bud.

"Truth crushed to earth will rise again." In that is the comfort of the zealot, the reformer, even though the Easter see him go to his grave for his principles. He sees the divine assurance in the resurrection of every buried seed that—

Ever the right comes uppermost,
And ever is justice done.

The Jews' Wailing Place.

To Mohammedans and Jews the most sacred spot in Jerusalem is the temple, a vast inclosure nearly a mile in circumference. The principal building is the Dome of the Rock—often, though erroneously, termed the Mosque of Omar—which stands in the very center of the temple and covers the sacred rock whence, according to Moslem tradition, Mohammed ascended into heaven. The point where the Jews gather is beneath the western and outer wall, known as the Jew's wailing place. Here every afternoon numbers of Jews may be found swaying their bodies to and fro or pressing their foreheads against the stones, while with tears running down their cheeks they murmur Jeremiah's words of lamentation.

An Irish Easter Custom.

A queer custom, probably descended through the coming of Christianity from the Roman custom of making gifts, exists in Ireland. When people meet on Easter Sunday morning one says:

"Me Aisther eggs on ye?"

The answer is, "That ye musht get." But no meaning whatever is attached to the words nowadays. Probably in ancient times the one who first asked for the eggs had to get them.

Fashion's Echoes.

The turban in rather small, close fitting form is especially approved.

The tricorne or continental, also in small effects, is a fashionable shape for the street hat.

Dullness of finish is shown upon some new satin foulards and upon many popular suit taffetas.

With a little fine muslin and some bits of embroidery and lace deft needlewomen are carrying on the home fad of making their own dainty stocks, collars and cuffs.

In hair ornaments, bandeaux, wreaths and side effects are equally popular. To a youthful face a dainty wreath or cluster of blossoms tucked behind the ear is appropriate and lovely.

It would be hard to find a modish maid or matron who does not exhibit in her wardrobe some example of that Russian cross stitch decoration for which there is a veritable craze.

It is expected that with dressy light shades of cloth, in fawns, grays, electric blues, etc., for day wear, chiffon and mousseline will remain fashionable. The light froufrou effect is to be retained, and very good news it is.

The Age of Innocence.



Governess—Oh, Kitty, you careless child! There are not two r's in "very." Rub one of them out.

Kitty—Yes, but which one?

FOR YOUNG FOLKS

THE OBSTINATE FLAME.

How to Extinguish a "Blower" by Letting Him Blow.

Of course you know what a "blower" is. The meaning that we have in mind is not to be found in the dictionary, but you are doubtless familiar with the term boaster, which is the same thing.

The next time you encounter him tell him that you don't believe he can blow out a candle placed only a foot from his experienced mouth without any other obstacle than his own breath between them.

If he accepts the challenge seat him comfortably at the table, place the lighted candle in front of him and, put-



THE FLAME DEFIES THE BLOWER.

ting to his lips a large tin funnel, with the center of its mouth opposite and near the flame, tell him to blow through that.

He may blow until he becomes black in the face without extinguishing the candle. The harder he blows the more it doesn't go out.

After he has given it up say, "It is easy enough when you know how," put the funnel to your lips and blow out the candle. How? Simply by bringing the rim instead of the center near the flame.

When you blow through a funnel your breath spreads and follows the conical surface, leaving a region of dead calm in the center. Your friend blew all around the flame without touching it, but you extinguish it with a puff.

There are a good many queer things about air currents that would never have been thought of if they had not been found out by experience. This is one of them.—New York World.

Clever Sparrows.

One of the prettiest sights as regards seamen's pets was afforded by six sparrows which were tamed and trained by an old bluejacket on board a coal barge. He had trained them to such a degree that they would march in regular military order, "turning" and "wheeling" as desired by merely moving his hand. On each of their heads he had fastened a small piece of scarlet cloth, cut so as to form a cockscomb, which gave the birds a very saucy appearance as they went through their varied evolutions.

Animal Notes.

Naturalists tell us that sometimes a single beaver will go off and live by himself, leaving the colony to which he belonged. Whether these "bachelor beavers" have been put out of their native towns or leave of their own free wills we do not know.

A gentleman on one of our western ranches found a nest of young rabbits and took them in to his cat, supposing she would make a meal of them, but she surprised everybody concerned by adopting them and bringing them up along with her kittens.

Why They Want a Curl.

Do you wish to know why sister's friends ask you for a curl? Why Uncle Will tosses you up to the ceiling? Why all the grownup people talk with you and ask you questions? If you really want to know, dears, lean right close and you will hear that it is because they love you so and care so much for your good opinion. It is well for you to know how much you are loved. You will wish to be loving to others always, will you not?

Disappointed.

Clarence had been looking forward eagerly to his sixth birthday, and when it came his sister woke him up early in the morning. Clarence lay still a moment and then said in a tone of deep disappointment:

"Pshaw, I aren't a bit bigger!"

Had to Have the Material.

Jack—Mother, may I play making believe I'm entertaining another little boy? Mother—Yes, dear; of course. Jack—All right. Then will you please give me some cake for him?—Philadelphia Ledger.

In the Night.

Do you ever waken sometimes in the night,
When the room's all dark, except the queer, dim light
From the window, and you're turned about in bed,
And you can't tell where the foot is, nor the head?
And you sit up, scared, and look round everywhere,
But the door to mother's room just isn't there.
Oh, it's very bad, I know, because, you see,
It happens often just that way to me.

But then if I lie down again and wait,
Why, by and by just everything comes straight.
The bed stands in its old same place again,
The window's where I thought it was—and then,
Right over here, this side, is mother's door,
And then I don't feel frightened any more.
—Youth's Companion.

Baseball Doings.

Jimmy Callahan and the Chicago Americans ⁘ Rube Waddell ⁘ Minor Leagues.

Having finally decided to remain with the Chicago Americans, Captain-Manager Jimmy Callahan is now hard at work rounding the White Sox into shape for the campaign.

Callahan counts his aggregation as second to none this season. He believes that Jimmy Collins' Boston Americans are the only people in the pennant race he should fear.

Callahan announced during the winter that he would leave Comiskey's



JIMMY CALLAHAN, CHICAGO WHITE SOX.

team, and Patsy Donovan of the St. Louis Nationals was mentioned as his possible successor. However, Jimmy's work was made considerably lighter, and he changed his mind. He was one of the hardest worked men in the major leagues last year. He covered third base in addition to captaining and managing the club. He also pitched during the early part of the season.

Rube Waddell, so rumor says, is to play in the west on a minor league team this summer. Just why he should leave the Philadelphia Americans is not known, but, truth to tell, Rube is at best an uncertain quantity. He would rather fish than play ball, although the latter sport provides him with the necessities of life, and no manager could be certain of having the erratic twirler on hand whenever needed.

Rube has a most aggravating manner of disappearing from the scene of action at periods when his services are urgently required, and perhaps a month will elapse before he is heard from.

Still, Waddell is a sensational pitcher. He is able to "hold down" a job on any major league team in existence and should not be allowed to "tie up" with a minor league club.

Should Rube fail to remain with the major leagues he will be greatly missed. His freakish escapades could always be relied on to break the monotony of a summer campaign. Besides, when in form his work is always of a gilt edged order. Rube once struck out sixteen men in a single game.

The minor league baseball magnates' troubles never cease. The latest hardship discovered under the operation of the new national agreement is the so called abuse of the drafting rule.

It is alleged that certain shrewd club owners in the minor circuits have made friendly arrangements with clubs in higher classes to draft a number of their best players, not for the use of the drafting club, but with the understanding that these players shall be returned in the spring to the club from which they were drafted. In this way, it is claimed, a good minor league team may be kept intact, while less provident managers lose their all through the draft. This is made possible by the new clause in the agreement which provides that a drafted



RUBE WADDELL, THE ERRATIC PITCHER.

player, when released within a certain length of time by the drafting club, shall revert to the club from which he was taken. Before that provision was made the minors were always kicking because players could be drafted and then sold or farmed to any club at the choice of the drafting club, it frequently happening that good players came back to strengthen a rival club to the one from which they were taken.

The clause was inserted to prevent that and help to bar the farming evil, but the minors are still kicking. As a matter of fact, the chances of a really good player reverting to a minor league, after being drafted, are small.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after March 14, 1904, trains will run as follows:

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TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
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r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 23	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
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r 11 12	abc	11 34	2 45	cba	3 05 r
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r 1 12	abc	1 34	3 45	cba	4 05 r
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r 2 12	abc	2 33	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
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r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
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r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

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Old Colony Street Railway Company

FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to March 25th, 1904.

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LEAVE QUI

For BRAINTREE, H... BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M ... minutes past each hour un... and 9.50 P. M. to Brookvi... P. M. to South Braintree ... 7.50 A M, then the same as w... days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —At 7.30 and 30 minutes past every hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10. Sundays: 8.30 A. M., then same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

For EAST MILTON -7.15, 7.45 A M, then 15 and 45 minutes past each hour until 4.45 P M. Sundays, 7.45 A M, then the same as week days.

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March 26. tf

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

The report from Woburn is significant as it relates to the future lighting of greater Boston. It is said the Edison company will soon abandon the plant in Woburn recently purchased for the Woburn Light, Heat & Power Company and serve customers in that district from a central plant in Boston through a line of underground wire, to be at once installed. The plant in Woburn is less than 10 years old and the equipment is said to be first-class.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Congressman Porter of Pittsburg gave a reception and dinner at his Washington home to Booker Washington one day last week, when various notable figures in the worlds of society and politics broke bread with the Tuskegee educator, as they discussed ways and means for the extension of education among the Negroes. Two invited guests declined to come, but the others a considerable number, saw no good reason for staying away. Congressman Porter is a wealthy man, and an independent man. He is indifferent, we presume, to any hullabulloo that may be raised about the impetus he is giving to misguided hopes among the black men of social equality. Perhaps he is entirely willing that there should be a stir about his action, with the feeling that whatever is good enough to do is good enough to be talked about. He and his dinner will be talked about, whether he likes it or not, and naturally with great variety of opinion. But seeing that the house was his house and the dinner his dinner, he had a right to invite whom he chose, and nobody else has much right to complain. As to his principal guest, he is a man of brains, of character, success—a guest of honor. Now if dinner parties are so ... hard.

Opening Night.

The Quincy Point Young Men's club will hold their "opening night" in their new club house corner of Washington street and Madison avenue, on Wednesday evening next. Music will be furnished by Miss Wellington of Malden who is a very accomplished violinist. She will be accompanied by a pianist. The entertainment will be followed by a social time during which light refreshments will be served.

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March 26. ptf 14 Sats.

CAPTAIN DERRY.

Birthday of a Well-known Former Resident.

The Sharon Advocate has only kind words for a former resident of Quincy.

With step almost as alert, eyes as bright and mind as keen as it was 25 years ago, Capt. Charles T. Derry, Sharon's "Grand Old Man" quietly and unostentatiously passed the 76th milestone of his life's journey during the past week. The majority of men who have arrived at the Captain's age have usually been retired for some years and are enjoying the rewards of their long period of toil. While well able to do this the Captain with that energy characteristic of him could never be satisfied to remain idle and finds his greatest enjoyment in the pursuit of his business. Thus his 76th birthday was passed at his office, as has been nearly every working day and holiday for the past 40 years.

The captain was born in Quincy of humble parentage and passed his early life there. At an age when most young lads are in school he was doing work which many men would now consider a hardship. Shipping as a deck hand on a coasting schooner in those early days by strict attention to business and his upright and honest habits he rose step by step until when a young man he became owner of the fleet of granite schooners on which he had once been one of the humblest of employes.

Later in life he organized the firm of C. T. Derry & Co., sea wall builders. Many of the largest contracts in that line about Boston including the foundations of the Park Square station, the Charles River embankments, and others to numerous to mention have been taken by that firm and fulfilled in a manner which requires nothing but favorable comment. During the war the Capt. was employed by the government in transporting cannon to the various forts on the New England coast.

Capt. Derry came to this town 42 years ago and is now one of the most honored and influential citizens in its borders. His home is on Washington place. Both he and his estimable wife are the souls of hospitality and benevolence and the needy and trouble worn are never turned empty handed from their doors. It will probably never be known how many of the citizens of this town have received a financial lift over a hard place by Capt. Charles T. Derry. Their names would make quite a list and occasion some little surprise possibly.

It is also probably not generally known that Capt. Derry was an organizer and one of the foremost members of the syndicate which bought 60 acres of land from the late Barney D. Capen and erected thereon the Massapoag Lake hotel, which started the boom as a summer resort, which this town has now enjoyed for many years. It is a fact, nevertheless. Capt. and Mrs. Derry have seven children and fourteen grandchildren and nothing pleases them better than to gather them about them on nearly every holiday and have a genuine family reunion. This has been their custom for years and enjoyable is no name for these happy occasions.

Capt. Derry is probably the best known commuter on the Providence division of the New Haven road, having patronized it night and morning for 42 years. He certainly merits the title of "The Dean of Railroad Whist Players," having played with few exceptions morning and night for nearly all that time. Nothing pleases him quite as well as a rubber at whist. Whether he wins or loses and its much oftener the former than the latter, his attitude is always that of a true American sportsman.

The Captain is a true type of one of America's self-made men and it is extremely doubtful if there is a person in this town who would not join with the writer in wishing that many, many more years shall pass over his head before he lays down the burden of this life. Apparently that hope will be realized, for the Captain's mental and bodily vigor seems to be little impaired, although 76 years of storm and calm have passed over his head.

Palm Sunday Music.

The music at the Wollaston Congregational church Sunday morning will include:

Quartet, The God of Abraham Praise,	Buck
Solo, Palm Branches,	Faure
Quartet, Jerusalem,	Parker

TODAY'S COURT.

Jeremiah Danahy was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until April 22.

Patrick Morgan was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until March 28.

John W. Barret, William E. Roberts and William J. Healy were arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. Each has a record of four or five convictions. They were sent to the State farm.

Daniel Loud was arraigned for threatening to assault his wife, Bertha F. Loud, at Weymouth. Case continued until April 14.

The continued case of Andrew J. Mahoney, for drunkenness at Quincy, was called and was again contined until April 2, at which time he will pay a fine of $3.

The continued case of Dennis Duggan for drunkenness at Quincy was called and he paid a fine of $3.

ROBERT R. SMITH.

Three Organizations Represented at the Funeral Yesterday.

The funeral of Robert R. Smith was held yesterday afternoon from his late residence on Granite street. The services were attended by many of his friends and business associates. Clan McGregor, O. S. C., was present in a body, and delegations were present from the Granite Manufacturers' Association and the Granite City club.

The services were conducted by Rev. Nathaniel Sproule of the Water Street Presbyterian church and Rev. Edwin N. Hardy of Bethany Congregational church. Rev. Mr. Sproule read the scriptures and offered prayer, and Rev. Mr. Hardy pronounced the enlogy.

After the services the remains were escorted to Mt. Wollaston cemetery by Clan McGregor, and the burial services of the order were performed at the grave.

There were many beautiful flora tributes; including:

A double pillow of white pinks and pink and white roses, with papa and husband, from wife and daughters.

St. Andrews Cross of pink and white pinks and roses, from the Order of Scottish Clans.

A wreath of galax leaves and rose buds, from Mr. and Mrs. Horace F. Spear, and Mrs. E. W. H. Bass.

A wreath of white pinks and white and pink roses and galax leaves, from Mrs. A. Dennison, Mrs. J. Chesebro and Miss A. Thompson.

A flat bouquet of white pinks and roses, violets and pansies, from Mrs. Prout and Mrs. Jones.

A flat bouquet of white pinks and roses and violets, from Mr. and Mrs. Justin Hardwick and family.

A broken column of full-blown white roses and break of day pinks from Mrs. Porterfield, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hobart, Mr. and Mrs. Langhorne and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Souther.

A bouquet of jonquils and green ferns, from Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spear.

A flat bouquet of calla lilies, pinks, and rose buds from Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Tingley.

A large bouquet of Easter lilies and asparagus, from Granite City Club.

A large bouquet of calla lilies, from Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bass.

A large bouquet of pink roses and ferns, from Mr. F. W. Plummer.

A flat bouquet of white pinks and maiden-hair fern, from Mrs. Eliza Dinnie Parker, Miss Dinnie and Mr. Robert Dinnie.

A large bouquet of 44 pink roses, from Mrs. Hanson Bailey and Mrs. A. Rogers.

A large wreath of 44 white and 22 pink roses, from Joss Brothers & Co.

A wreath of white and pink roses and pinks, from employes of Joss Brothers & Co.

A large flat bouquet of pinks, roses, violets, calla and Easter lilies and hyacinths, from Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Spear, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Goodridge, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Winslow, and Mrs. and Miss Dumbar.

A large bouquet of violets and green, from Class of 1906, Woodward Institute.

Entertainment.

Quincy people have a rare treat in store for them in the shape of a patriotic entertainment, "The Story of our Flag," which is to be given on the evening of the 19th of April in the Wollaston Unitarian church under the auspices of the Alliance.

Mrs. George L. Stevens of Marlborough, who has charge of the entertainment, has presented it in various towns to the delight of many hundreds of people.

She will be assisted by a committee consisting of Mrs. W. E. Rowe, Mrs. Frank A. Page, Mrs. Charles M. Bryant and Mrs. Henry G. Fay and also by some of the best musical and histrionic talent of Quincy and Wollaston.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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☞ The word lists for the Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch contest must be delivered on or before March 31. Winners to be announced during the week of April 4.

☞ Eyeglasses fitted scientifically. No guess work.—Williams.

—Brockton has awarded coal contracts at these prices for April delivery: 800 tons Lehigh broken, $5.92 per ton; 300 tons Lehigh egg, $9.12 a ton; 450 tons Lehigh stove, $6.12 per ton; 1,200 tons George's Creek Cumberland, $4.65 per ton; 300 tons Shamokin stove, $6.45 per ton. The total contract amounts to $16,841 at these figures, where last year the city paid about $25,000 for the city coal.

CITY BREVITIES.

Fair and colder.

How the wind did blow last night!

Mrs. P. McPartlin of Walnut street is very ill.

The Quincy Savings bank will hold its annual meeting April 12.

The estate of L. E. McTeer on Fort street will be sold at auction next Saturday.

The Thayer Academy base ball team will play at Brookline, Thursday, April 7.

The Guild of St. Perpetua of Wollaston will meet on Tuesday at 3.30 P. M. with Mrs. Page.

Rev. R. K. Harlow of South Framingham will preach at the Memorial church at Atlantic on Sunday.

The gutters on Hancock street in City Square are receiving their first cleaning of the season today.

Rev. J. H. Whitaker, formerly of Altantic, will preach at the Congregational church, Hingham, Sunday morning.

One of the prettiest Easter show windows is that of George W. Jones. It is very tastefully arranged and very attractive.

Rev. E. N. Hardy will be the speaker Tuesday evening at the Passion week services at the East Weymouth Congregational church.

The Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters are to have an apron and candy sale at Mrs. Walter Parker's this afternoon and evening.

The chorus singing at the West Quincy M. E. Church has been dispensed with, a quartette having been selected to furnish the music.

L. M. Pratt and Son have their large show window handsomely decorated in green and purple which announces that Easter and Spring are most here.

Frank S. Patch of the Meadow Brook Ice Co. was admitted to membership yesterday at the meeting of the Ice Dealers Association at the American House, Boston.

Under the new law the city committees of each political party will name the officers for the Spring caucuses. The Republican committee have made their appointments.

The Ladies Aid of the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal church were quite successful with their sale Wednesday night, and a large gathering enjoyed the Mother Goose pantomine.

The service at the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal church for Sunday morning will be appropriate for Palm Sunday with special music. Subject for the evening will be "Ruth's Choice."

The important event of the coming week will be the annual banquet of the Master Builders Association on Wednesday evening at Quincy Music hall. The program includes music, entertainment and speaking.

Noble L. Moore of Wollaston, employed at V. E. Miller's grocery store, had his leg broken Thursday afternoon. His horse ran away on Squantum street throwing Mr. Moore out. He was taken to the City Hospital where he is resting comfortably.

Those who have stopped at a farm house or in the country will appreciate the sentiment in the poetry on the first page of the Patriot, written by Mr. J. H. White of Atlantic. Many are familiar with the dinner horn.

Gen. O. O. Howard, the well known commander of the Army of the Cumberland and the Army of the Tennessee during the Civil war has been engaged to give two lectures in this city in April. The veteran has had an eventful life.

Mrs. Wallace Davis, reader, Mrs. Frank Moore, soloist, and Dr. A. H. Gilson and his stereopticon are among those who are to assist at the entertainment to be given by the Junior Sons and Daughters of the Revolution, at Colonial hall on Friday evening of next week.

The meeting of the Fragment society of First church on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Charles A. Spear of Washington street was one of the largest of the season. The hostess served cake and lemonade which was most refreshing on the first warm spring-like afternoon.

The fair for which the young ladies of First church have been sewing all winter, meeting on Thursday afternoons at each others' houses, is to be held in the chapel on April 26th and 27th. The Fragment society is also assisting. It is hoped to greatly increase the organ fund by the sale.

On invitation of Rev. Melvin S. Nash, pastor of the First Universalist church, the members of South Shore Commandery Knights Templars and Old Colony Commandery of Abington will attend service at his church at Weymouth Easter Sunday, April 3, at 10.30 A. M. Mr. Nash is prelate of the Old Colony Commandery.

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Social Realm.

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The Smart Set whist club met Tuesday evening with Miss Gertrude Warren of Billings street. Exquisite little baubles in the form of trumpets were given as favors. Prize winners were Miss Warren and Miss Emma Curtin: Miss Gertrude Hall and Miss Ruth Bassett. Refreshments were served.

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Mr. J. DeForest Richards, son of the late lamented Gov. Richards of Wyoming, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gallagher of Adams street, East Milton.

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Mrs. Joel F. Sheppard of Braintree starts soon on a trip through the west.

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In the distribution of honors at the High school it is gratifying to know that out of the six, Margaret Mills, George Brown and Marjorie Fay were pupils of the Massachusetts Fields school.

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Cuffs orchestra at the annual ball of the Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, on Monday evening, April fourth, is a guarantee that it will be lively and popular. Efforts will be made to make it the ball of the season.

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The Unity club will hold its annual banquet at the Wollaston Unitarian church on Friday evening April 15.

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The Junior Sons and Daughters are having a fine advance sale of tickets for the entertainment which they are to give next Friday evening at Colonial hall.

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Miss Helen D. Rhines of Miller Stile road is spending the school vacation with her sister, Mrs. Rich, at Gloucester.

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Miss Maud and Mr. Archibald Briggs of Appleton street attended the surprise party given on Monday evening to Mr. Charles Whiteacre of Wollaston. The party was given in honor of Mr. Whiteacre's fortieth birthday. He was presented with an umbrella.

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Mrs. B. G. Cochrane of Wollaston is spending a few days at Brookline, N. H.

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A farewell party was tendered Miss Jennie Peters at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beattie, Willard street, Thursday evening, March 17th. Music and games were participated in, after which a collation was served. Miss Peters left on Monday for California, where she will make her future home.

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Mrs. Arthur R. Fitts, of Bigelow street, has the sympathy of friends, her mother passing away on Wednesday at her home in Maine, after a short illness.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Call of Braintree observed the seventeenth anniversary of their marriage last Wednesday evening by entertaining about forty of their neighbors and friends. An elaborate supper was served early in the evening. Mrs. Carney, in behalf of the company, presented the host and hostess with a pair of handsome portieres. The time passed rapidly with music and games. It was in the wee small hours of morning when the party broke up.

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The Mother Goose party given last week at Wollaston hall by the Alliance was a financial success. It was largely due to suggestion and labor of Mrs. Henry G. Fay that the affair was so successful.

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Miss Iva M. Warren of Bridgewater Normal school is a guest of Miss Gertrude Warren of Billings street during the Easter vacation.

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Serious Runaway.

Mrs. Richard R. Bowles of North Weymouth was seriously injured yesterday in a runaway accident on Broad street, Weymouth. She was thrown partly out of the carriage and dragged several hundred feet, and was unconscious when rescued.

Conductor Craig has taken a big jump in the Herald contest, putting in 4,556 votes yesterday.

LARGE VERDICTS.

James Murray Awarded $16,890 and James Henderson $9,500.

James Murray, architect of the Woodward Institute, who at one time resided in Quincy was given a verdict of $16,890 this morning in his suit against the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.

Mr. Murray received a compound fracture of the left leg in a rear end collision at the Back Bay station Dec. 16, 1899.

The suit was heard before Judge Stevens in the Suffolk Superior court. It has been on trial for several days and was given to the jury at 11.45 yesterday. The jury returned its finding at 11.30 this morning, giving the plaintiff the sum mentioned above.

The one important question at the trial was whether a union of the fractured bone had ever taken place and during the hearing a number of x-ray photographs were exhibited.

Mr. Murray was represented by J. E. Cotter and Messrs. J. W. and J. J. McAnarney of this city. The railroad was represented by E. F. Choate and Messrs. Hall and Burke.

The same counsel also appeared in the case of James Henderson of Roslindale who was injured in the same accident. This case was also heard this week and a verdict given Mr. Henderson for $9,500.

These verdicts are among the largest rendered in similar cases in recent years.

Dance at Atlantic.

The first dance of the season opened Friday evening in Music hall, Atlantic, with a grand march of forty-eight conples led by Miss Louise Hinkley and Mr. Horace Jenkins. The hall decorations were simple and pretty, the Easter season being represented by a mammoth spray of apple-blossoms hung from the centre of the ceiling, its pink beauty only enhancing the fetching gowns of the young women beneath its branches. The club-room a vertible "cosy corner," was an inviting retreat for those who cared less for the dancing than for the music and general sociability.

The matrons, Mrs. W. Nichols and Mrs. James Curtin, distributed the orders as the couples passed in the march and the first waltz began promptly at eight o'clock.

From a stage covered with potted plants, Rockett's orchestra of four pieces, from Boston, kept feet lively and hearts merry.

The party was the most successful one given in Atlantic for several years and great credit is due to the earnest efforts of Mr. Howard Terrill, Mr. Horace Jenkins and Mr. Walter Nichols under whose auspices the dance was given.

Trees and Vines.

The season is moving rapidly and unless we wake up we shall be behind. It is time to begin to think what trees, vines and shrubs we are in want of, and put in our orders early so as not to get disappointed. In a few days everyone will be busy, and that attention cannot be given to orders as during the next fortnight.

Those who have nice apple or elm trees and have not done anything to protect them from the canker worms should do so at once as the grubs have begun crawling up the trunks. The cheapest and most effective way is to use Morrill's tree ink, which placed on tarred paper around the butts will catch thousands in a few days.

The Library Lawn.

The largest and most beautiful public lawn that we have in Quincy which surrounds the attractive Thomas Crane library is receiving careful attention. The dressing which was put on before the snow came in December, is being raked up and carted away, and in a few weeks we shall hear the merry click of the lawn mower, and see the beautiful green carpet that is so much admired in New England. It may seem singular to those who have not traveled much, that they cannot have just as beautiful lawns in the warm sunny South as we have in the North, but it is found to be impossible.

A man was seen on the street Friday wearing a straw hat. Surely spring has come.

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BRAINTREE.

The public schools closed Friday night for a vacation of one week.

Mrs. Maurice A. Colbert and son of Taylor street have returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Provincetown.

Mrs. Nora, widow of Carbery F. McKaig, formerly of Washington street, is visiting her husband's relatives in Canada and N. H.

Mr. Noah Chessman of Randolph, father of Mrs. Solon David of South Braintree, observed his 88th birthday on Thursday at Cochituate, the home of one of his daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb of Franklin street will occupy the house on Summer street recently vacated by Omer H. Gibbs and family.

Clayton E. Freeman of Boscobel street attended the New England Southern Conference as delegate at New Bedford Friday.

Louise, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Willie Simonds of Tremont street, passed away at her home Thursday evening after an illness of nine weeks, of tuberculosis. The funeral services will be held from her late residence Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Rev. F. W. Burrows' subject next Sunday will be "Truths for which the world is not ready" and at the afternoon service "Appreciations of Jesus by Great Thinkers."

Friends of Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Tenney Cambridge, Mass., regret to learn of the death of their daughter Elizabeth Hale Tenney at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Mr. Tenny was a former pastor at the First church, Braintree.

Besides violin solos Carlton Beal is to do some fancy dances at the entertainment which the Junior Sons and Daughters of the Revolution are to give at Colonial hall, Quincy, next Friday evening. Master Beal is one of the most talented members of the Junior Society.

The annual parish meeting of the first Universalist society was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. F. A. Smith. The officers elected are: Mr. G. H. Arnold, president, Mr. F. A. Smith, clerk and Mrs. E. C. Hathaway, treasurer. It was voted to put the church lot on River street in an agents hands for sale.

John Murray, an employee of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. at the Elm street crossing, returned to work this morning. He has been under the care of physicians.

It is reported that J. W. Divoll, local manager of the N. Y. & Boston express had a shock yesterday and is seriously ill.

The Easter Concert of the Sunday school of the Union church will be given Easter Sunday, April 3d, at 4 P. M. The school will be assisted by a violinist and a soloist.

There will be special services at the Union church on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of next week appropriate to the Easter season.

In the Town hall Wednesday evening the three-act drama "The Donation Party" or "Thanksgiving eve at the parsonage" was very successfully given before a large audience.

Eliza, widow of the late Henry Pierce, passed suddenly into the higher life at 5.15 o'clock, Wednesday morning, at her home on Washington street. Her death, which was wholly unexpected, came as a crushing blow to her faithful daughter, Estella, who was with her at the time of its occurrence, as at all times.

The first night of the grand annual G. A. R. fair will be under the management of the post and they will offer that evening, Tuesday, April fifth, a pleasing drama. Numerous tables of useful and fancy articles, which have been generously contributed, will be on sale.

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An Easter Forecast

By EDWIN L. SABIN

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SATURDAY morn, of hopes galore.
The date for its arriving!
'Twould surely come, the milliner swore,
Though she be nonsurviving.
Into the past the moments glide:
Prue more and more is nettled:
Alas, near the crest of Eastertide
The weather looks unsettled!

SATURDAY noon. It has not come!
(As might have been expected.)
And voice is wrathful and face is glum
And figure all dejected.
Horizontward is a bank of cloud
Steadily onward crawling.
Nervous the house, and anxious browed.
Barometer is falling.

SATURDAY eve—and still no hat!
Heavy the apprehension.
Milliners all are frauds, 'tis flat:
Prone, all, to mean invention.
Fly the signals of import plain
To those who read a warning.
Floods and lightning and hurricane
Are due for Easter morning!

SATURDAY night. A step—a ring!
Rustle of tissue paper!
Cries: "How darling!" "The sweet, sweet thing!"
Somebody cuts a caper.
Skies are suddenly smoothed, betimes:
The storm signs disappear, oh:
Up the mercury swiftly climbs:
For Easter: Bright and clear, oh!

Perhaps one of the most interesting events on the calendar of the Philergians, is the annual Children's Hour. It will be held in Pythian hall, Tuesday, March 29th, at 3 P.M. Notice will be given of the Dickens afternoon. Mrs. Sara T. Hamlin, Dean of Franklin Academy, will speak on the Humor and Pathos of Dickens. She will be assisted by Miss Bowers in impersonations.

The pupils of Miss Mary H. Foss, pianist, will give a recital this afternoon. Those who will take part are Misses Mildred Brown, Berta Porter, Miriam French, Margaret Dam, Almira Fuller, Mildred Dam, Helen and Gladys Palmer, Masters Roy Brett, Chester Wilson, Robert Haskell and Raymond Palmer.

The ice went out of the river this week. The river has been frozen in the present winter for the longest time on record. Capt. Benjamin F. Torrey was down the river in his boat Thursday being the first one to go down since the river was frozen over last December.

The Jonas Perkins school hall was completely filled Wednesday evening to witness the three act comedy, "The Flower of the Family," which was presented by the following cast of characters:

Abner Howland' a Merchant	L. C. Williams
Oscar Loring, his Ward	Joseph G. Spea
Tom Howland, his Nephew	Fred Tarbox
Policy Newcomb, an Ins. Agent	D. G. Doane
Spicer Spofford, clerk in Ins. Office	E. Lawson
Mrs. Gordon Howland, a Widow	Mrs. Loring
Alice Howland, her Daughter	Mrs. Baker
Lina Howland, Abner's Adopted Daughter	Miss Katheryn Hahn

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SENTENCE IS POSTPONED

Embezzler Had Stated That He Had Made More Than He Had Lost In Stocks--"Sane, but Morally Weak," Says Counsel

Boston, March 26.—Wallace H. Ham, formerly manager of the Boston office of the American Surety company of New York and treasurer of St. Luke's home for convalescents, pleaded guilty in the Suffolk county superior court to all but one of 18 counts of an indictment charging larceny of $238,000 from those institutions. He will be sentenced some day next week.

After his arraignment two hours were spent in bringing out the history of the misappropriation of funds by the testimony of various officials connected with the Surety company and trustees of the home, together with a statement from Ham's counsel, Charles W. Bartlett, who made an earnest plea for a short sentence.

The proceedings were before Judge Harris. The indictments to which Ham pleaded alleged the stealing of $214,000 from the Surety company and $24,000 from St. Luke's home. The examination of the various witnesses developed no additional points to those brought out at previous hearings. Several officials of the Surety company agreed that Ham undoubtedly speculated in stocks at a profit.

George H. Richards, one of the trustees of St. Luke's home, stated that Ham had told him that he had made more than he had lost in stocks. It was also stated that in addition to stealing $24,000 from the home, Ham had raised $12,000 by notes given to banks as an agent of the home. Medical testimony was offered to prove that Ham has been a sufferer for many years from acute rheumatism and indigestion and that he is in constant need of medical treatment.

In asking for a short sentence Lawyer Bartlett referred to Ham's broken down health, to his effort to make restitution and to the suffering that would come to his wife and two children. He expressed the opinion that although Ham is sane, he is undoubtedly morally weak. He asked that the sentence be made short enough to permit Ham to emerge from prison in time to efface the record against him.

Judge Harris then said he would not impose sentence until he had fully considered the case.

Shift of Wind Saved Towns

Norfolk, Neb., March 26.—Reports from Holt, Wheeler and Rock counties indicate that the prairie fires are still burning, but that citizens have prevented them from ravaging any of the towns in the territory which was burned over. Three towns which were threatened were saved only by a shift of wind.

General Trade Conditions

New York, March 26.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says that little net change in trade conditions is noted for the past week. Spring trade is expanding, although still backward, and new labor controversies have added to the number of unemployed. Freight congestion is causing trouble.

Railroad Officials In Blockade

St. Paul, March 26.—The Northern Pacific, Great Northern and Soo lines are tied up in North Dakota and Montana by a fierce storm. A party of executive and traffic officials which left St. Paul Wednesday is blockaded somewhere in North Dakota.

Prizes For Aerial Navigation

Paris, March 26.—M. Deutsch, having offered a prize of $25,000 for the first flying machine making a flight in a circle of one kilometer, Ernest Archdeacon has added a like sum and has appealed to the sporting press for further subscriptions.

Over $1,000,000 Flood Damage

Detroit, March 26.—Conservative estimates of the damage caused by the flooded rivers and creeks of lower Michigan place the property loss at more than $1,000,000. Two lives have been lost, those of an unknown Armenian and a boy.

Workmen Had Close Call

Brazil, Ind., March 26.—Water broke into the mine of the Excelsior clay works and imprisoned about 15 men. The fire department was called out and all of the men were taken out. The water is still pouring into the mine.

Nine Victims of Mob Law

St. Charles, Ark., March 26.—Five negroes have been taken from the guards here and shot to death by a mob, making nine negroes killed within the past week in this vicinity on account of racial troubles.

A Satisfactory Compromise

Baltimore, March 26.—An amicable adjustment of the new schedule between the Baltimore and Ohio railroad and its telegraph operators has been reached, satisfactory to both parties.

Still Winter In the Northwest

Bismarck, N. D., March 26.—The worst blizzard of the winter is raging. Snowdrifts are from three to six feet deep in this city.

$300,000,000 INVOLVED

A Decision Against Insurance Companies In Favor of State

Madison, Wis., March 26.—In the circuit court here the case of the state insurance commissioner against the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States was decided in favor of the state. The state sought to compel the insurance company to distribute several million dollars of surplus funds among policy holders in Wisconsin. The argument of the company was that the statute became permissive after the failure of the commissioner to enforce it. The case will be appealed.

The suit is one of the most important ever brought in Wisconsin, affecting, as it does, nearly $300,000,000 of surplus that has been withheld by insurance companies doing business in this state for the past 30 years or more. The decision will affect over 30 companies.

Long Contest Is Ended

Washington, March 26.—The house passed the postoffice appropriation bill, after a prolonged debate on the paragraph affecting rural letter carriers, which was inserted with enthusiasm under a special order of the committee on rules. The bill has been under discussion since March 7. At times members vigorously assailed the postoffice department and Mr. Bristow and demands were made for an investigation into the entire postal service, but Chairman Overstreet, who has borne the brunt of the attacks, stood as a barrier to such action.

Fight to the Bitter End

Trinidad, Col., March 26.—The coal miners' strike in district 15, United Mine Workers of America, consisting of Colorado, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming, will be continued to the bitter end, according to an unanimous vote of delegates of the several unions in convention assembled here. The troops have arrested several men and captured 150 rifles and a quantity of dynamite from the strikers at Segundo.

Columbia Would Have Won "If"

New York, March 26.—Yale won the inter-collegiate gymnastic championship from teams representing eight other colleges at the gymnasium of the New York university last night. Columbia would have scored an easy victory had it not been that two of her representatives left the floor during the contests and were disqualified under the rules. W. L. Anderson of Yale won the all-around championship very handily.

Grace Institute Gets $100,000

New York, March 26.—Only one public bequest is provided for in the will of former Mayor Grace. Grace institute, founded by Mr. Grace several years ago, will receive $100,000. The residue of the property, the value of which is not stated, is distributed among members of the immediate family, one-half of the total estate going to the widow.

Canal Stock For Almost Nothing

Cincinnati, March 26.—Following the defeat of what is known as the "canal bill" by the Ohio legislature, there were sensational scenes on the stock exchange here in declines of securities of the Miami and Erie Transportation company. The stock has sold at 38 and yesterday afternoon was offered at 1½. The bonds, which sold at 90, dropped to 50.

Will Try to Better Record

Philadelphia, March 26.—Cruiser Denver, built by Neafie & Levy, has left the shipyard for her official trial off the New England coast. The Denver recently failed to make the required speed of 17 knots, but the cruiser has since been fitted with new propellers. The trial will take place over the Cape Ann course about March 31.

He Killed an American

Santo Domingo, March 26.—General Nicolas Arias, the insurgent leader, who gave the order to shoot Machinist Johnson of the American gunboat Yankee on Feb. 1 last, was captured by government troops and, after a drumhead court martial, was sentenced to death and immediately shot.

Taken From Jail and Whipped

St. Clair, Mo., March 26.—Forty masked men, many of them carrying shotguns, broke into the jail here and, securing Winn Davis, arrested on the charge of highway robbery, took him from the jail, whipped him nearly to death and then released him.

Appreciated Judge's Fairness

Toledo, March 26.—Albert Fisher, recently convicted of the murder of William Marshall, a bartender, was sentenced by Judge Tyler to be electrocuted on July 7. Fisher thanked the judge for his kindness and fairness in the case.

Thirty Thousand May Be Idle

Des Moines, March 26.—A shutdown affecting 30,000 miners is threatened because of the refusal of third and fourth district miners to arbitrate the wage scale. It would involve every coal mine in Iowa and some in Missouri.

To Consider Cotton Gambling

Manchester, March 26.—At a meeting of representatives of the cotton trade here it was decided to convene an international congress to consider the question of gambling in cotton.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Sunday, March 27.
Sun rises—5:34; sets—6:05.
Moon sets—2:59 a. m.
High water—7:15 a. m.; 7:45 p. m.

The most prominent feature of the weather map is an area of high pressure and cold weather that has advanced from the British northwest to southeastern Montana and the Dakotas. Rain will be followed by fair and colder weather in New England.

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WOMAN'S WORLD

BUSY CLUB WOMAN.

A New Yorker Who Is Doctor, Lawyer and Musical Club President.

One of the most unique as well as one of the busiest clubwomen in New York city is Mrs. Albert Wallerstein, president of the Rubinstein club. Mrs. Wallerstein is unique because, besides being an active clubwoman and a member of scores of clubs, she has found time to be a society woman and in addition to all this has studied law, having graduated from the Women's Law school of the class of 1899 and found time to pursue a course in the Women's Medical college, which she entered in 1900. Her first experience as a club president was as president of her class in the medical college. Being a woman of ample means, she took up the study of medicine purely for philanthropic purposes, being actuated by a desire to open a free clinic for women and children.

Mrs. Wallerstein believes that all women should study and accomplish



MRS. ALBERT WALLERSTEIN.

something and re-enforces her belief by setting an example which the majority of women would hardly be able to follow.

In spite of her social and club duties and her studies she has found time to master four languages and to contribute frequently to the leading magazines. Besides being president of the Rubinstein club she is a member of the following organizations: Phalo Woman's Press club, Daughters of the American Revolution, New York city chapter; National Society of New England Women, College Woman's club, Minerva, New Century Study circle, Woman's Republican club, Professional Woman's league, Rainy Day club, Society For Political Study, Vassar Students' Aid society, Euterpe Choral society, New England Glee club and the Woman's Health Protective association. Mrs. Wallerstein is a Catholic and a member of the Dorn family of Worcester, Mass., one of the oldest families in the Bay State.

When she was elected president of the Rubinstein club, which has been in existence seventeen years, she conceived the idea of forming a social club in connection with the choral club, and she has already secured over 150 members. The Rubinstein club holds two councils every year and in addition meets the second Saturday of each month in the myrtle room of the Waldorf-Astoria. The object of the club is entirely musical.—New York Globe.

Children's Eyes.

Parents, teachers and playmates often think children dull when nothing ails them but nearsightedness or difficulty in hearing. Such troubles being corrected, as in most instances they can easily be, the children are found to be among the brightest in their classes. I knew a boy, now a brilliant college professor, who until he was twelve years of age his parents despaired of educating. They deemed him stupid. One day in a jeweler's store, quite by accident, he placed a pair of glasses in front of his eyes and looked around. The world seemed new. He jumped with delight. He had not known how bright the sun is, how green the grass and trees, how lovely the whole earth. This joy on the boy's part was the first hint that his parents, who were more than ordinarily intelligent, had that his trouble was mechanical, not mental. They provided him proper spectacles, whereupon he began to forge ahead in his studies and to display unusual talent.—Twentieth Century Home.

Stair Climbing.

Under no circumstances but that of actual illness or extreme debility should stair climbing become a matter of dread. In every other case it should be attended by a pleasant feeling of exhilaration. The "panting collapse" which many women experience at the top of a flight of stairs is due to the assumption of an incorrect position of the body during the ascent and the employment of wrong muscles for the work. The spine should be kept straight, as in correct standing and breathing poise, and movement should come from the knees and not from the waist and hips. Lift the knees well, hold the chest erect and breathe deeply as you pass from stair to stair. The observance of these rules ought to make the exercise one of real benefit instead of a drudge, for it will be one or the other, since stair climbing is a daily necessity to every woman who has household duties. Then she need never complain that she has not time for physical culture.

Window Trans[illegible]cies.

Window transparenc[illegible] much in favor, and they are easi[illegible]e. The glass is first cleansed with alcohol, after which the steel engraving or half tone picture which is to be transferred is cleansed with a sponge. With a soft brush apply a paste made of alum and one ounce of nitrate of strontium to the face of the print and to the glass.

Lay the picture face downward and with a dry cloth press until every part of the picture has adhered to the glass and no blisters are left. Then lay the glass away until perfectly dry, which will take several hours.

When dry wet the paper and commence rubbing it off. Several wettings may be necessary before nothing but the outline of the picture remains. Oil with three parts of castor oil and oil of lavender mixed. If too thick add turpentine. Place in a transparency metal frame and hang in the light or set in the window pane.

Substitute For Milk.

Where milk is not to be had or there is but little to use cornstarch may take its place in pudding sauces, white sauce, etc., especially if butter and eggs are used. Mix the cornstarch—two tablespoonfuls—with a little cold water, cook it by adding a pint of hot water, letting it cook thoroughly, then when a little cool beat in an egg thoroughly beaten. Return to the fire for a minute or two, then season with salt, a lump of butter or whatever seasoning you prefer—chopped parsley is good. This makes a white sauce good to serve with boiled onions, warmed over veal, dried beef or salt fish, like codfish or finnan haddie, or, with the addition of sugar and the juice of a lemon and lemon extract, makes a fairly good pudding sauce.

Making Washing Easy.

"Instead of shaving soap over my clothes when they are all ready in the boiler on wash days," says an experienced housewife, "I make a solution of soap and kerosene, which I put into the boiler of water when the latter is hot. I shave half a bar of soap into a quart of water, add two tablespoonfuls of kerosene and set on the stove till the whole is blended. I then pour the solution into the boiler and put the clothes in, slashing them about and up and down for twenty minutes, instead of boiling them. This method obviates the necessity of soaking the clothes and of boiling them."

Wide Hips.

Many women appear to be under the delusion that these are unsightly. As a fact, sculptors, artists and anatomists are unanimous in crediting the ideal female form with pronounced width of hip. When really excessive width is present one may reasonably ask the question whether anything can be done to lessen it. The answer is: If the width be occasioned by superfluous fat the cure is to be found in the gymnasium, but that if the width results from shape of the bones nothing whatever can be done.

Trying Work For Tots.

Many physicians are "down" on beadwork, and they recommend mothers to discourage their little daughters in trying their eyesight over beadwork. Do not hasten the day when your daughter must go to the oculist to have her eyes examined for prescription glasses. The long curriculum of lessons in modern schools, the claims of text books, music lessons and drawing lessons, make quite enough demand on the eyesight of a growing girl without the unnecessary claims of "fancy work."

Bath Sachet.

A French recipe for a bath sachet calls for three pounds of bran to one of powdered orris root, with a pound of starch, a pound and a half of almond meal and twelve ounces of good white soap. Five ounces may be put in each bag, which should be made large enough so that the mixture will have plenty of room to swell and will serve only for one bath.

Staining Floors.

When staining a floor remember to work along the grain of the wood, never across it. A good oak stain is made by putting a couple of ounces each of potash and pearl ash in a quart bottle and filling it with water. Keep well corked. Apply with an old brush, as it will spoil a good one, and take care not to touch the skin with it, for it will cause blisters.

The Clothes Closet.

In the cloak closet—either opening from the hall or sitting room—have hooks low enough that each youngster can hang wraps, hats and bonnets, and if drawers cannot be provided for overshoes, leggings and mittens, have a shelf a foot from the floor for the first named and one two and a half feet high for hand and neckwear.

Painted Walls.

To clean painted walls dissolve two ounces of borax in two quarts of water and add one tablespoonful of ammonia. Use half this quantity to each bucket of water. Do not use soap. Wash a small portion of the paint at a time and rub dry with clean cloths.

The lid of a teapot should always be left so that the air may get in. Slip in a piece of paper to keep it open. This prevents mustiness. The same rule applies to a coffeepot.

The worst feature about games is that they are taken too seriously. Girls do not play for amusement so much as to excel, and their pleasure becomes a task.

Bronzed lamps, chandeliers, etc., should be merely dusted with a feather brush or with a soft cloth, as washing them will take off the bronzing.

Old stockings cut down the seam make excellent cloths for polishing furniture and floors.

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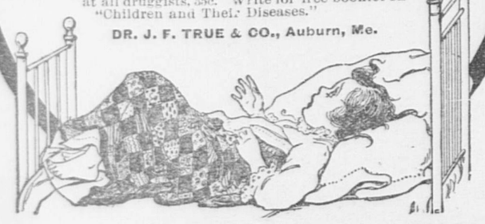
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Florida Judge's Impeachment Recommended to the House

HAS FORFEITED RESPECT

His Action on the Bench Declared to Have Been Such as to Induce "Justice According to Mob Rule" and Anarchy

Washington, March 26.—"Resolved, that Charles Swayne, judge of the district court of the United States in and for the northern district of Florida, be impeached for high misdemeanor."

This is the recommendation to the house in the report filed by the house committee on the judiciary. After discussing specifically the charges in detail against Judge Swayne and giving the findings in each case, the report concludes as follows:

"Upon the whole case it is plain that Judge Swayne has forfeited the respect and confidence of the bar of his court, and of the people of his district who do business here. He has so conducted himself as to earn the reputation of being susceptible to the malign influence of a man of notoriously bad character.

"He has shown himself to be harsh, tyrannical and oppressive, unmindful of the common rule of a just and upright judge. He has continuously and persistently violated the plain words of the statute of the United States and subjected himself to punishment for the commission of a high misdemeanor. He has fined and imprisoned members of his bar for a constructive contempt without the authority of law and without a decent show of reason, either through inexcusable ignorance, a malicious intent to injure, or a wanton disposition to exercise arbitrary power. He has condemned to a term of imprisonment in the county jail a reputable citizen of the state of Florida over whom he had no jurisdiction, who was guilty of no thought of a contempt of his court, for no offense against him or in the presence of the court, or in obstruction of any order, rule, command or decree. And after the accused had purged himself on oath.

"For all these reasons, Charles Swayne has been guilty of misbehavior in his office of judge and grossly violated the condition upon which he holds this honorable appointment. The honor of the judiciary, the orderly and decent administration of public justice and the welfare of the people of the United States demand his impeachment and removal from the high place which his conduct has degraded.

"It is vitally necessary to maintain the confidence of the people in the judiciary. A weak executive or an inefficient or even dishonest legislative branch may exist for a time at least, without serious injury to the perpetuity of our free institutions, but if the people lose faith in the judicial branch, if they become convinced that justice cannot be had at the hands of the judges, the next step will be to take the administration of the law into their own hands and do justice according to the rule of the mob, which is anarchy with which freedom cannot co-exist."

The committee find that Judge Swayne never required a legal residence in the northern district of Florida, nor has he actually resided there, as required by the act of congress, violation of which is termed a high misdemeanor.

"The evidence also establishes that the members of the bar at Pensacola, Fla., and elsewhere in the district and suitors in the United States court are of opinion that Tunison exercised influence over Judge Swayne. To such an extent does this belief prevail that lawyers advise their clients to employ Tunison in their business as the best and only way to succeed in Judge Swayne's court. The testimony satisfies the committee that Tunison is a dishonest man; also that he is endorser on a note of Judge Swayne that has been renewed for seven successive years in the Pensacola bank." The other charges are recited in detail.

Facing a Prosperous Future

Washington, March 26.—"There is no other country in the world that has before it, comparatively considered, greater undeveloped opportunities of agriculture, commerce and population, together with so much present material progress." This is the statement of Mr. Barrett, formerly minister to Argentine, in a report on Argentine.

Our Sailors Worry Cubans

Havana, March 26.—The newspapers of Guantanamo are asking for increased police protection and also for the stationing of rural guards at Caimanera and Guantanamo on account of conflicts between sailors from the United States warships and the Cuban police.

Good Season For Sealers

St. Johns, March 26.—That seals are abundant is evidenced by the fact that 57 sheets of ice piled high with dead seals and bearing the flags of different ships, passed Gappersland yesterday, being borne south by the currents.

Weather Beats Dynamite

Hoosick Falls, N. Y., March 26.—The warm weather and rain of the past two days has forced the ice out of the Hoosac river, breaking up the gorge which for 15 days resisted all attempts to loosen it with dynamite.

LYNN LOCKOUT ENDS

Dissatisfied Workmen Agree to Manufacturers' Proposition

Lynn, Mass., March 26.—The controversy between the Manufacturers' association and the Shoe Workers' Protective union, which resulted in a lockout on Wednesday of 500 turned workmen in 31 factories, has been adjusted through the efforts of the state board of arbitration, and the men will return to work on Monday. Several matters which still remain unsettled will be left to an arbitration board made up of three disinterested citizens of Lynn.

The trouble arose from a strike of the turned workmen in three of the Lynn factories some weeks ago, and the Manufacturers' association refused to arbitrate on various matters in controversy with the union until these men returned to work. Matters reached a climax this week, when the union failed to order the men back to work, and the manufacturers in 31 out of 33 factories locked out their turned workmen.

Since then, through the efforts of the state board of arbitration, both sides have made concessions, and finally the three propositions of the manufacturers, that the strike should be called off at the three factories, that the locked out men should return to work, and that committees should be appointed by each side to select an arbitration committee of three, was accepted by the union.

Cotton Touches Fifteen Cents

New York, March 26.—The publication of the final report of the census bureau on cotton ginned from the 1903 crop was followed by a jump of about 20 points in prices. The advance met liquidation enough to cause a momentary reaction, but almost immediately buying orders began to reach the ring, trading became active and May sold up to 14.75 and July to 15 cents, an advance of about 90 points from the low point of the morning.

Disastrous Hospital Fire

Escanaba, Mich., March 26.—In a fire at the Delta county hospital over 60 patients were thrown into a panic and many were forced to leave the building in their night clothes, standing in snow up to their knees for half an hour before they could be sheltered. It is feared that many of the patients who were suffering from typhoid fever will never recover from the effects of the exposure.

"Corbett" Beaten by Britt

San Francisco, March 26.—Young Corbett and Jimmy Britt's battle was the hardest ever seen on the coast. The champion showed a slight superiority in the early rounds, but as the battle went on Britt improved and evened things up. Both men were in fine condition and weighed in under the required 130 pounds. They went the limit of 20 rounds, Britt getting the decision.

Mosquitos Are Disease Spreaders

Guayaquil, March 26.—An active campaign against the spread of yellow fever and malaria, involving the destruction of mosquitoes, has been started here as the result of suggestions of Dr. Gruver, the resident officer of the United States marine hospital service.

City Officials Go Wrong

Havana, March 26.—Senor Del Rey, municipal tax collector of Cienfuegos, is being prosecuted for the embezzlement of $6000 of the funds of that city. Senor Arguelles, who was city treasurer until a month ago, has been arrested on a charge of theft.

Plague Breaks Out In Peru

Washington, March 26.—United States Minister Dudley cables the state department from Lima that bubonic plague has broken out at San Pedro, Callao and Lima.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Dr. J. D. Young, proprietor of Young's hotel, Winthrop, Mass., died suddenly at his hotel. He was widely known, having been connected with the United Order of the Golden Cross, the Masonic order, Odd Fellows, Royal Arcanum and G. A. R. He was born at Corinna, Me., in 1841.

Two men were killed by the explosion of a steam pipe in the American Sugar refining works at Jersey City. Two other workmen were seriously scalded, but will recover.

The Cuban government has discarded the offer of George Richardson of Chicago for the raising of the battleship Maine because he has not fulfilled requirements.

Leonard Clark, ex-state representative and a prominent citizen of Springfield, Mass., is dead, aged 82. He was a brother of the founder of Clark university.

So heavy have become the importations of sugar into New Orleans since the 20 percent reduction in duties on the Cuban products went into effect, that the customs service there is swamped and extra help has been allowed.

With a view to facilitating the arrangement of foreign contracts, Chancellor Chamberlain of the British exchequer announces that there will be no increase of the tax on coal in the forthcoming budget.

Postmaster General Payne's condition continues favorable. His physician reports that he is gaining strength daily.

The engagement is announced of Miss Rebekah Knox, daughter of the attorney general, to James R. Tindle of Pittsburg.

Cornell won the inter-collegiate debate from Columbia, scoring a third victory in the final contest in a five-year series. The question debated was "The Union Shop."

How the War News Comes

Some Famous Correspondents Who Are In the Far East. Handicapped by Strict Censorship—Cablegrams That Cost Over Four Dollars a Word. How Melville E. Stone Secured the Czar's Aid

THUS far in the Russo-Japanese struggle the war correspondent has not been much in evidence. The newspapers of America and Europe and the Associated Press are spending enormous sums; scores of correspondents are in Japan, Russia, China and Korea, and yet, as the New York Herald pathetically remarks, "the returns have been totally inadequate to the expenditures."

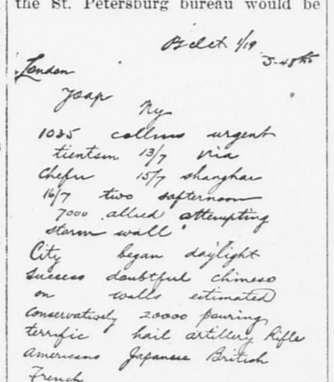
Among the famous correspondents now in the far east endeavoring to enlighten the American reader as to the course of events are John Fox, Jr., author of "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come;" Jack London, whose novel, "The Call of the Wild," was one of the great successes of last year; George Kennan, Frederic Villiers, Richard Harding Davis, Edwin Emerson, Jr.; Frederick Palmer, William Dinwiddie, H. J. Whigham, amateur golf champion in 1896-7; Bennett Burleigh and a host of others who have won fame in literature and as newspaper writers.



M. E. STONE.

But while trained men have been stationed at every strategic point throughout the war zone they have not been able to break through the rigid censorship established by the belligerents. Practically the only information that has been given to the world has come through the Associated Press.

The success of the Associated Press was made possible by the foresight of Mr. Melville E. Stone, general manager of the organization. Recognizing that perhaps St. Petersburg would be the most important point for news during the war, Mr. Stone early in the present year visited Russia and while there had a personal audience with the czar. At that time he succeeded in assuring the czar that the Associated Press would be impartial in its reports in the event of war and in return received the czar's assurance that the St. Petersburg bureau would be made the medium of transmitting official news of the progress of the war from the Russian capital to America.

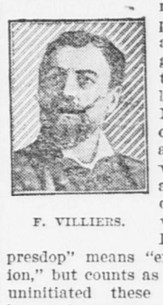


FACSIMILE OF PART OF A CABLEGRAM DESCRIBING ATTACK ON TIENTSIN.

Contrary to the popular idea, the war between Russia and Japan is not welcomed by the newspapers. More copies are sold, but the cost of making the newspaper is vastly increased. A newspaper to keep pace with its contemporaries and give all the news to its readers must maintain a corps of high priced correspondents in the field, as well as keep in touch with the headquarters of the contending armies. In some cases syndicates are formed, but most of the big newspapers of this country have anywhere from three to a dozen skilled writers on their payrolls in eastern Asia.

The cost of cablegrams is a still heavier item of expense. For instance, from Chefu to New York the cable rate for press dispatches is 42 cents a word, and the same rate is charged from Tientsin and Shanghai. From Port Arthur via the Pacific cable the rate is $1.02 a word, and from Tokyo it costs 54 cents a word to transmit a press message. From Vladivostok and Chemulpo no press rates are made, and messages must be paid for in advance at the full rate, which is about three times higher. The following incident illustrates the expense of cabling war news:

In the American newspapers on Monday, July 16, 1900, was a dispatch from Tientsin, China, which recounted the fact that the allied forces were fighting the Chinese troops in that city and, what was of the gravest human interest in the United States, the further fact that the Ninth regiment of United States regulars was in action and that its gallant colonel, Emerson H. Liscum, had been killed. The readers of the newspapers accepted this information in the ordinary way, very few possibly giving thought as to how the news had been procured or how it had circled three-fourths of the globe to be given out to the newspapers throughout this country. A correspondent of the Associated Press, Robert M. Collins, had witnessed the fighting, had noted the death of the colonel and secured the names of the wounded, had given the dispatch to a courier to proceed by steamer to Chefu, there to be started on the telegraph to Shanghai and there on the cable through the Indian ocean, up through the Red sea to London, finally to New York. The press rate from China was 55 cents a word, and as press messages had to take their turn after important government and commercial messages this might mean delay of two or three days. The cable companies have what is known as the "urgent" message rate, which was $4.15 a word from Shanghai to New York city. Collins' message of 130 words was at the "urgent" rate, which means that after it succeeded in reaching Shanghai it was pushed over the cable ahead of all other reports.

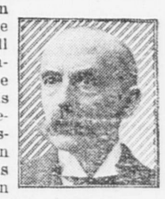


F. VILLIERS.

When cablegrams cost anywhere from 40 cents to $4 per word, the correspondent is expected to abbreviate to the last degree and at the same time make his cablegram intelligible. Not only does he omit all obvious and unessential words, but he also abbreviates and compounds several words into one. For instance, "expresdop" means "expressed the opinion," but counts as one word. To the uninitiated these cable dispatches, known in newspaper offices as "skin" cable, would be unreadable, but the cable news expert reads them with ease and fills in the omitted words.

The regulations of the Japanese government in regard to messages are a source of great annoyance to correspondents and seriously interfere with their work. In Japan all dispatches for points beyond Tokyo must be filed with the censor, properly translated into Japanese. This necessitates that each correspondent be attended by a Japanese translator.

Among the best known of the correspondents now in the east is George Kennan, who will be with the Japanese. Since the publication of his book, "The Siberian Exile System," about fifteen years ago, he has been persona non grata in Russia. While traveling through that country in 1901 he was stopped at St. Petersburg and escorted to the frontier.



GEORGE KENNAN.

Frederic Villiers, England's most famous war artist and correspondent, is with the Russian forces. He gained his first experience in 1876 in Servia. His next war, the Russo-Turkish, not only established his reputation as a correspondent, but particularly fitted him for his present assignment, for he was with the Russians at Plevna and Shipka pass. Later he was at the bombardment of Alexandria and at Tel-el-Kebir. Since then he has not missed a campaign of any consequence.

John Fox, Jr., is a native of Kentucky and is one of the most conspicuous of the younger American story writers of the present time. Previous to his latest success, "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come," he had written several stories of Kentucky life that attracted much attention. Among them are "A Mountain Europa," "A Cumberland Vendetta" and "Hell-fer-Sartain." The strength of his literary work lies in his character sketching. Mr. Fox gained his first experience in war as correspondent in Cuba.



R. H. DAVIS.

In America no correspondent is better known than Richard Harding Davis, whose vivid pen pictures of stirring scenes, written in his picturesque style, long ago made him famous. While immensely popular as a novelist, Davis is a war correspondent of high standing. He followed the operations of the Greco-Turkish, the Spanish-American and the Boer-British wars and covered besides a revolution in Venezuela. Last year he was in Bulgaria during the uprising against the sultan.



W. DINWIDDIE.

Not so well known to the general public is William Dinwiddie, governor of Lepanto-Bontoc province, in the Philippines, who is with the Japanese army in Korea. Mr. Dinwiddie has obtained leave of absence from his post in the Philippines. Governor Dinwiddie went to Cuba at the beginning of the Spanish war, subsequently going to the Philippines. When the Boer war broke out he went to South Africa as a correspondent and photographer for one of the big New York weeklies, remaining there to the end of the war. In 1902 he established a paper in Manila, subsequently leaving it to become the governor of Lepanto-Bontoc.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 24th, 1904. The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs and Water Supply, sitting jointly, will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 1100, Report of Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board on water supplied in Metropolitan District; also report of same board on quantity and use of water in the Metropolitan District, at room No. 436, State House, on Tuesday, March 29th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. DAVID G. PRATT, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 26-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 24th, 1904. The Committee on Federal Relations will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 606, relative to reciprocity with Canada, at room No. 428, State House, on Thursday, March 31st, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. CHARLES E. WARD, Chairman. JOHN E. LOWNEY, Clerk of the Committee. 26-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 23d, 1904. The Committee on Banks and Banking will give a hearing to parties interested in part two of the twenty-eighth annual report of the board of Commissioners of Savings Banks; Public Document No. 8, relating to Co-operative Banks, at room No. 448, State House, on WEDNESDAY, March 30th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ELISHA H. BREWSTER, Chairman. DANIEL J. O'BRIEN, Clerk of the Committee. 25-2t

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of

EMILY M. DICKEY,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HENRY S. KOLSETH, Adm.

(Address) Atlantic, Mass.

March 17, 1904. 26—3t—26. 2, 9

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE partnership heretofore subsisting under the firm name of RICHARDS & RICHARDS, carrying on business as manufacturers of Granite Monuments at Centre street, Quincy, Mass., was dissolved March 23, 1904, by mutual consent and the business in the future will be carried on by William Richards, 2d who will pay and discharge all debts and liabilities and receive all moneys payable to the said late firm.

WILLIAM RICHARDS,
WILLIAM RICHARDS, 2D.

March 23. 3t

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Men's $4 Trousers Selling at **$3.00.**

The $3 kind for **$2.25**

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J. P. MOWRY & CO.

1479 Hancock Street, QUINCY.

Quincy, March 26. tf

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Legs Lamb,	16c. lb
Fores Lamb,	7 1-2 and 10c. lb
Legs Veal,	16c. lb
Fores Veal,	10c. lb
French Roll Roast,	10c. lb
Face Rump Roast,	12 1-2c. lb
Good Chuck Roast,	8c. lb
First Cut Rib Roast,	12 1-2c. lb
Chickens,	23c. lb
Fowl,	16c. lb
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Quincy Daily Ledger.

SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 1904.

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Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
Rogers Bros., Hancock St.
J. F. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. F. Hall, 128 Washington St., near Canal.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store
Sprague & Hobart, Washington cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—P. L. Litchfield, Water St
W. E. Nightingale 234 Water street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
A. Pierson, 92 Granite street.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite street.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—C. E. Hosmer, cor. Hancock and Beach streets.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	47	34	74	65	39
Monday,	47	43	48	44	52
Tuesday,	45	38	47	43	58
Wednesday,	56	41	45	58	49
Thursday,	57	39	57	39	40
Friday,	62	40	58	37	46
Saturday,	66	48	53	48	48

New Advertisements Today.

Dissolution Notice.
State House Hearing.
Administrator's Notice.
J. P. Mowry & Co.—Clothing, Hats, etc.
To Let—Furnished Room.
George S. Baker & Co.—Clothes pressed.
Restaurant for sale.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Harold Osgood of Portsmouth, N. H., is the guest of Quincy friends.

The Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co. will elect officers April 6.

The City Council Finance Committee met last evening and practically completed its work on the annual budget.

There will be a meeting of the directors of Woodward Institute next Tuesday at 2.30 to attend to any business that may come before it.

The ladies have been busy this week getting ready to blossom out at Easter in new hats and gowns, and never have the styles been prettier.

Francis Veazie picked over 1000 violets yesterday from his hot beds, and might have gathered as many more. They are very large and fragrant this year.

The Rev. Theodore Irving Reese, Rector of St. Michael's church, Milton, will preach at the afternoon service tomorrow at St. Chrysostom Church.

There has been a leak in the gas main near Dr. Gordon's residence nearly all winter. Yesterday the employes of the company succeeded in locating and repairing the leak.

The forward wheel of an express wagon came off on Hancock street, just south of City Square yesterday afternoon, blocking both street car tracks. Cars were delayed for a time.

People living in the vicinity of Barker's woods enjoy a fine bird concert every bright morning. All kinds of birds are returning from the south and making their homes in these woods.

Miss Florence Burbank, who has been the stenographer of the Norfolk county Superior court, has been transferred to the fourth jury session in Suffolk, and Miss Helen P. Nelson of Middlesex will succeed her.

The regular meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held Thursday, March 31st at 2.30 P. M. at the home of Mrs. George S. Keyes, 15 Alleyne Terrace. Business of importance will be considered.

The welcome meetings connected with St. Chrysostom's parish have done so much good in emphasizing the element of friendliness in the life of the parish that it is proposed to resume the meetings next October and November.

Trial of the Denver.

The U. S. cruiser Denver, built by Neafie & Levy, will probably have her official trial off Cape Ann next week.

—The public seems to be gradually coming to the conclusion that it rather likes Chairman Emmons. There may be a little too much Puritanism about the Judge, but there is just one thing to be considered. Laws are made to be executed. If they cannot be executed they should be repealed.—Medford Leader.

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Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

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A TRUNK WARDROBE.

When Closed It Makes a Convenient Bedroom Window Seat.

When my baby girl was put into short clothes she required so many dresses that I found the hamper, previously used, inadequate.

A neighbor gave me a small, old fashioned wooden trunk having one light tray inside. It was an unsightly object, being much soiled, both inside and out. I moistened all the paper lining, then carefully removed it, and when the wood was thoroughly dry I relined with scraps of wall paper in a dainty pattern of wild roses, using the border for the inside of the top and the bottom of the tray. I fitted this lining very carefully and pasted it on.

I covered the outside of the trunk with denim, tacking through the small plaits around the top. I covered the lid with a separate piece of denim, stretched very tightly over a stuffing of excelsior, and finished with a four inch ruffle tacked on with brass headed tacks. The trunk when it is closed makes a convenient window seat for my bedroom.

The receptacle under the tray is thirty inches long and gives ample room without folding or crushing for the two dozen little white dresses, with the cambric and flannel petticoats. The tray is convenient for smaller articles. The little shoes, each pair in its own box in a corner, and the little pique reefers and bonnets, also the tiny sheets and pillow cases, are easily within reach. I do not see how I could get along without this device, which would be equally useful for shirt waists or lingerie.—St. Louis Republic.

PRETTY WORK TABLE.

It Is Made of Bamboo Poles and a Cheese Box.

Here is a charming work table made of some lengths of bamboo and an ordinary wooden cheese box. The height of the four lengths of bamboo, which form the foundation for the table, are regulated by your individual taste, and having cut them the required height cut a slot in each piece, as shown in Fig. 1, the exact measurement of the bottom of the box, which is then wedged in. (See Fig. 2.)

The top of the box which forms the table is fixed in the same manner high-

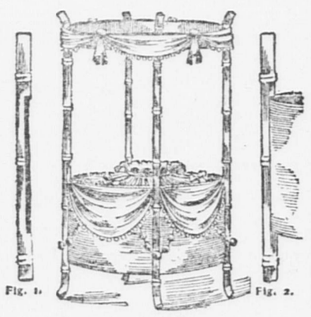


Fig. 1. Fig. 2.

CHEESE BOX WORK TABLE.

er up. As the slots are only cut the width or a fraction more of the width of the box they naturally hold tightly and only require one or two screws to keep them in place.

The structure being completed, the decoration must be considered, and you have endless variety to choose from. First there is enamel, with which lid and box can be covered, the different wood stains varnishing in this scheme the bamboo. Poker work, imitation marquetry, metallic painting, all these can be pressed into service with artistic results.

Household Linen.

Modern housewives are beginning once more to pride themselves on their household linen, and this fact is very evident in the use of tablecloths woven in the most exquisite and artistic designs, the table napkins following them on a more minute scale. Some of the bedroom towels now in use are very useful both as to fineness and pattern, the borders being of floral design, beautifully handworked in washing thread or silk. They are finished with a deep fringe of linen thread, with a heading of the colors which prevail in the embroidery. Many of these face towels are of the finest imaginable Irish damask, with design and border of shamrocks or tiny fleurs-de-lis.

Drippings.

Grease, cooking butter and drippings of any kind that have become "strong" or discolored may be made sweet and white by being clarified with bits of raw potato. Turn all the drippings into a deep kettle which has a perfectly fitting cover and allow them to become heated through. In the meantime slice and peel one medium potato for three pounds of dripping. Slice and throw in and allow it all to cook together until the bits of potato are a deep brown. Strain and set away. When cold a quantity of snow white shortening material will repay the time and trouble.

The Really Clever Pose.

There is much more intellectual cleverness among the girls of today than there was fifty years ago. A flippant cousin says: "It does not pay for a girl to be clever. Men are afraid of you if you are, and the other girls hate you." But between a pedantic prig and a well educated young woman there is a vast difference. The really clever women are those who disguise their learning and pose as amiable and charming idiots.—London Ladies' Field.

Cut Flowers.

Cut flowers should be placed in the refrigerator overnight. In the morning cut the stems about an inch, and put fresh cool water in the vases. Do not sprinkle them, as a rule, although roses do not seem to be injured that way.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Hanley Construction Co. to Samuel A. Moody $20,845.
Samuel A. Moody to Baker Yacht Basin.
Julius Johnson to Lizzie P. Pettnegill.
Cora L. Weeks to Albert Nelson.
Harlow H. Rogers to Clarke G. Boynton.
James B. Fletcher to Chauncey M. Marstin.
Chauncey M. Marstin to Lucy G. Fletcher.
John H. Dinegan to Thomas J. Phillips.
William B. Pearce to Francis A. Spear.
George A. Spear to Francis A. Spear.
Herbert W. Spear to Francis A. Spear.
H. Austin Spear to Francis A. Spear.
Christopher A. Spear et al to Francis A. Spear.
Amanda J. Spear et al to Francis A. Spear.
Abby Spear et al to Elihu T. Spear.
George R. Jones to Isaac Heller.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

COLONIAL THEATRE.

In the magnificent production of the Drury Lane spectacle, "Mother Goose," which is now running at the Colonial theatre, Boston, Klaw & Erlanger have reached the crowning glory of stage beauty and magnificence, for never on any stage have we had such a mighty beauty spectacle and marvel of gorgeous magnificence in evidence. The Grigolatis, the group of aerialists seen in this city with "The Sleeping Beauty and the Beast," have introduced a remarkable innovation, in "Mother Goose" which consists of the flight of the premiere of the troupe from the center of the stage over the heads of the audience, clear to the gallery rail and return, all the while scattering natural flowers to the audience below. This is undoubtedly the most startling sensation ever produced by a woman in a theatre, and its effect as a crowning tableau to the finale of the second act—which is one of the most beautiful ever represented—holds the audience spellbound, "Mother Goose" is staged in three acts and seventeen scenes. There will be Wednesday and Saturday matinees, and during the "Mother Goose" engagement the curtain will rise at 7.45 in the evening and at 2 o'clock sharp at matinees.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

The famous romatic play "The Marble Heart" has been selected as the Castle Square theatre attraction next week. The play has not been in Boston since its production at this theatre three seasons ago, and a revival at this time will undoubtedly be generally welcomed. The members of the present stock company will have an opportunity to show their ability in the familiar characters, which have often gained honors for the great artists of earlier years, and the high standard of former performances of the play at the Castle Square Theatre will be maintained in its coming revival. The characters have been cast as follows:—

THE DREAM: Georgias, John Sainpolis; Alcibiades, Hortimer Weldon; Phidias, Howell Hansel; Diogenes, Thomas Mac Larnie; Strabon, Wm. J. Hasson; Thea, Mary Sanders; Aspasia, Lillie Lerner; Lais, Saide Galloupe; Phryne, Louise Gorham.

THE REALITY: Lord Merton, Wm. C. Mason; Viscount Chateamargaux, Mortimer Weldon; Ferdinand Volage, Thomas Mac Larnie; Mademoiselle Marco, Lillian Lawrence; Clementene, Isabelle Fletcher; Mariette, Alice Riker; Fedora, Cordelia MacDonald; Julie, Grace Olin; Marie, Mary Sanders; Madame Duchatlet, Gertrude Berkeley.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

Those conversant with the value of vaudeville shows will certainly be impressed with the list of entertainers scheduled to appear at Keith's for the week of March 28, since it contains the names of some of the most talented and widely known artists in the business, including Sidney Grant, mimetic comedian, who is a pronounced matinee favorite and has not been cast of New York for nearly three years; Katherine Sloodgood, the most talented contralto vocalist in the varieties; the Sensational Boises, a quartet of daring aerial acrobats, in a sensational casting act; Eva Mudge, the talented "military maid," who sings songs with quick costume change for each selection. As usual, there will be a complete change made in the motion picture machine, the interesting and comic being included in the list of new subjects. Underlined for the week of April 4 is the popular opera star, Digby Bell.

PARK THEATRE.

A Japanese Souvenir Night is the peculiarly timely novelty announced for the celebration of the twenty-fifth performance of that unique character comedy, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," at the Park theatre, Boston, where the play seems to have firmly established itself as a popular favorite with New England playgoers. The inspiration for this event has been the receiving by Madge Carr Cook of a curious present from far-away Japan in the shape of a sash pin, about the size of one of Uncle Sam's dollars. According to the letter from F. Kasuwara, which accompanied the pretty remembrance, this pin is an exact duplicate of one worn by the Mikado as a good-luck token. The lobby of the Park theatre will be decorated on Monday evening, March 28 next, in highly Oriental style, with the colors of the Mikado, the flag of the Land of the Rising Sun, exact imitations of Japanese battle flags, and plenty of chrysanthemums embowering all. There can be no wonder at the big success which has been scored by the Cabbage Patch, typical of cheerful, even though hard-struggling poverty—it deserves special note among all the varied current attractions that seek either to amuse through humor or to edify through realism. One feels that he has spent a day with the actual people in their own queer settlement.

BORN.

TORREY—In East Braintree, Mar. 17, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Torrey of Allen street.

MARRIED.

ROXBOROUGH — SAUNDERS — In East Weymouth, Mar. 13, Mr. Guy A. Roxborough of Brockton to Miss Bertha Saunders of South Braintree.

DIED.

SIMONDS—In South Braintree, March 24, Miss Clarabel Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Willie Simonds, aged 15 years, 5 months and 17 days

PIERCE—In South Braintree, March 23, Mrs. Eliza J., wife of the late Henry A. Pierce, aged 74 years, 10 months and 13 days.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

PALM SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Collection for American Unitarian Association. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. Service of divine worship at 3.30 P. M. Sermon by Rev. Mr. Conklin.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "The Last Day with the Disciples." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "The Day of Suffering." Y.P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening at 7.30. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All are cordially invited.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 9.45 A. M., holy communion at St. Chrysostom's church. 10.30 A. M., prayer and sermon. 12.05 M., Sunday School. 7.00 P. M., prayer and address.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH, at Keating's hall, 137 Washington street, near Canal street—Service at 7 P. M. Subject: "Will war between Russia and Great Britan take place? What do the scriptures say concerning it?" All are welcome. Seats free. No collection.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by pastor. Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6 P. M. Leader, James K. Campbell. Sacramental services under the direction of the pastor at 7 o'clock. Baptisms and reception of members before the sermon. The session will meet at 6.30 P. M. Bible Training class Thursday, at 6.30 P. M.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. 9.45 A. M., the holy communion. 10.45 morning prayer, ante-communion and sermon. 12.20 P. M., the Sunday School. 4.30 P. M. prayer and address.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Frank Wright Pratt, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The meaning of the crucifixion." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7. Subject: "The Easter story, told by the artists," with stereopticon pictures. All are invited.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Palm Sunday." Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor meeting at 3.30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7.30 P. M. All are heartily invited.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward Abbott Chase, minister. Morning worship and sermon appropriate to Palm Sunday at 10.45. Special music. Sunday School service at 12.15. Quarterly reviewed. The boys section of the Junior Endeavor society at 3.15. The girls section of the Junior Endeavor society at 4. The Senior Endeavor Consecration meeting at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Mrs. Alice West of Worcester will speak under the auspices of the Mission study club.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by Rev. R. K. Harlow of South Framingham, Mass. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock. You are cordially invited.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue. — Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Unreality." Golden Text: "There is that maketh himself rich, yet hath nothing: there is that maketh himself poor, yet hath great riches." Proverbs 13:7. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings. All are welcome.

Spanish War Monument.

A resolve was reported in the Massachusetts House yesterday appropriating $50,000 for a monument on the State House grounds to the Massachusetts men who died in the war with Spain.

YOU NEED A NEW FACE

but as it will be hard for you to get one, the next best thing to do is to go to your druggist and buy a package of "EASY SHAVE," the new lather. You will be surprised how smooth and soft it makes the face and how easy it is to shave with it.

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A MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR.

Mother at Hospital in Boston and Father on a Visit to Her.

Two Young Sons at Home Alone in an Isolated Locality.

Tramp or Insane Man Entered House, Chased Boys Up Stairs, and Shot One.

Quincy as well as Randolph was shocked on Sunday at the news of the shooting of young Parker Dexter, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. T. Dexter near the water pumping station at Great pond, Randolph.

Mr. Dexter was a West Quincy man, and went to Randolph about sixteen years ago when he was appointed engineer of the pumping station.

A Randolph dispatch relates the circumstances as follows:

Randolph, Mass., March 28.—Parker Dexter, 11 years old, son of E. J. T. Dexter of this town, was mysteriously and probably fatally shot in his home while everyone, except his brother Harris, 14 years old, was absent from the house. Harris Dexter told the police that the shooting was done by a stranger, who suddenly appeared at the door with a companion while he and his brother were eating dinner, the father having left a few minutes before for Boston.

According to the boy one of the men, with a revolver in his hand, chased the boys upstairs, and, cornering Parker Dexter in the bathroom, shot him in the head, the bullet entering the ear. After that the men left the house without taking anything of value.

The news of the shooting came upon the appearance of Harris Dexter at the house of Mr. Lathrop, about half a mile from the Dexters, and as soon as the boy had told his story, to which he has since clung tenaciously, the local police were notified. A searching party, made up of local officers and the Metropolitan police from a nearby reservation, scoured the surrounding country, while the police in all surrounding towns were notified, but no trace of the strangers has been discovered.

According to young Dexter the man who did the shooting was of medium size, wore a brown slouch felt hat, and an old blue suit. He had a full beard, but no mustache.

The scene of the shooting is on Pond street, not far from Braintree Great pond, Mr. Dexter being the engineer of a pumping station there. Dexter started off about 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon to visit his wife, who is at the homeopathic hospital in Boston, leaving the two boys at the dinner table. Harris says that he had not been gone 20 minutes before the two strangers appeared in the doorway. One of the men came into the room with a revolver in his hand. The boys jumped from the table and ran upstairs, with the man after them. Parker ran into the bathroom, while Harris sought a room in the other end of the house. Scarcely had he closed the door when he heard the report of the revolver. It was some time, he said, before he dared to leave the room, but at last, after seeing the men go down the street, he ventured out and found his brother on his knees in the bathroom. The boy was insensible, and the blood was streaming from a wound in his head near the ear.

As soon as Harris had told the story to Mr. Lathrop the latter notified the local police, and a searching party was organized. District Attorney French placed Deputy Sheriff Farrell in charge of the posse, and ordered State Officer Scott to the scene. In the meantime the wounded boy had been taken to the Homeopathic hospital in Boston, where his mother is also under treatment.

After some of the officers had returned from their fruitless search they subjected Harris Dexter to a rigid examination of more than two hours. The boy held stoutly to his original story and did not appear to vary in any of its details.

Mr. Dexter, who arrived home late in the afternoon, went with the officers to his room and his revolver was found in its usual place in his bureau drawer. All the chambers were loaded and apparently the weapon had not been fired for some time.

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Quincy Officers Assist.

Word was sent to Quincy of the murder early in the afternoon with a request that Quincy officers assist in the search for the alleged murderer. Inspector McKay was detailed and he in company with Officers Sandberg, George A. McKay, Dyer, Connelly, Anderson and Matthews spent the afternoon in scouring through Randolph avenue, the Blue Hills Reservation and around that section but the parties could not be found.

They were informed that two fishermen were seen going into the woods off Randolph avenue. No trace of them could be found however and they disappeared as mysteriously as though the earth had opened up and swallowed them.

The Boy Dead.

Parker Dexter, the victim of the shooting, passed away early this morning at the hospital in Boston, and an autopsy will be performed this afternoon.

Mrs. Dexter was able to return to her home with Mr. Dexter, but it was a sad homecoming, and reporters, photographers and the curious, have transformed the isolated spot into a busy scene.

It was in the house of the murder that Mr. and Mrs. Dexter were married, and where their sons were born.

Mr. Dexter feels that the police are subjecting the surviving son to too great a strain. From the first he has told a straightforward story, and adhered strictly to it.

It should be remembered that the boy has been alone with no advisers. That his father and mother were in Boston. If guilty, he would have broken down long ago.

Harris did promptly all that could be expected of a boy of his age; yes more. He tenderly cared for his brother, summoned neighbors, called doctors, etc.

Mr. Dexter is the son of the late Richard W. Dexter who lived on Cross street, West Quincy. He was employed for several years as engineer at the works of George L. Miller. He was made a Mason in Rural lodge and is now master of Rising Sun lodge of Randolph. He was one of the members to join Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows at the reinstitution in 1884, and also joined the encampment.

ARREST MADE.

The American reports that the police of Stoughton this morning arrested George H. Ware, about three miles from Randolph, and he is held as a suspect in the Parker Dexter murder case.

Chief Vanston arrested the man while he was trying to break into a building. The man had apparently been drinking. He could not give any coherent story as to why he was in the neighborhood, nor what he had been doing.

Ware is about 38 years old. He is being held until the State police have a chance to interview him about the murder of the boy.

Maniac Burglar at Large.

Wandering through the state of Connecticut, somewhere near New Haven, says the Globe, is Arthur Wilcox, 30 years old, a burglar who, the police say, is raving mad and armed to the teeth.

Last week Wilcox entered three houses in Meridan, where he stole $21 in cash, some swell clothing and a double-barreled shotgun, which he is supposed to have in his possession, along with a big revolver and a dirk.

STONE ON TRACK.

Thought to be the Work of Wollaston Boys.

The engineer of the 9.50 inward train from Quincy Saturday night brought his train to a stop at the Norfolk Downs station and reported to the agent that someone had placed stones on the rail half way between the Wollaston and Norfolk Downs station.

The train runs express between Quincy and Boston. Just after passing the Wollaston station, passengers in the train felt a sudden jar which was immediately followed by the sudden checking of the speed of the train.

Although the train rocked some it did not leave the rails. It was evident that someone had placed stones on the rail.

Whether the rocks were placed on the rail to wreck the train or by boys out of deviltry is not known.

It is believed, however, that it was the work of malicious boys. Word was sent to the Quincy police of the affair but they have found no clew to the parties.

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Box 29 Was Another False Alarm from Greenleaf Street.

False alarms, still alarms and incendiary fires kept the fire department on the jump from Saturday night until early this morning.

The first alarm was sounded from box 443 at 7.10 Saturday night. This was for a slight fire in a chimney on West street.

The department had hardly returned from answering this when a part of the Central station was summoned on a still alarm to extinguish a woods fire in Faxon Park.

The next bell alarm was from box 29, and sounded at 1.30 Sunday morning. This sent the Central and Wollaston departments hurrying down Butler road. Upon their arrival the box was found open, but there was no sign of anybody about or of any fire, and it was set down as a false alarm. This is the second false alarm from this section within a few days.

At 8.33 Sunday evening an alarm was sounded from Box 441. This proved to be a fire in the old stone sheds and stable situated at the Frank Hardwick quarry on Quarry street. These buildings have not been in use for some years. They have been set afire several times and should have been torn down long ago as they were of no value.

The buildings are some distance apart. When the department arrived they found both buildings blazing, which showed that the incendiary had applied the torch to both. Both buildings were destroyed, the loss was what they were worth for old lumber.

The last alarm came in from Box 42 at 12.55 this morning. This was for a fire in the sheds and shop of C. H. Hardwick & Co. on Quarry street. This was also an incendiary fire and must have been burning some time before discovered by Officer Johnson.

Box 441 was the nearest to the fire but Officer Johnson was coming down Copeland street when he saw the blaze, and as he was but a few feet away from Box 42 he rang that in.

The fire was burning briskly when the department arrived on the scene and the shed and shop were practically destroyed.

Chief Williams estimates the loss on shed and contents to be $800.

At the office of C. H. Hardwick Co. this morning it was learned that there were several pieces of granite in the burned shed, but it could not be told as yet just how much there was damaged.

Mr. Hardwick feels somewhat incensed at the lack of police protection offorded his property. He says that every Sunday a gang of hudlums gather in his shed and blacksmith shop, which they enter by false keys, and play cards.

That they were there Sunday is evident from the fact that partly burned cards were found scattered about. He says that he has frequently called the attention of the police to this gang but as far as he has been able to learn they have made no movement to stop it.

A Nonagenarian.

George S. T. Whiting of 199 Quincy avenue will be ninety years old tomorrow. Mr. Whiting enjoys good health, and has been very regular in attendance at Bethany church. He was one of the original Free Soil men of Quincy, being one of eleven the first year. Before the Civil war he was in the shoe business, and later in fish business. When Mrs. Whiting died they had been married 66 years. They had six sons, also grandchildren and great grandchildren. Mr. Whiting was born in Quincy and has always lived here.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 24th, 1904. The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs and Water Supply, sitting jointly, will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 1100, Report of Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board on water supplied in Metropolitan District; also report of same board on quantity and use of water in the Metropolitan District, at room No. 436, State House, on Tuesday, March 29th, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. ALBION F. BEMIS, Chairman. DAVID G. PRATT, Chairman. ALFRED S. HALL, Clerk of the Committee. 26-2t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 24th, 1904. The Committee on Federal Relations will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 696, relative to reciprocity with Canada, at room No. 428, State House, on Thursday, March 31st, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. CHARLES E. WARD, Chairman. JOHN E. LOWNEY, Clerk of the Committee. 26-2t

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

Much sympathy is felt in Quincy and West Quincy for Mr. Edward J. T. Dexter, over the sad tragedy at his residence at Randolph. With his wife ill at a Boston hospital, and Mr. Dexter on a visit to her, one of his young sons is shot down at home by a tramp, demented man or a robber. Both sons, Harold and Parker, are pleasantly remembered by Quincy people, having attended dancing school and entertainments in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Dexter formerly lived at West Quincy, and have a large acquaintance among Masons and Odd Fellows. It will also be a sad blow to Mr. Dexter's mother now residing in Vermont.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Because we should teach every child in America to be kind to all that deserve kindness, it does not follow that we believe in only one kind of humane education. The Chicago policeman who first hurled to the ground a brutal cattle drover who was whipping a sick sheep, and then sat down on top of him, pulled out out a copy of the laws of Illinois and delivered a lecture on cruelty to animals, was the best kind of a humane educator that the case admitted of. There are few events of our own life that we look back upon with more pleasure than one in which we broke a stout hickory cane over the back of a street bully who was insulting a peaceable passer-by. There are two kinds of humane education, and until we get a little nearer the millennium both may have to be sometimes used.—Our Dumb Animals.

Recent Death.

Mrs. Charles W. Smith passed away Saturday evening at the family residence on Nelson street, West Quincy, of pneumonia, aged 56 years. She came here with her husband, from Antigonish, Nova Scotia, about nineteen years ago and was highly esteemed by all who knew her, Much sympathy is felt for the afflicted husband, as their only child, John Donald Smith, is lying ill from typhoid pneumonia. The funeral took place this morning from 14 Nelson street. The pall bearers were Messrs. Charles MacKenzie, William MacDonald, John MacDonald and Ronald S. MacDonald. Interment was at St. Mary's cemetery, preceded by requiem high mass at St. Mary's church with Rev. Ambrose Roche as celebrant.

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A Little Land Fight

St. Petersburg, March 28.—That fighting in the zone of the land forces has at last been reached is shown by the skirmism, insignificant in itself, reported to the czar. The engagement occurred near Pak Chieng and resulted in the retirement of the Russians without loss after killing one Japanese officer and one private.

Russian Warship Grounded

Algiers, March 28.—The Russian torpedo boat destroyer Buini, while entering this port, went aground and sustained extensive damage. The vessel must be docked.

Story of Mine Under Fortress

St. Petersburg, March 28.—A report from Vladivostok says that a mine has been discovered under the fortress with wires leading to a Chinese house in the town.

Martial Law at New Chwang

Tien Tsin, March 28.—It is officially announced here that at noon yesterday the Russians proclaimed New Chwang under marital law.

Kuropatkin at the Front

Mukden, March 28.—General Kuropatkin arrived here yesterday and proceeded to the headquarters of Viceroy Alexieff.

—The League of German Wheelmen has arranged to send a team of bicycle polo players and several fancy riders to the St. Louis Exposition next summer; in addition, there will be a number of German racing men, who will compete in the events during the first week of August.

BANGING AT PORT ARTHUR

Strenuous Efforts of Japanese to Bottle Up Russians

EARLY MORNING ATTACK

Enemy Replied to by Batteries and Guardships and Retired, Returning Later and Renewing Battle--Infernal Machines on Fireships Rendered Harmless by Brave Officers--St Petersburg Officials Think That Makaroff Considers His Fleet Strong Enough to Fight--Possible Land Movements of Japs

St. Petersburg, March 28.—Vice Admiral Makaroff, commanding the Russian naval forces at Port Arthur, has sent the following telegram to the emperor, under date of March 27:

"I beg most humbly to report that at 2 o'clock this morning the enemy made a second attempt to block the entrance to the inner roadstead. For this purpose they dispatched four large merchant steamers, convoyed by six torpedo boats, to the entrance.

"The enemy's ships were promptly discovered by the searchlights and were bombarded by the batteries and by the guardships Bohr and Ovtjany.

"Fearing the enemy's ships might break through, Lieutenant Krinizki, commanding the guard torpedo boat Stilni, attacked the enemy and destroyed the bow of the foremost Japanese steamer with a torpedo. This steamer turned to the right and was followed by two others, with the result that the three were stranded to the right of the entrance. A fourth steamer went to the right of the enemy's ships and likewise sank to the side of the fairway. The Etilni then battled with the enemy's six torpedo boats. Engineer Artificer Swereff and six seamen were killed and the commander and 12 seamen were wounded.

"At daybreak the enemy's battleship and cruiser squadrons appeared and I proceeded with the fleet under my charge to meet the enemy.

"The second attempt of the Japanese to block the entrance to Port Arthur has failed, thanks to the energetic defense by the sea and land forces who acted as they did during the first attempt. The harbor remains perfectly clear."

A further telegram to the emperor from Vice Admiral Makaroff says:

"I respectfully report that the enemy having withdrawn, I returned to the harbor with the fleet.

"The torpedo boat destroyer Silni, which stranded on a reef in consequence of damage caused to her engines by one of the enemy's shells, was floated during the course of the night and entered the harbor, thanks to the energy of her crew. Her commander, Lieutenant Krinizki, who was slightly wounded in the arm, did not quit his post.

"On the fireships were infernal machines, the wires connected with which were cut by Lieutenant Kedroff and Ensign Pilsousky of the regulars, whom I dispatched on this task. They boarded one of the steamers as soon as it stopped, cut the electric wire and extinguished the fire which would have filled up the entrance of the harbor to the roadstead.

"In the morning a floating mine was found bearing an infernal machine, but the latter was successfully removed.

"Inspection made showed that the steamers utilized as fireships were not old. They were each of about 2000 tons and they were armed with light calibre guns."

The news of the repulse of Vice Admiral Togo's second attempt to block Port Arthur created much rejoicing in the Russian capital and among all classes the gallantry of the Stini and her commander is the subject of high praise; but, above all the moral effect of Vice Admiral Makaroff's willingness to engage the enemy, showing that he considered himself strong enough to fight, produced a big impression.

In high official circles this new effort to bottle up the Russian fleet is looked upon as meaning only one thing, namely, that the Japanese are preparing for a heavy landing of troops in the Gulf of Liao Tung, either at New Chwang or on the west coast of the Manchurian neutral zone, to effect which in safety the immobility of Vice Admiral Makaroff's fleet is absolutely essential while the transports are being conveyed around the southern end of the peninsula. If the attempt had succeeded, it would have required several days at least to blow up the steamers and clear away the wreckage, during which time the Japanese would be assured of noninterference in the carrying out of their purpose. The failure of the Japanese yesterday may seriously hamper their plans, as the ice in the Liao river is going out and when the river is free from ice its mouth can be easily mined.

The conviction continues to grow here that the Japanese have concluded it inadvisable to make a direct frontal attack on Manchuria from Korea against the whole Russian army and that it will be necessary to land a flanking column in the Gulf of Liao Tung to divide the attention of the Russians and, if possible, to seize the railroad and cut off Port Arthur. The ground above New Chwang is perfectly familiar to the Japanese, who occupied it for a year during the Chino-Japanese war.

Some experts even go so far as to express the belief that Vice Admiral Togo was covering the movement of transports in the Gulf of Liao Tung yesterday and that, therefore, he was compelled to exercise great caution and to decline the Russian offer of an engagement. Another view of the Japanese admiral's purpose, which is less entertained, is that he believed that the bombardments from Pigeon Bay would be disastrous to the Russian fleet if it were compelled to remain in the harbor, he having ascertained from observation that the Russian ships always pass out during the high angle bombardments, and that a big shell dropped on a battleship might easily pierce the deck and, exploding, completely destroy the vessel.

Military Commander's Report

St. Petersburg, March 28.—The following official dispatch has been received from General Smyrnoff:

"Port Arthur, March 27: Last night after moonrise the Japanese attempted to block the entrance to the harbor. Four fireships were sent toward the port, convoyed by a torpedo flotilla. Toward 2:15 a. m. the approach of the enemy's ships was perceived by the guardships and batteries, which simultaneously opened upon them heavily. The fireships were preceded by torpedo boats and were followed at a considerable distance by larger ships, which opened fire on the forts, supporting the action of the fireships and torpedo boats.

"Owing to the heaviness of our artillery fire and the boldness of our torpedo boats, the fireships did not reach the entrance to the harbor. Two of them grounded on a reef under Golden Hill, another sank behind the first turn of the channel, struck by a torpedo from one of our boats, and the fourth sank, with its bow touching a Japanese steamer sunk in the previous attempt off Majatschnaja Goroda. The entrance to the harbor remains clear.

"A Hotchkiss one-inch-calibre quick-firer was found aboard one of the sunken steamers, from which a fire had been kept up on our torpedo boats. A boat left each of the sunken ships carrying their crews. One of these is believed to have been picked up.

"Towards 4 o'clock a. m. the enemy's torpedo boats retired and the bombardment ceased. Vice Admiral Makaroff at once proceeded in a steam launch to inspect the enemy's sunken steamers.

"The enemy's torpedo boats reappeared at 5 o'clock this morning. They were sighted south of Port Arthur and the batteries reopened on them. Towards 6 o'clock the enemy's squadron appeared on the horizon and our's steamed out to meet it. At 6:30 the batteries opened fire. Our ships' batteries soon ceased, the Japanese drawing off to the southeast, evidently declining an engagement. At 10 o'clock they disappeared below the horizon."

Korean Doubts Allayed

Seoul, March 28.—Marquis Ito and his suite, with the exception of General Ijichi, the former Japanese military attache here, have left for Tokio. The visit of the marquis has resulted in fully reassuring the Koreans, allaying all doubts as to the intentions of the Japanese government and paving the way for the extension of Japanese influence in Korea. The marquis has continually advised the gradual adoption of the reform measures suggested and opposed any increase in the army. The acceptance of the Japanese advice is now beyond question. The mission of Marquis Ito has lessened the political friction and has made easier the task of those who ultimately may advise the Korean government.

Mines In Liao River]

Washington, March 28.—The Russian government has notified the United States government that it has mined the mouth of the Liao river. This was supposed to be neutral territory, but the action of Russia puts it within the field of hostilities.

Davis Sure of Nomination

Little Rock, March 28.—Returns from a majority of counties show that Governor Davis probably has carried enough counties to give him the Democratic nomination for a third term.

The Nerves

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CITY BREVITIES.

Holy week.

Easter next Sunday.

The snow falls of Sunday and today swell the list to about forty.

Miss Minnie Brown of Norwood is the guest of Mrs. Herbert B. Seller of Pray street.

Our enterprising builder, John Chisholm, has several new houses under way in the vicinity of Edison street.

Miss Lilian Hersey of Portland, Me., who has been visiting in Boston and Dorchester, called on friends in this city last week.

The Pro Christo Society of the Quincy Point church will meet with Mrs. R. H. Newcomb of Winter street on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The better the day the better the deed, is what some of the residents of Thompson street thought Sunday. However their lawns look much improved.

The Sunday School of the Methodist Episcopal church is preparing for the usual Easter concert. Rev. J. F. Lockwood of Hyde Park will preach conference Sunday.

Parents are requested to bring their children to St. Chrysostom's church for baptism on the afternoon of Easter day April 3,at 3.30 o'clock. The service of baptism is held by itself before the Sunday school Easter festival.

The incendiary craze is rife in Atlantic, and no field or yard with fairly long grass has been spared the match. If the flames chance to get beyond control, caps, jackets and boots are used ruthlessly and fond parents must shed tears over their offsprings when they return, dirty, smoky and disheveled, to the sheltering roof, woefully late for dinner.

There was an unusually interesting meeting of the Young People's Religous Union, First church, Sunday evening, which deserved a much larger attendance. Mr. Herbert P. Arnold read from Farrar's "Life of Christ," the chapter on Palm Sunday. All are cordially invited to attend the regular meetings.

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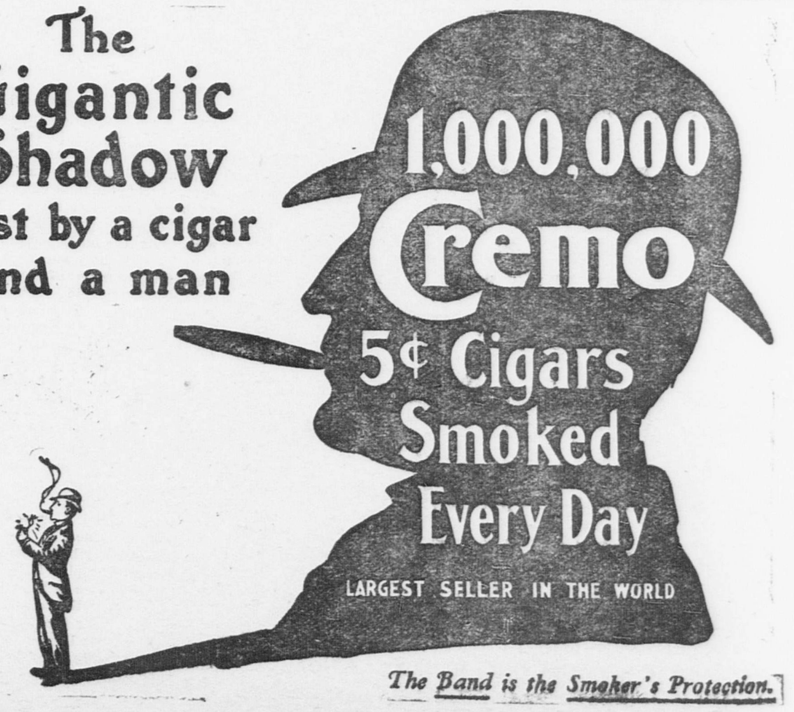
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SPRING FRESHETS

Bridges and Small Mills Swept Away In Northern Vermont

RAILROADS ALSO SUFFER

Considerable Damage Done In New Hampshire, Where Lowlands Along the Merrimack Are Flooded and Dams Broken

Burlington, Vt., March 28.—The mild weather of Friday and Saturday unloosened the snow and ice in northern Vermont to such an extent that freshets have occurred throughout the region causing more or less damage along the river banks, as well as impeding railroad traffic. A number of bridges have gone down before the great masses of moving ice, and several small mills along the White river have been swept away.

At Gaysville a sawmill and a bobbin mill were carried away. Both buildings were owned by F. E. Sufford, who estimates his loss at $10,000.

The ice went out of the Lamoiville and Winooski rivers, but not without carrying down several barns and small buildings along the banks. The island bridge on the highway at Richford was carried away, as well as two railroad bridges on the Canadian Pacific, one at Farnham and the other at Queen. Railroad traffic between Richford and West Berkshire was completely cut off and the mail train from Montreal for Boston was over six hours late.

New Hampshire Has Floods

Manchester, N. H., March 28.—Specials to The Union from different parts of the state show that the spring floods have begun and have already done considerable damage. North of Concord the Merrimack has risen rapidly and the lowlands are overflowed. Reports from the Sugar river district at Newport state that a bad ice jam has formed at Gorges railroad bridge and that dynamite was used to start it, but without effect. It is feared that the bridge will be carried away. The dam at C. S. Gile's factory and the one at Fairbanks & Door, about two miles from Newport, have been carried away.

One half of the dam at East Weir went out and the stable of John M. Fox was carried away. On the Claremont branch the tracks at Warner and Bradford have been under water, but the river there is falling.

The Merrimack in this city rose rapidly, but is still considerably below the danger point.

Caught by Swirling Waters

Richford, Vt., March 28.—While standing on the bank of the Missisquoi river, watching the breaking up of the ice, H. E. Rustedt, a lawyer, was carried out into the rushing waters and drowned. Two other men who were with him on the same ice cake managed to leap ashore. Hundreds of people, powerless to aid, saw Rustedt go to his death.

Bathhouse Gets a Move On

Springfield, Mass., March 28.—The city bathhouse was swept from its moorings in the Connecticut river by the high water, floated down the steram and over the Thompsonville, Conn., dam and on down the river. It will be a total wreck. It cost about $3000.

Blocked For Fifty-One Days

Bucksport, Me., March 28.—After being closed 51 days by ice, by far the longest time ever known, the harbor was opened by steamer Merryconeag breaking up what ice she encountered without much difficulty.

Rain Was Badly Needed

Dexter, Me., March 28.—Heavy rains have caused the rivers in this part of the state to rise rapidly and enabled mills that have been practically idle for months on account of low water to resume business.

Would Leave Convent to Wed

Dubuque, Ia., March 28.—After spending seven years in the cloister, Sister Annette has made application to Archbishop Kean for a dispensation freeing her from her vows in order that she may wed one of her music pupils, Harold Stevenson.

Election Frauds In Cuba

Havana, March 28.—Telegrams from Santiago report that all the members of the provincial electoral board of scrutiny have been arrested on the charge of falsifying the results of the elections for congressmen.

An Unusual Spectacle

Berea, O., March 28.—A main pipe of the Standard Oil company, which crosses near the river here, burst last night. The oil caught fire, the current carrying the fire down the stream for several miles.

Rathbone Again Makes Appeal

Washington, March 28.—Senator Platt (Conn.), chairman of the senate committee on relations with Cuba, has received from E. G. Rathbone an appeal for a review of his case by congress.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Tuesday, March 29.
Sun rises—5:33; sets—6:07.
Moon sets—4:21 p. m.
High water—9:15 a. m.; 9:45 p. m.

Unsensonably cold weather prevails generally east of the Mississippi. Fair weather will prevail in New England. The temperature will rise.

MASTER'S NOTICE OF SALE.

THE QUINCY GRANITE QUARRIES COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the decree of foreclosure and sale made and entered by the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Massachusetts on the twenty-sixth day of February, 1904, in a certain cause in Equity pending in said Court entitled "American Loan and Trust Company, complainant, vs. The Quincy Granite Quarries Company, Defendant, John K. Hayward, et a's., Complainants, vs. The Quincy Granite Quarries Company, Defendant; Consolidated Causes;" I, Walter B. Farr, Special Master, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder or bidders upon the mortgaged premises at the office of The Quincy Granite Quarries Company, situated on the Hitchcock Quarry property, so-called, on Quarry street, in the City of Quincy, in said District of Massachusetts, on WEDNESDAY, the fourth day of May, 1904, at eleven o'clock A. M., all the real estate and personal property of every nature and description embraced in and covered by the mortgage executed by the Quincy Granite Quarries Company to the American Loan and Trust Company, dated March 10, 1900, upon which the said mortgage is adjudicated by said decree to be a lien, said real estate being described as follows:—

1. A certain parcel of land situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:—Westerly on land of Elcock Brothers, there measuring about two hundred and eighty feet; Northerly on land of the Granite Railroad Company and others, there measuring thirty-four feet; Easterly on land now or late of the Adams Real Estate Trust, there measuring about two hundred and ninety feet; and Southerly on land of Badger Brothers, there measuring one hundred and thirty feet. Containing twenty-two thousand nine hundred and sixty square feet of land.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by John Quincy Adams, et. al. Trustees, by deed dated June 20, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 7.

2. Also a certain other parcel of land thirty feet wide, situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point at the dividing line between land of Tobias H. Burke et. al., and land of Badger Brothers, which point is eighty feet southwesterly from the Westerly line of Willard street, and continuing in the same direction, bounding Northwesterly on land of said Badger Brothers, about thirty-one and 6-10 feet; there turning and running in a direct line nearly Southerly; bounding Westerly on land now or late of said Tobias H. Burke, et. al. about one hundred and ninety-seven and 5-10 feet to a point in the Northwesterly line of a certain private way, which point is one hundred and fifty-three and 33-100 feet Southwesterly from the Westerly line of Willard Street; there turning and running Northeasterly by the Northwesterly line of said private way, thirty-three and 33-100 feet to a point in said Northwesterly line of said way, which point is one hundred and twenty feet Southwesterly from the Westerly line of said Willard Street; there turning and running in a direct line nearly Northerly bounding Easterly on land of said Tobias H. Burke, et al., one hundred and ninety-two and 64-100 feet to land of said Badger Brothers, and the point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Tobias H. Burke, et al., by deed dated June 20, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 178, and the same are subject to the condition and easement set forth in said deed.

3. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the Northerly corner of the premises, at land of the Granite Railway Company; thence running Southeasterly on land formerly of John Quincy Adams, et al., about ninety-two feet; thence running Easterly on said land, about four hundred and thirty-five feet; thence turning an acute angle and running Southwesterly on land formerly of Robertson, about thirteen hundred and fifty-nine feet; thence running Northwesterly on land formerly of O. T. Rogers Estate, about two hundred and sixty feet; thence Northeasterly on land formerly of Robertson, nine hundred and seventy-nine feet to the point of beginning. Containing seven and 5-100 acres of land.

4. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point in the Westerly line of Willard Street, at the Easterly corner of land of Burke Brothers; thence running Southeasterly on Willard Street, about thirty-six feet; thence running Southwesterly on land of the Co-operative Granite Company, about ninety feet; thence running Southeasterly on said land two hundred and two and 35-100 feet; thence running Southwesterly on a private way, and land supposed to be of Keenan, about one hundred and eighteen feet; thence running Northwesterly one hundred and twenty-eight and 5-10 feet; thence Southwesterly eighty-five feet; thence Southeasterly, two hundred and seventeen feet, all on land supposed to be of said Keenan; thence Southerly on lands supposed to be of Keenan, McGrath, Dunphy and Clemens, about three hundred feet; thence Southwesterly on land formerly of Robertson and land of owners unknown, about eight hundred and sixty-two feet; thence Northwesterly on land of the Granite Railway Company two hundred and eighty-two and 5-10 feet; thence Southwesterly on land of said Railway Company, six hundred and ninety-seven and 5-10 feet; thence Northwesterly on land of John Quincy Adams, et al., and owners unknown three hundred and sixty feet; thence Northeasterly on land formerly of Robertson and land of Berry and land formerly of Reinhalter, about fourteen hundred and two and 7-10 feet; thence Southeasterly about thirty-four feet and Northeasterly about three hundred and five feet on land formerly of The Quincy Quarry Company; thence Northeasterly on land of Badger Brothers, three hundred and twenty-five and 5-10 feet; thence Southeasterly on land of Burke Brothers, one hundred and eighty-nine feet; thence Northeasterly on land of Burke Brothers, one hundred and sixty-eight feet to the point of beginning. Containing twenty-two and 45-100 acres of land.

The last two described parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by John Quincy Adams, et al., Trustees, by deed dated October 1, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 703, Fol. 266.

5. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Northerly on land late of the Adams Real Estate Trust, about two hundred and ninety-three feet; Easterly by the Granite Railway Company, about two hundred and seventy-eight feet; Southerly about one hundred ninety three feet on land of Thomas McGrath; Westerly on land of Adams Real Estate Trust, about eighty-eight feet; Southwesterly on said last named land, about two hundred and twenty-four feet; and Westerly on said land, about eighty-five feet. Containing one and one-half acres of land more or less.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by two deeds, one given by Ellen C. Keenan, Guardian, dated July 28, 1893, recorded with said Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 5.

6. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, triangular in form, containing about forty-two hundred and thirty-five square feet, bounded:—Westerly on land now or formerly of Berry Brothers, about one hundred seventy feet; Easterly on land of Reinhalter, about one hundred fifty-two 5-10 feet; and Southerly on land of the Quincy Quarry Company, about fifty-one and 7-10 feet.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Alphonse Reinhalter by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 703, Fol. 261.

7. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Northeasterly corner of the premises at land of Alphonse Reinhalter, thence running Westerly on land of said Reinhalter and land of the Quincy Quarry Company, seventy-two feet to a stake; thence Southeasterly on a line eight feet distant from and parallel with the centre line of railroad location of said Quincy Quarry Company, one hundred eighty-eight and 8-10 feet to a stake; thence Northerly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company and said Reinhalter, one hundred fifty-four and 2-10 feet to the point of beginning. Containing about four thousand one hundred and forty feet.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Walter A. Berry, et al., by deed dated December 5, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 706, Fol. 406.

8. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, thirty feet wide, running through the property of James H. Elcock, et al., as shown on a plan made by H. T. Whitman, C. E., dated May, 1893. The North and South boundary lines thereof are each parallel with and fifteen feet distant from the red line as shown on said plan.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by James H. Elcock, et al., by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 564.

9. Also a certain other parcel of land, triangular in form, situated in said Quincy, containing about fourteen hundred and fifty square feet, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Easterly corner of the premises at the centre of a private way at land now or late of Alphonse Reinhalter; thence Northeasterly along the centre line of said private way and on land now or late of said Reinhalter, sixty-three and 5-10 feet; thence Southwesterly on land of James H. Elcock, et al., fifty-nine and 65-100 feet to the centre of another private way and to land now or late of said Reinhalter; thence Easterly along the centre line of said private way and land of said Reinhalter, fifty-nine feet to the point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by James H. Elcock, et al., by deed dated February 1, 1894, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 710, Fol. 50.

10. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called West Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the most Northerly corner of the premises at land now or formerly of C. F. Adams, and thence running Southerly one hundred and thirty-two feet to land now or late of W. A. Berry; thence running Southwesterly by the last named land, one hundred and fourteen feet; thence Southerly by the same, two hundred and seventeen feet; thence Northeasterly by the same, two hundred and sixty-three feet to land now or late of C. F. Adams; thence Southwesterly by last named land as indicated by certain stone heaps, about eleven hundred and sixty-five feet to a stone heap between maple trees; thence running Northwesterly by the "Six hundred acre lot," so-called, one hundred and seventy-eight feet to land now or late of C. F. Adams; thence Northeasterly by last named land and other land, about thirteen hundred and fifty four and one half feet to the point begun at. Being the parcel marked "Wigwam Lot," on a plan of Wood lots belonging to Joseph W. Robertson, situated in West Quincy, made by Whitman and Breck, Surveyors, the line of said parcel thereon being tinted red, and containing according to said plan, twelve and three-fourths acres. Excepting from the above described parcel a small lot of land of about one-fourth of an acre conveyed by Joseph W. Robertson to the Oriental Powder Mills, by deed dated February 2, 1888, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 601, Fol. 205, and the said premises are subject to the rights of way therein given.

11. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called West Quincy, and also shown as tinted red on said last mentioned plan, and containing according to said plan, twelve and 68-100 acres bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a stone bound at the Northeasterly corner of the premises at land now or late of C. F. Adams, and thence running Southwesterly by said last named land, nine hundred and seventy-nine feet; thence Northwesterly by a line indicated by certain stone heaps, eight hundred and nineteen feet to land now or late of E. H. Adams; thence Northeasterly by land last mentioned about five hundred and twenty-one feet to land conveyed by said J. W. Robertson to McGilvray and Jones; thence southeasterly by last named land, four hundred and five feet; thence Northeasterly by the same, four hundred and five feet to land now or late of the Granite Railway Company; and thence Southeasterly by last named land, three hundred and seventy feet to the point of beginning.

The last two described parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Barnabas Clarke, et al., by deed dated June 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 350.

12. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in the Westerly part of said Quincy, being strip thirty feet wide, running through the property of Michael Horrigan, et al., each boundary line thereof running parallel with and fifteen feet distant from the red line as shown upon the Plan of Land and Railroad owned by the Quincy Quarry Company as drawn by H. T. Whitman, Civil Engineer, dated May, 1893.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Michael Horrigan, et. al., by deed dated July 25, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 563.

13. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the most Southerly corner of the premises, which corner adjoins Deane and Horrigan's land on one side and the Quincy Quarry Company's land on the other side it runs in a Northeasterly direction, two hundred and eighty feet; from thence in a Northwesterly direction, five hundred and twenty-six feet to a point adjoining McDonnell and Sons' land on one side and Jones and Desmond's on the other side; from thence in a Southwesterly direction, three hundred and fifteen feet; and from this point in a Southeasterly direction, five hundred and twenty-five feet. This tract contains three and 45-100 acres, according to a plan made by H. T. Whitman, Civil Engineer.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Thomas H. McDonnell, et. al., by deed dated August 30, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 69.

14. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the Southeasterly corner of the premises at land of Deane and Horrigan; thence running Northwesterly on said land and land of McDonald, six hundred thirty-six and 3-10 feet to land formerly of Jones and Desmond; thence Northwesterly on said land, three hundred forty and 7-10 feet to a stake and stones; thence Easterly on said land, one hundred feet to land formerly of John Swithin, et. al., and John Jones; thence Northerly on said land, about three hundred and forty feet to land formerly of John Lavers; thence Westerly on said land of Lavers, two hundred twenty-five 65-100 feet to land formerly of Baker; thence Easterly on said land, about two hundred sixty-two feet; thence Southeasterly still on said land two hundred and ninety-one feet; thence Southerly still on said land to land formerly of B. Clarke, two hundred and twenty-seven feet and 75-100; thence Southeasterly on said land, about four hundred three and 5-10 feet to land formerly owned by John Swithin, et. al., and John Jones; thence Easterly on said land about seven hundred sixty-three feet to the point of beginning. Containing about four teen and 95-100 acres.

15. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Southerly corner of the premises at land formerly of John Swithin, et. al., and said Jones; thence Northeasterly on said land, about two hundred seventy-six feet to a stake and stones; thence Northwesterly still on said land, about one hundred forty-nine feet to a stake and stones; thence Westerly still on said land, about twenty-six feet to a stake and stones; thence Northwesterly still on said land; about one hundred feet to a stake and stones; thence Southwesterly still on said land, about two hundred seventy-seven and 5-10 feet to a stake and stones; thence Northwesterly still on said land thirty-three feet to a stake and stones; thence Southwesterly on land now or late of S. Lombard, about one hundred and forty-five feet to a stake and stones; and thence Southeasterly on land known as the Quincy Wood Lot, about three hundred and forty-three feet to the point of beginning. Containing about two acres.

Subject to rights of way if any over the two thirty-three foot streets shown on plan of G. A. Devlin, November, 1891.

The two foregoing parcels being a portion of the premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by deed dated July 28, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 73, from John Swithin, et. al.

16. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at the Westerly corner of land formerly owned by McDonnell; thence extending in a Northerly direction through land of John Jones to land of John Swithin and others. Said strip of land is thirty feet wide. The Easterly and Westerly boundary lines are parallel with and fifteen feet distant from the centre line of the railroad location of the Quincy Quarry Company.

Being the same premises conveyed to the said Quincy Quarry Company by John Jones, by deed dated December 20, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 813, Fol. 372.

17. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing five acres more or less, bounded and dscribed as follows:—Beginning at an Oak tree on the Southerly side of a cartway leading to Pikes Peak and running Southerly four hundred and thirty-two feet to a stake; thence running Easterly at right angles, four hundred and twenty-five feet to a stake; thence turning and running at right angles Northerly, two hundred and twenty-seven and 75-100 feet to a stake; thence Northwesterly, two hundred and ninety-one feet to the centre of an old road; thence still Northwesterly along the centre line of said road and then Southwesterly along the centre line of the cartway first mentioned in all two hundred and sixty-two feet to a point opposite said Oak tree; thence at right angles Southerly about eight feet to the point of beginning at said oak tree.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Thomas H. McDonnell, by deed dated August 22, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 68.

18. Also a certain other parcel of land, being a strip thirty feet wide, situated in said Quincy, bounded:—Beginning at land formerly of John Jones; thence extending in a Northerly direction about six hundred seventy feet to land of Barnabas Clarke. The Easterly and Westerly boundary lines of said parcel are fifteen feet distant from and parallel with the centre line of the railroad location of the Quincy Quarry Company.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by deed from John Swithin, et. al., dated December 20, 1893 recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 813, Fol. 372.

19. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing about eleven acres, bounded:—Northerly on the dividing line between Milton and said Quincy, on land now or late of Samuel Babcock; Easterly on land of the Shawmut Spring Water Company, on land of Prout Brothers Granite Company, Frederick J. Fuller and Barnabas Clarke; Southerly on land formerly of Josiah Quincy; and Westerly on land of the Quincy Quarry Company.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Frederic J. Fuller by deed dated August 29, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 699, Fol. 422.

20. Also a certain other parcel of land, called the "Robbins Lot," situated in said Quincy bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point on the line between Milton and Quincy on land now or late of Fenno, near land now or formerly of heirs of one Root; thence running Northeasterly by the Town Line and bounding on said Fenno land to land of Glover (now or formerly); thence turning and running Southeasterly on said Glover land to land of Bowman; thence turning and running Southwesterly on land of said Bowman and land of Churchill to land of John M. Forbes; thence turning and running Northwesterly on said Forbes land to the point of beginning, or how ever otherwise bounded or described.

Being a portion of the premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Charles Breck by deed dated June 30, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 698, Fol. 3.

21. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing about two and three-eighths acres, bounded and described as follows:—Southerly on land now or formerly of Josiah Quincy; Southwesterly on land now or formerly of Edward Robbins; Northerly on land now or formerly of Fenno; and Easterly on land now or formerly of Field and others.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Eunice A. Adams, by deed dated June 24, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 349.

22. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, being three acres of wood land, more or less, bounded:—Northerly on land formerly belonging to Edward H. Robbins; Easterly on land now or late of Ezra Glover, Southerly by land now or late of Asaph Churchill.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Barnabas Clarke, by deed dated October 17, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 703, Fol. 267.

23. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, as shown on a plan of wood land of the late J. M. Churchill, made by Charles Breck, Surveyor, dated June, 1875, recorded with Norfolk deeds, bounded and described as follows:—Northerly by land now or formerly of estate of J. M. Robbins, three hundred and forty two-feet; and by land of the heirs of Samuel Littlefield, six hundred and sixty-nine feet; Easterly by land of A. H. Bowman, four hundred and ten feet; Southerly by land of Josiah Quincy, one thousand and two feet; and Westerly by land of heirs of H. N. Glover, three hundred and thirty-five feet, and containing about eight and one-half acres.

The two foregoing parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Andrew Milne, by deed dated June 26, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 70.

24. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the Southeasterly corner of the premises at land now or formerly of John Swithin and others at a stake and stones; thence Northerly about four hundred and fifty-four feet to a stake and stones; thence Westerly about twenty-two hundred and fifty-five feet to a stake and stones; thence Southerly about four hundred and eighteen feet to land of the heirs of O. T. Rogers; thence Easterly about twenty-four hundred and thirty-six feet to the point of beginning. Containing about twenty-three acres. Being lot "A" on a plan recorded with Norfolk Deeds, drawn by H. T. Whitman, Civil Engineer, dated May, 1893. Excepting from the above described parcel the portion taken by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners for a Public Park.

25. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing five acres of land more or less, bounded as follows:—Beginning at a stake and stones at the Southwest corner of the premises, thence running Northerly on land of Andrew J. Milne, four hundred thirty-two and 36-100 feet; thence turning and running Northeasterly, five hundred and eleven feet to a stake and stones; thence turning and running Southerly five hundred sixty-nine and 7-10 feet to a stake and stones; thence turning and running Westerly three hundred seventy-seven and 1-10 feet to the point of beginning. Being part of lot No. 4 on a plan entitled "Quincy Wood lot, owned by Swithin Bros. and Jones," H. T. Whitman, Surveyor.

The two foregoing parcels being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Andrew Milne by deed dated June 30, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 72.

26. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Beginning at a point at a stake and stones, distant four thousand two hundred fifteen and 8-100 feet Southwesterly from crazy man's Bound, and thence running Southwesterly on land known as the "Six hundred acre lot" about ten hundred and fifty-four feet to a stone heap at the line between the City of Quincy and the Town of Milton; thence running Northerly on said line, about sixteen hundred and eighty feet to a large pine tree; thence running Northeasterly on land of unknown owners by a line running through a series of stone heaps to land of Milne and Chalmers, about seventeen hundred feet; thence running Southerly on said land of Milne and Chalmers and on land formerly of the Glencoe Granite Company, in all about eight hundred and seventy-eight and 74-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Easterly on the last named land, five hundred eleven and 24-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Northerly still on said land to and through an oak tree to land formerly of Milne and Chalmers, five hundred eleven and 24-100 feet; thence running Southeasterly on said last named land, about one hundred thirty-eight and 76-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Northerly still on said land, five hundred sixty-nine and 7-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Northeasterly, four hundred forty-eight and 2-10 feet to a stake and stones at land formerly of Fitzgerald and Collins; thence running Southerly on the last mentioned land, about four hundred and fifty feet to a stake and stones; thence running on said land and on land of John Lavers Southeasterly, about six hundred thirty-two and 16-100 feet to a stake and stones; thence running Southwesterly on land formerly of Swithin Brothers and on land formerly of Baker, about eight hundred twelve and 65-100 feet to a stone heap; thence running Southeasterly on said land of Baker, four hundred and twenty-five feet to land formerly of Swithin Brothers at a stake and stones; thence running a little more Southerly on said last named land, about three hundred forty-nine and 5-10 feet to land conveyed by Barnabas Clarke to Andrew Milne; thence Westerly on said land of Milne, about two thousand two hundred and fifty-five feet to a stake and stones; thence Southerly on said land of Milne, four hundred and eighteen feet to the point of beginning. Containing about one hundred acres.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Barnabas Clarke, by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 67.

Excepting from the above described parcel the portion taken by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners for a Public Park.

27. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, containing about thirty acres, bounded as follows:—Easterly on the Furnace Line, so-called; Southerly on land of Solomon Nightingale and others; Westerly on land formerly of John Savil and others; and Northerly on land formerly of Josiah Quincy and others.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by Frederic J. Fuller, by deed dated June 15, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 696, Fol. 525.

Excepting from the above described parcel the portion taken by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners for a Public Park.

28. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Southerly by land formerly of O. T. Rogers, there measuring seven hundred and ninety-five feet; Westerly by land of B. Clarke, there measuring about four hundred feet; Northerly by land formerly of Swithin Brothers, there measuring about seven hundred and sixty-three feet; and Easterly on land of Dean and Horrigan, there measuring about four hundred feet. Containing about six and one half acres.

Being a portion of the premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by John Jones, by deed dated July 27, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 701, Fol. 64.

29. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a stake and stones distant Southerly in a straight line from another stake and stones located in the Northerly line of land formerly of Swithin, et. al., three hundred and sixty-seven and 50-100 feet, as shown on the plan drawn by H. T. Whitman, entitled "Quincy Wood Lot owned by Swithin Bros. and Jones" recorded with a deed from Swithin, et. al., to John Lavers of lot numbered 1 on said plan, dated March 30, 1889; and thence continuing in the same straight line, five hundred and eleven and 24-100 feet; to a stake and stones; thence turning at a right angle and running Easterly, five hundred and eleven and twenty-four one hundredths feet; thence turning at a right angle and running Northerly, five hundred and eleven and twenty-four one hundredths feet to an oak tree on the Southerly side of an old roadway shown on said plan; thence turning and running Westerly along the Southerly side of said roadway, then crossing the same, and thence in a straight line, following the line shaded brown, to the point of beginning, about five hundred and eleven and twenty-four one-hundredths feet, as shown on said plan. Containing six acres.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Quarry Company by The Glencoe Granite Company, by deed dated October 28, 1895, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 747, Fol. 621.

30. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in that part of said Quincy called West Quincy and shown on a plan made by H. T. Whitman, Surveyor, dated September, 1899, recorded with Norfolk Deeds. Said parcel is bounded and described as follows:—Northerly, two hundred and five feet as shown on said plan; Northeasterly by a curved line on land occupied by the Quincy Quarry Railroad, two hundred and fourteen and 6-10 feet; Southeasterly on land of the Quincy Quarry Company; Northeasterly again on the curved boundary line between the described premises and land of said Quincy Quarry Company, about one hundred and forty six feet; Southeasterly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company, sixty-two and 35-100 feet; Southerly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company, four hundred and twenty-three and 32-100 feet; Westerly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company two hundred and twenty-nine and 67-100 feet; and Northwesterly on land of said Quincy Quarry Company, one hundred and fourteen feet. Said parcel comprises about two and 79-100 acres.

Subject to a right of way in favor of the Oriental Powder Mills as set forth in a deed from Joseph W. Robertson to said Mills, dated February 2, 1888 and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 601, Fol. 205.

Being the same premises conveyed by Walter A. Berry, et. al., to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with said Norfolk Deeds.

31. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Easterly by land of the Granite Railway Company, about one hundred and sixty-two feet and seven inches; Southerly by the same, by land of McGillvray and Jones and by land of the Quincy Quarry Company, about twelve hundred feet; Westerly by land of Dean and Horrigan, about one hundred and eighty-three feet; and Northerly by land now or late of the heirs of Townsend and Clements, about twelve hundred feet.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company by John Cashman by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

32. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at an iron rod at the Northwesterly corner of the premises at land of F. J. Fuller and land of the Quincy Quarry Company; thence Northeasterly by land of said Fuller and land of the Shawmut Spring Water Company, about four hundred and six and 8-10 feet; thence Northerly by land of said Shawmut Spring Water Company, fifty-two and 84-100 feet to a stone bound; thence Southeasterly by land of owners unknown and land of Barnabas Clarke, one hundred and eighty-three feet to a stone bound; thence Southwesterly by land of said Barnabas Clarke, three hundred and thirty-four and 45-100 feet to a stone bound; thence Northwesterly by the same, eighty-three and 75-100 feet to a stone bound; thence more Westerly by the same, one hundred and fifty-seven and 25-100 feet to a stone bound; thence more Northerly by land of the Quincy Quarry Company 212.68-100 feet to the point of beginning. Containing two and 46-100 acres.

Being the same premises conveyed by the Prout Brothers Granite Company to said Quincy Quarries Company by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

33. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Northwesterly by land of the Quincy Quarry Company, about one hundred and sixty-nine and 7-10 feet; Northeasterly by land of said Quincy Quarry Company, four hundred and thirty-two and 36-100 feet; Southerly by land formerly of the Glencoe Granite Company about two hundred and seventy-two and 9-10 feet; and Westerly by land of the Quincy Quarry Company, three hundred and sixty-seven and 5-10 feet. Said parcel comprises two acres and is shown on a plan of land in Quincy belonging to Andrew Milne, dated September, 1899, drawn by H. T. Whitman, recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

Being the same premises conveyed by Andrew Milne to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

34. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Northerly on land belonging to said City of Quincy, one hundred and sixty-six feet; Easterly on land now or late of Nathaniel F. Safford, now or formerly used by him as a private way, six hundred and forty seven feet; Southerly on land now or formerly of said Safford, two hundred and six feet, and Westerly by land now or formerly of Dell and Biganiss, six hundred and forty eight feet.

Being the same premises conveyed by William R. Thomas to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

35. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Northerly on land of the City of Quincy, and land of W. G. A. Pattee, four hundred and fifteen feet; Easterly on land of Mary Errickson, about three hundred and seventy five feet; Southerly by land of Safford, two hundred and ten feet; Easterly again on the same, about two hundred and eighty seven feet; Southerly again by a Roadway in two lines measuring one hundred and seventy seven feet and twenty five feet respectively; and Westerly by land of Thomas, six hundred and forty seven feet.

Being the same premises conveyed by Peter T. Fallon, et al, to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

36. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy bounded as follows:—Easterly by Quarry Street, two hundred and sixty nine feet more or less and on land formerly of Richards Munn and Company, two hundred and twenty one feet more or less; Southerly, five hundred and twenty feet more or less; Southwesterly, five hundred and thirty two feet more or less; and Northerly seven hundred and eighty feet more or less on land formerly of the heirs of Josiah Bass. Containing five and one half acres and twenty two rods more or less or however otherwise bounded, measured or described.

37. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy on the Southwesterly side of Quarry street, bounded as follows:—Beginning at a point at the Northeasterly corner of land now or formerly owned by Eleazer Frederick and William Field as shown on a plan by H. T. Whitman and C. E. C. Breck, November 1871, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds; thence running Northwesterly along said Quarry Street, three hundred and seventy feet more or less to an iron bolt in a rock near the Northerly end of an old wall, said rock is marked with the letter "C" cut in the rock on the Easterly side of the bolt and the letter "S" cut in the rock on the Westerly side of the bolt; thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction along line of land of Nathaniel M. Safford to an iron bolt in a rock; said rock being marked "C" on the East side and the letter "S" cut in the rock on the West side; thence continuing in a straight line to the Northerly line of land now or formerly owned by Eleazer Frederick and William Field, being a distance of two hundred and sixty feet more or less; thence turning and running in an Easterly direction along the line of land now or formerly owned by Eleazer Frederick and William Field, three hundred and eighty five feet more or less to the point of beginning on the southwesterly side of said Quarry Street.

The two parcels of land last above described being the same premises conveyed by Sarah J. F. Carr, et al, to the Quincy Granite Quarries Company, by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds.

38. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Quincy, bounded as follows:—Northerly on Quarry Street, there measuring about four hundred and forty-two feet; Easterly on lands formerly of Thomas Greenleaf, now or late owned by W. G. A. Pattee, there measuring one hundred and forty-two feet; southerly by the "Bass Common" lands, so called, now owned by Fallon, et al., there measuring about four hundred and forty-four feet; and Westerly on private way laid out by the Supervisors of the Adams Temple and School Fund, for about two hundred and seventy-eight feet.

39. Also a certain other parcel of land situated on the Northerly side of said Quarry street in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises at land formerly of said Greenleaf and running Westerly following the Northerly line of Quarry Street a distance of five hundred and fifteen feet to a private way laid out by the said Supervisors: thence turning and running Northerly and bounding Westerly on said private way, sixty feet; thence turning and running Southeasterly and bounding Northerly on said School Fund Lands, eighty feet; thence running Northerly and bounding Westerly on said School Fund Lands, sixty feet; thence running Northweste ly eighty feet to said last mentioned private way; thence running Northeasterly and bounding Northwesterly on said private way, five hundred and twenty-five feet; thence turning and running Northwesterly and bounding Southerly on said private way and lands of the said Funds now leased to the Merry Mount Granite Company, there measuring one hundred and seventy-eight feet; thence running Northeasterly and bounding Southwesterly on lands of said Fund leased to the said Merry Mount Granite Company, there measuring two hundred and seventy-two feet to a stone post; thence running Southeasterly and bounding Northerly on Lands of said Fund, two hund

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	37	47	57	48	50
Monday,	43	47	52	46	44
Tuesday,	—	45	40	48	50
Wednesday,	—	56	53	49	55
Thursday,	—	57	48	40	45
Friday,	—	62	60	49	41
Saturday,	—	66	60	67	61

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Capt. Charles Hunt is seriously ill at his home, off Granite street.

Mrs. Nathan Ames is confined to her home on Whitney road by sickness.

A rehearsal for the Easter music was held at the Point church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Fleming of South street is able to be about once more after her recent illness.

Miss Carrie L. Ingram of Boston, was the guest of Mrs. Jesse F. Curtis over Sunday.

The Quincy Point Social club will dedicate their new club house on Wednesday evening.

Miss Julia Underwood has gone to West Lynn, to spend the Easter vacation, with her sister.

The second annual banquet of the Hiawatha club will be held at Hotel Greenleaf, Tuesday evening, April 12.

Mr. Coutts and family are to move from the Bates block, Chestnut street, to Hancock court the last of the week.

There will be no meeting of the City Council tonight. A special meeting may be called however during the week.

The Charitable Ten of the King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Frank S. Davis, Elm street, tomorrow evening at 7.30.

Miss Lizzie Cady of South Weymouth has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Loud of Washington street the past week.

The Twenty Associates of G. L. Gill Rebekah lodge will give a matinee whist in I. O. O. F. hall on Thursday afternoon,

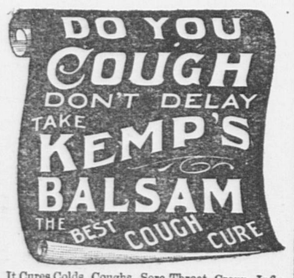
Miss Mollie Dinegan returned from Vassar college on Friday last to spend the Easter holidays at her home on School street.

Charles Frances Adams is one of committee of arrangements for the 150th anniversary of the town of Lincoln to be observed April 23.

The pupils of the Quincy Mansion school gave a fine exhibition of their gymnastic work on Saturday afternoon. Much credit is due their instructor, Miss McKenzie.

Neponset lodge, I. O. O. F., will work the third degree at their hall this evening. A delegation from Mt. Wollaston and John Hancock lodges of this city will attend and witness the work.

Ivers M. Lowe, formerly of this city, but now of Weymouth, was last week reelected superintendent of streets by the board of selectmen, and also elected by the Water commissioners, superintendent of the water works for that town at a salary of $1,600.



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John Duggan of Atlantic street is ill with measles.

Snow has been in the air nearly all day but the temperature is above 40 degrees.

William St. Pierre will have his spring opening of new bicycles tomorrow.

Joseph Pillsbury of Norfolk Downs has gone to Jacksonville, Florida, for an indefinite stay.

The Smart Set whist club has changed its meeting from Wednesday to Tuesday evening of this week.

The Mission Reading Circle will meet with Mrs. A. A. Lincoln of Wollaston on Thursday at 2.30 P. M.

At the Easter apron sale in Memorial church, Atlantic, last week, a net profit of $25 was added to the church fund.

The girls' basket ball team of the Braintree High was defeated by Wellesley High at Wellesley on Saturday 21 to 0.

Mrs. Dorma Caswell, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Jacob Kolb of Clive street, returned Monday to her home in Lawrence.

On Friday at 7.45 there will be a service in the Wollaston Congregational church appropriate to Good Friday, including the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Mrs. Edson Loud who has been with her sister, Mrs. W. N. Loud of Wollaston, during her severe illness, returned to her home in Patterson, N. J., on Saturday.

Rev. Leon H. Austin preached a very able sermon at his church Sunday morning. His subject was "The Last Day with the Disciples." The music by the choir was exceptionally good and added to the service.

A service under the auspices of the Mission Study Club was held at the Wollaston Congregational Church Sunday evening. The speaker was Mrs. Alice G. West of Worcester, and the topic was: "A Missionary Trip through Our Own Country."

The John Adams Chapter of the Junior Sons and Daughters of the Revolution have been very successful in arranging for their entertainment at Colonial hall next Friday evening and can promise an entertaining entertainment of readings, music and stereopticon pictures.

Mrs. Thomas F. Atkins died on Friday, March 25, at the age of 75. Her funeral was held Sunday at 3 P. M. at the residence of her son, Mr. William Atkins of 29 Beach street. Rev. Mr. Heath attended the service. There were many beautiful flowers from friends and relatives. Her remains were taken to Sandwich today for burial.

The annual banquet of the Master Builders' Association will be held in Music hall on Wednesday evening. Rear Admiral Francis T. Bowles, of the Fore River Ship building company will be the special guest of the evening and will be one of the speakers. An effort is being made to secure Hon. John D. Long of Hingham as one of the speakers.

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Letters unclaimed for week ending Monday, March 28.

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Mrs. Ada B. Carpenter, Mrs. J. A. Chapelle, Mrs. Ann Colman, Mrs. M. F. Frue, Mrs. E. W. Richards, Mrs. S. F. Richardson.

TODAY'S COURT.

Frank Wicktor, and John Mc Carthy were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until April 4.

John H. Campbell was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Geo. H. Gaillardet was arraigned in for drunkenness at Weymouth. Case continued until April 11.

John H. Cole and William Watelling was arraigned for violating the city ordinance by behaving in a disorderly manner in the public streets of Quincy and were fined $2 each.

Thomas Mc Carthy was arraigned for assault on Rose A. Mc Carthy at Quincy. Case continued until Tuesday morning.

DIED.

ATKINS—In Quincy, March 26, Mrs. Almeda A., wife of Mr. Thomas F. Atkins of 29 Beach street, aged 75 years and 7 months.

SMITH—In Quincy, March 26, Mrs. Sarah, wife of Mr. Charles Smith of 12 Nelson street, aged 46 years.

THE MINERS' STRIKE

Non-Resident Union Leaders Must Get Out of Colorado

Denver, March 28.—Governor Peabody and Attorney General Miller held a long conference at which it is reported a plan for the deportation of non-resident union leaders from the southern Colorado coal fields was discussed. It is proposed to instruct Major Hill, military commander at Trinidad, to secure a special train and escort beyond the borders of the state "Mother" Jones of Pennsylvania and four organizers of the United Mine Workers of America.

Martial Law In Earnest

Trinidad, Col., March 28.—A squad of soldiers seized "Mother" Jones and Joseph Pegini at the Coronado hotel and deported them. The troops are now looking for two members of the executive board of the United Mine Workers of America.

Not Accustomed to Clothing

St. Louis, March 28.—The antics of the 300 members of the savage tribes of the Philippine Islands who have arrived here have made them the objects of the livellest interest. They had persisted in throwing part of their clothing from the car windows and when they arrived here many of them wore blankets hurriedly furnished by the Burlington railroad. The sudden change to cold weather has developed symptoms of pneumonia in many of the Filipinos.

Grievance of Tourists

Messina, Sicily, March 28.—Three hundred and twenty-two Americans on board the Hamburg-American line steamer Auguste Victoria arrived here yesterday morning and left last night for Naples. On receiving a notification that they must transfer at Naples to steamer Columbia they had an indignation meeting, claiming that the company had violated its contract. The meeting appointed a committee to take legal measures against the company.

The Flood In Michigan

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 28.—Flood conditions in this city and nearby towns along the Grand river are very grave. The river gauge here shows a depth of 19.3 feet, three feet above the previous high water record—that of 1844. The water is now falling slightly, however, the drop in temperature having checked the small streams and surface drainage. The inhabitants of flooded houses are suffering greatly from cold and lack of food.

Resigned by Request

Tokio, March 28.—The committee investigating the case of Editor Akiyama has reported that it was unable to find any clear evidence proving that Akiyama was a Russian spy, but that Akiyama's newspaper showed that he was prepared to sacrifice the national interest for private gain. The committee recommended that Akiyama resign his seat in parliament. The house adopted the report and Akimaya resigned.

Women Caught In Big Raid

New York, March 28.—Simultaneous raids were made on three alleged pool rooms by the police and about 350 prisoners, including 40 women, were captured. All of the houses were within a stone's throw of a police station. Entrance was effected in each instance by battering down heavy steel armored doors. All the persons arrested were permitted to go with the exception of the alleged proprietors and clerks.

Death In Auto Accident

New York, March 28.—Four persons in an automobile owned and driven by Jerome Yeager were thrown out while the car was swinging around a sharp curve in Central park. Miss Florence Maas was killed and Solomon Strook was seriously injured. The rest escaped unhurt.

"Most Dangerous" Are Slain

Dewitt, Ark., March 28.—Two more negroes have been put to death in the eastern part of this county, making 11 negroes that have been killed as the result of the rioting which began last Monday. It is the belief that the most dangerous negroes have been slain and no further trouble is looked for.

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THAYER ACADEMY

Students Give a Gymnastic Exhibition at Town Hall.

The gymnastic exhibition of the Thayer Academy Athletic Association Saturday evening in the Braintree Town Hall was largely attended by Braintree, Quincy, Randolph and Holbrook friends of the school and was an enjoyable entertainment.

Among the 34 contestants were five from Quincy, viz: Carl Sheppard, Allan Arnold, Ralph Doble, Roscoe Ricker and Carl Marsh.

The events were won as follows:

High Dive — George Kelly first, Sprague second, Littlefield third. Distance 5ft. 2 3-4 in.

Fifteen-yard dash—Kelly first, Carson second, Kingsbury third. No time taken.

High jump—Rudderham first, Morrison second, Carson third. Distance 5 ft. 3-4 in.

Seniors' potato race—Kelly first, Arnold second, Grant third.

Juniors' potato race—Dow first, Marsh second, French third.

Sack race—Bryant first, Marsh second Davenport third.

There were also a stick drill, club swinging, and pyramids. Dancing concluded the festivities.

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NORFOLK ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

BARTHOLOMEW FLAHERTY,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by James Flaherty of Quincy, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.
March 28. 28-4-11

Holy Week Services.

Special services will be held this week at Bethany Congregational church in commemoration of Holy Week, with out-of-town speakers. The subjects and speakers will be:

Tuesday evening, "Jesus' View of Life," Rev. Emery L. Bradford, East Weymouth.

Wednesday evening, "God's Will in the Life of Jesus," Rev. F. W. Burrows, Braintree.

Thursday evening, "Our Savior in Gethsemane," Rev. H. S. Huntington, Milton.

Friday evening, "The Meaning of the Cross," Rev. T. H. Vincent, North Weymouth.

The services of Sunday were also in keeping with Holy Week, the pastor preaching on "The Religion of Christmindedness" and "The Sacrament of Service."

—Whitcomb & Paine company, shoe manufacturers of Holbrook have made an assignment to Edward F. Keene of Whitman. Liabilities are stated to be about $40,000, of which $9,000 is secured. No statement is available as to assets. The firm was established in 1858.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Mrs. Forest Lawrence, aged 42, committed suicide at South Gardiner, Me., by taking strychnine. She had been ill and despondent.

Brevet Major General Thomas O. Osborne, for many years United States minister to the Argentine republic, died at Washington of apoplexy.

Mrs. Cornelia G. Willis, widow of the author, N. P. Willis, died at Washington, aged 80. The funeral will be held in New Bedford, Mass., her girlhood home.

Colonel Needles of the Dawes Indian commission states that he has not resigned and has no intention of doing so.

City Marshal James Fogerty of Dover, N. H., died suddenly of neuralgia of the heart. He was 65 years old.

Limmick Bloestein died at Elmira, N. Y. He was born 114 years ago in Kurland, Russia. He has a brother at Elmira, who claims to be 109 years old.

In defending himself from a crowd of men who were trying to take a prisoner away from him at New York, Patrolman John Gilligan shot and fatally wounded James Melaney.

Governor Cummins of Iowa, who has been suffering from pneumonia, is now so much better that he is pronounced out of danger.

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Face Rump Roast,	12 1-2c. lb
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CALIBRE OF BULLET

Not Determined at Autopsy on Body of Parker Dexter.

The Police Are Inclined to Discredit the Story of the Brother.

But Have Only Suspicions to Back Them Up---Cruel Treatment Says Father.

The post mortem examination on the body of Parker Dexter of Randolph was performed at the City Hospital in Boston Monday afternoon by Dr. Draper, assisted by a number of physicians, says the Herald. The bullet was found to have entered the left ear just above the passage and had passed outward and backward to the cerebellum, tearing it severely. The bones of the temple were split into several pieces and splinters were driven through the brain.

The skin in front of the ear, just below the hair, was burned by the powder showing that the pistol had been held close to the ear when fired. The other organs of the boy were found to be in a healthy condition. The bullet was broken into two pieces and both were flattened. One piece weighed 66 1-2 grains.

The body of the slain boy was taken to his home in Randolph immediately after the examination and arrived early Monday evening. Arrangements are being made for the funeral, which will take place at the Dexter home Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Aside from the autopsy, which the police admit did not strengthen their suspicions, the Ledger finds little new in the case. The two fishermen who took the car at Randolph and went to Mattapan Sunday afternoon have come forward, and it is believed they know nothing about the murder. The man held at Stoughton was merely for drunk and probably knows nothing of the case. The story of Harris is unshaken.

The police are inclined to discredit the story of Harris Dexter, but admit that they are baffled. In such a case, should they not keep their suspicious to themselves, lest they may cruelly wrong the afflicted family.

The Randolph correspondent of the Herald says Mr. Dexter was much annoyed at the photographers who tried to snap pictures of his family, and said he will request District Attorney French to give the police instructions to arrest any man who tries to take a picture on the day of the funeral.

Mr. Dexter went to the Homeopathic Hospital in Boston Monday morning and returned before noon with his wife, who has been confined to the hospital the past few weeks. They arrived on the 10.45 car from Milton and were met by a carriage at the head of Pond street and were then driven to their home. Mr. and Mrs. Dexter occupied the only seat in the open carriage, and the man who drove after them was standing in the rear.

As they approached the house a photographer attempted to take a snap shot of them, but Mr. Dexter was too quick for them, and, pulling the horse blanket from the bottom of the carriage, he threw it over himself and his wife, and the reins were taken by the man in the rear of the carriage.

One of the local police officers was standing near at the time, but did not interfere with the photographer. The team stopped at the side door of the cottage and the occupants of the house came out with umbrellas, and a blanket formed an effective shield from any further attempts at photography.

Mrs. Dexter was shocked by the news of the shooting, but bore up bravely. She stood the journey to her home in Randolph very well, and was feeling even better than was expectad on her arrival. She was much annoyed by the publicity of the affair and outsiders made no attempt to talk with her.

Weymouth Appointments.

The Weymouth selectmen made the following appointments on Monday.

Chief of Police,—Thomas Fitzgerald.

Inspector of Police,—Patrick Butler.

Night Police,—Arthur H. Pratt, John D. Walsh and Michael Allen.

Constable,—Charles J. McMarrow.

Police Officers,—Charles H. Holbrook, Oliver Houghton, William F. Brown, George W. Nash, Frank D. Sherman, Samuel T. Hayden, Charles C. Tinkham, George E. Garey, Thomas B. Loud, John H. Tower, Charles H. McLeod and Lawrence A. Blanchard.

Inspector of Animals,—S. Wilbur Loud.

Inspector of Licensed Slaughter Houses,—George B. Bayley.

STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM

France Sweeps Away All Teaching by Religious Orders

Paris, March 29.—By the decisive majority of 316 to 269 the chamber of deputies last night passed the government bill for the suppression of all forms of teaching by the religious orders. This supplements and completes the work begun by Former Premier Waldeck-Rousseau, in 1901.

The first law suppressed the unauthorized teaching orders which had for a long time carried on their vocation despite the lack of legal sanction. The new law does not make any distinction between authorized and unauthorized congregations, but sweeps away the whole fabric of teaching by religious orders, thus in effect substituting the system of state schools for those heretofore conducted by the orders.

Besides affecting the educational system, the passage of the bill is the achievement of the principal work undertaken by Premier Combes, and it is believed that the premier will now voluntarily retire.

The parliamentary battle over the bill was one of the severest which the chamber of deputies nas seen in recent years. The minority failed to develop any serious strength, but carried its obstruction to the point of a fine art, and moreover Premier Combes suffered severely by defections from his own side, noted leaders carrying amendments which considerably modified the drastic character of the original measure. Premier Combes, however, maintained his majorities on the main features of the bill and the closing vote was in the nature of a personal triumph for him.

Ninety-fourth Birthday.

One of Quincys oldest residents, Mrs. Susan Preston Curtis, is today celebrating in an informal way her 94th birthday, at the residence of her niece, Mrs. George Vinton, at Norfolk Downs. Mrs. Curtis was born in Dorchester; and at that time whaling ships landed at Commercial Point. One old gentleman is still left who was her playmate ninety years ago, this is Mr. William Trash, well known in Dorchester as a historian.

Mrs. Curtis has endured the recent cold winter wonderfully well and is still in the active enjoyment of all her faculties. Many friends and relatives are calling upon her, leaving tokens of friendship and love, and hope to do so for many years to come. Her son, W. D. C. Curtis, Esq., holds a responsible position as secretary of the Dorchester Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

TODAY'S COURT.

Teresa Fagione and Antonio DiPiesca were arraigned for adultery at Quincy. Cases continued until Wednesday.

Owen O'Brien was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until April 4.

Frank J. Cullen was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Weymouth.

The continued case of William St. Pierre, for allowing minors in his pool room, was heard and placed on file.

Albert Anderson was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

John McCarthy was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Max Peeven was arraigned for collecting junk without a license at Quincy. Case continued until Thursday.

Charles Hagg and Charles Lantz were arraigned for assault on Gustaf A. Hagg at Quincy. Lantz was discharged and Hagg held until Satnrday.

Eugene Gillett of Braintree was arraigned for assault on Mary Brown. Case placed on file.

Back to Ten Hours.

President C. S. Mellen of the New Haven road issued orders Saturday night that, beginning Saturday, April 2, the repair department of the entire system should begin running again on a 10-hour-a-day schedule. This order will affect thousands of employes of the system, who have been dissatisfied since the company reduced the working day on Jan. 23 from 10 to nine hours and on Feb. 13 to eight hours. There was talk of a strike and many men who had gone to Readville returned, claiming they could not live under the reduced time.

Secret Marriage.

Dedham has a sensation, over a secret marriage. Charles C. Sanderson, aged 76 years old, deaf and almost sightless, and Mrs. Carrie Mellen Johnson, widow of James Frederick Johnson, aged 43, both of Dedham, were married at Providence, R. I., March 17, and have since lived apart. The groom has a daughter who has been his housekeeper.

New High School.

Chelsea has a new High school, just completed at a cost of $180,000. It will be open for inspection today until 10 P. M.

FEEL YOUR HUSBAND'S FACE!

if it is rough go to the druggist and buy for him a package of "EASY-SHAVE," the new lather. Shaving becomes a daily pleasure when it is used, as it softens the beard quickly and leaves the face soft and smooth. Price, 15c.

Rand's Resignation Accepted

Washington, March 29.—The postmaster general has accepted the resignation of H. H. Rand as assistant superintendent of the division of salaries and allowances for the postoffice department, to take effect immediately. During the postal inquiry it was charged that Rand was interested in the promotion of numerous speculative enterprises and that he used his official position to induce departmental employes to invest in his scheme.

Davis Has Most Delegates

Little Rock, March 29.—On the face of unofficial returns Governor Davis has carried enough counties to give him 222 delegates in the state convention, that being the number necessary to secure the nomination. Judge Wood carried counties that give 162 votes in the convention, leaving 62 delegates not yet certain. A contest will be instituted by followers of Wood.

Asks Congress For $3,000,000

Washington, March 29.—The house committee on industrial arts and exposition heard advocates in favor of the bill making an appropriation of $3,000,000 towards the exposition to be held at Jamestown, Va., in 1907, to commemorate the 300th anniversary of the establishment of the first English-speaking settlement in the United States.

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SENATOR HOAR

Says He Does Not Want to be Haunted by Adams Ghost.

Senator Hoar has been interviewed relative to Canadian reciprocity, and like other New England representatives in Congress he fears it would be a detriment to the interests of Massachusetts. He says:

"I am not in favor of selling out the Gloucester fisheries to Canada. I take too much pride in the naval history of Massachusetts to do that. I do not wish to be haunted all the rest of my life by the ghost of old John Adams or of John Quincy Adams. I should as soon think of selling the naval school at Annapolis. These fisheries have been the nurseries of seamen from the beginning—from a time long before the revolution. If we may trust Admiral Porter; if we may trust Secretary Moody; if we may trust any naval expert who knows anything about the matter, they were never of greater value than in recent days, since the introduction of steam.

"I have no doubt that I shall favor, and do everything in my power, to accomplish any reciprocal understanding with Canada, to which any large and substantial portion of the business men of Massachusetts, being protectionists, will themselves consent.

"I am not in favor of reciprocity on free trade principles. I do not understand the people of Massachusetts to be in favor of that. I am not in favor of selling out important Massachusetts industries, or any important industry anywhere, for the fancied benefit to any other. I am not in favor of breaking down the tariff. There are of course some errors in the existing tariff. There were mistakes in it when it was enacted. We had, in New England, to submit to some things which we thought, and now think unjust, in order to get any tariff at all. We will do our best to get those mistakes corrected."

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March 25. 7t

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE partnership heretofore subsisting under the firm name of RICHARDS & RICHARDS, carrying on business as manufacturers of Granite Monuments at Centre street, Quincy, Mass., was dissolved March 23, 1904, by mutual consent and the business in the future will be carried on by William Richards, 2d who will pay and discharge all debts and liabilities and receive all moneys payable to the said late firm.

WILLIAM RICHARDS,
WILLIAM RICHARDS, 2D.

March 26. 3t

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of

SARAH J. WENTWORTH,

late of York, in the County of York, and State of Pennsylvania, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, and appointing Walter S. Pinkham of Quincy, Massachusetts, his agent, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

"The result of the autopsy over Parker Dexter was disappointing to the police who have been at work on the case." So reports one of the Boston dailies.

Another says, "The grim determination with which Harris Dexter hangs to his story is still puzzling to the police."

Another—"The result of the questioning of Harris Dexter was not satisfactory. While it tended to confirm certain suspicions in one way, it decidedly upset theories in another."

"I cannot believe," said the heartbroken father to a reporter Monday afternoon, "that Harris is not telling the truth. Of one thing I am sure, and that is that my revolver had not been touched by anybody."

Monday evening District Attorney French of Norfolk county, who lives in Randolph said: "I do not think that we have got far enough in the investigation yet to warrant any action. I do not understand that the boy, Harris Dexter, has varied very much from the story he told in the first place. He has added some details but not enough to change materially his story."

Until the police find a revolver near the house that may have been used, or have knowledge that the boys were the possessors of a revolver, or Harris Dexter contradicts his story of the affair, it is cruel for the police and the newspapers to make the statements that they have.

Mr. Dexter and his family are entitled in the hour of their great bereavement, to protection by the police from photographers, newspaper men and the curious. In the words of Mr. Dexter:

"I don't know anything about it and I have nothing to say. I don't like the way the papers have used us in the matter at all. We have been stepped on and our feelings have been utterly disregarded."

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Representative McMorran of Michigan wants to know why it costs the government $1,000,000 more than it would an individual to have a battle ship built. This is Mr. McMorran's first term in congress.—Washington Post.

☞ John Bull sets Uncle Sam a good example by insisting that the unhappy Mrs. Maybrick shall not go on the stage nor write a book. That's a good way to check morbidness and mawkishness.—Ohio State Journal.

☞ The American college girl, who has taken a prominent place on the stage of human affairs, is bringing more and more of her sisters with her every year. Vassar announces that applications are in from 450 girls for places next year, when there is room for only 100. The development of higher education among women in this country in the last half century has been all but marvelous. In this respect the United States leads the world. And it is a pretty good respect in which to lead.—Beverly Times.

WALL PAPER.

LATEST DESIGNS.

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FEARS ATTACK ON NEW CHWANG

Alexieff's Probable Reason For Establishing Martial Law

PORT ARTHUR DIVERSION

It Indicates That Japan Is Getting Impatient to Begin Land Operations and May Have Been a Hazardous Move to Cover Passage of Transports, Many of Which Are Said to Have Approached New Chwang

London, March 29.—No official communication has reached the foreign office confirming the declaration of martial law at New Chwang, and officials are inclined to the opinion that this indicates that the Russian government has not yet sanctioned Viceroy Alexieff's action.

The declaration of martial law is somewhat anxiously discussed by the London newspapers, among which the question has arisen as to whether Russia is desirous of dragging China into the conflict. The Standard, recognizing that the neutral powers may protest, considers that "it will be difficult to refuse to either belligerent the right to regard strategic considerations as paramount over all others in Manchuria."

The Morning Post considers that Russia's action "is calculated to relieve Japan of some embarrassment by removing some of the difficulties Japan would have experienced in dealing with New Chwang in the event of it becoming necessary to attack the Russian forces at that point."

All the newspapers conclude that by placing New Chwang under martial law the Russians show that they anticipate an attack in that quarter.

No further news has been received here regarding the Port Arthur engagement with the exception that The Daily Telegraph's Yin Kow correspondent says the Japanese bombardment badly damaged the forward barbette of the Russian battleship Czarevitch. The correspondent adds: "According to a rumor, 65 Japanese transports, escorted by four cruisers, approached New Chwang Saturday and then departed southward. It is stated that Viceroy Alexieff will return to Europe in a few days."

Japan's desperate efforts to block the entrance to Port Arthur and thereby seal up for a time the Russian fleet show that she is getting impatient to begin her land movement against the right flank of the Russian positions. Although failure crowned the attempt to obstruct the harbor's mouth, it is not certain that the movement did not cover the passage of transports around the end of the peninsula into the Liao Tung gulf. It would be a hazardous undertaking, to be sure, for Japan, for Admiral Togo cannot afford to divide his squadron by leaving part to watch the Port Arthur fleet, convoying the transports with the other part. It now is admitted that the Port Arthur fleet has recovered in a great measure from the damage inflicted on it by the first bold stroke by the Japanese and is strong enough to make the Japanese extremely cautious as to exposing their transports to its attack.

The Standard's Tien Tsin correspondent says that in compliance with Viceroy Alexieff's demand, the Tartar general of Feng Tien has withdrawn his troops to a distance of 60 miles from Mukden. He adds that the Russians are now left in complete control of the revenue and other departments.

The Wei Hai Wei correspondent of The Times says: "A Chinese junk which has arrived here reports having seen on the morning of March 28 11 seaworthy Russian vessels maneuvering in the vicinity of a Japanese fleet, which was also maneuvering. No sound of firing was heard here."

Reported Battle With Cossacks

London, March 29.—The Seoul correspondent of The Daily Mail says that on March 23 Japanese infantry had an engagement with Cossacks between Anju and Chong Ku, in which the Japanese were victorious after losing 50 killed.

A Roundabout Report

Paris, March 29.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Petit Parisien says it is reported that the Vladivostok squadron has returned to port with several prizes, including a Japanese warship.

The Great Reunion Cyclone

Hamburg, March 29.—An export house here has received a cable dispatch from the Island of Reunion confirming the announcement of the disaster caused by a cyclone March 21 and 22. The island was completely devastated. Famine exists among the islanders and provisions and clothing are needed. Ninety persons, including 13 whites, were killed.

Storm Played Havoc With Wires

Grand Forks, N. D., March 29.—One of the first trains over the Great Northern railroad which arrived here after being stalled by the terrible storm of last week brings reports that 17 miles of telegraph and telephone poles between Devil's Lake and Larimore, N. D., were blown down.

PRISONERS SATISFIED

What Governor Bates Has to Say of the Men In "Solitary"

Boston, March 29.—"I have seen every prisoner in solitary confinement at Charlestown, talked with them regarding their treatment, and they had no complaint to make. In fact they seemed to be perfectly satisfied with the treatment accorded them and I heard no word of protest from them," Governor Bates is declared to have said to Dr. Galvin of the emergency hospital, during his interview with Dr. Galvin at the state house, relative to the sweeping charges of cruelty and maltreatment of the insane and inmates of the state penal institutions by keepers and officials recently brought by Dr. Galvin.

Dr. Galvin seems in no way perturbed over the result of the governor's personal inquiries thus far, and is still determined that the investigation will be probed to the bottom.

Said Dr. Galvin: "His excellency, however, told me after receiving the affidavits that he would be glad to meet the man who had sworn to and affixed his signature to those that I presented him and which he read.

Manley Retires From Politics

Augusta, Me., March 29.—The Kennebec Journal publishes today a letter from J. H. Manley announcing his withdrawal as a candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination. The letter says that although Manley has recovered from his recent illness sufficiently to have attended to his private matters, his return of strength has not been full and complete. "For this reason," he says, "I must retire from my candidacy for the governorship, and I cannot accept a re-election to the Republican national committee." Mr. Manley expresses thanks to friends who have given him their support.

Daly Family Deeply Afflicted

Boston, March 29.—The funeral of Dan Daly, the comedian, who died suddenly on Saturday in New York, occurred at Revere this morning. Timothy Daly, a brother of the late comedian, died at his home in Revere yesterday. He had been suffering for some time from a complication of troubles. This makes five deaths in the Daly family within a short time. Nine weeks ago his brother-in-law, Edward Merigan, passed away, and the latter's little son and namesake did not long survive. The death of Mrs. Dan Daly occurred a fortnight ago.

Possible Trace of Bingham

Boston, March 29.—Charles E. Brigham, wanted for the murder of Mrs. Celia J. Smith, who was brutally beaten to death and robbed of $50 at her home in South Londonderry, N. H., on the night of Feb. 29, is now believed to have shipped upon a steamer sailing from this port to Liverpool. It is believed that Brigham has been hiding with friends in this city waiting for the interest in the case to die out and for an opportunity to ship upon a European tramp steamer.

Pacy Claims an Alibi

Lynn, Mass., March 29.—David H. V. Pacy, charged with the murder of John J. Tucker, was arraigned here and the case was continued until April 1, at the government's request and against the protest of counsel for Pacy. Judge Barry remanded Pacy without bail. Pacy's counsel had with him 15 witnesses for the defense, called to establish an alibi for the prisoner.

Workmen's Terrible Fall

New Haven, March 29.—By a fall of 60 feet from the top of a traveling crane at the plant of the New Haven Gaslight company, Dennis Gaudette, aged 40, was killed instantly and J. Johnson suffered injuries which may prove fatal. The accident is said to have been caused by the breaking of a bolt which held the uprights of the crane together.

Investigating Roslindale Tragedy

Boston, March 29.—The police have a theory that the murder of Mrs. Frank Brown and the supposed suicide of her husband at 15 Birch street, Roslindale, on Saturday, may have been a double murder. Chief Watts is making an investigation, Captain Dugan being in charge of the case, the result of which will be placed before the district attorney and the grand jury.

Investigating an Almshouse

Gloucester, Mass., March 29.—The investigation of the conduct of the city almshouse by a special committee of the city council, brought about by charges made of ill-treatment of inmates, began last night. Superintendent Parsons was the only witness examined. There was little in his testimony that aroused interest.

Additional Loom For Weavers

Clinton, Mass., March 29.—By an order which has gone into effect at the Lancaster Cotton mills the weavers who formerly operated five looms in the blue gingham standard stock department will hereafter be obliged to operate six looms. Two hundred employes are affected.

Costly Car Barn Fire

Newburyport, Mass., March 29.—The car barn of the Citizens' Street Railway company, together with 25 cars and three snowplows, was destroyed by fire last night, with a loss of $75,000. The fire started in a car and it is thought to have been due to poor insulation.

Suicide of Young Girl

South Londonderry, Vt., March 29.—The body of Grace Babbitt, 14 years old, daughter of a farmer of Landgrove, was found in a meadow brook near her home. The girl had been despondent for some time.

CITY BREVITIES.

Friday will be the first day of April.

Another full moon this month on Thursday.

The Sewer department is getting ready to resume work making house connections.

The weather this morning was decidedly cooler than it has been for several days.

Choristers are requested to send their Easter program to the Ledger Office early this week.

The usual Thursday night games of basket ball at the Coliseum will be omitted this week.

Business has begun to pick up in the granite district and most of the manufacturers are beginning to put on cutters.

Medical Examiner Jones was present Monday at the autopsy on the body of the Dexter boy, which was held in Boston.

William St. Pierre has his spring bicycle opening today. He shows a large line of bicycles in prices ranging from $25 to $60.

Owners of yachts have begun to get their flyers ready for the water. On pleasant days yachtsmen can be seen busily at work scraping off the old paint and applying the new.

Someone has been trimming the trees along side of Butlers brook. As this is now under control of the Metropolitan Park Commission it is understood that the parties will be summoned into court tomorrow.

Mrs. Eliza A. Penniman, Patriotic instructor of W. R. C. 103, in behalf of that order, has presented framed Oleographs of the origin and history of the stars and stripes, to the Coddington and Washington schools. Others will follow.

Concrete Prices.

Brookline will pay the following prices this year per square yard for concrete work:

New sidewalks	75c
Skimcoating (cold)	40c
Skimcoating (hot)	50c
Sidewalk crossings	90c
Street crossings	$1.25
Driveways	1.00
Gutters	1.25

Excavating of more than three inches in depth and all filling to bring the work to grade to be done by the town.

Chaplains Disagree With Taft

Washington, March 29.—A hearing was held here on the project of placing military athletics in the hands of the Young Men's Christian Association. Secretary Taft is in favor of the project, but it is strongly objected to by the chaplains, who assert that it would be unwise to introduce civilian influences in the military service.

Child a Deliberate Murderer

Fort Payne, Ala., March 29.—J. C. Cole, policeman and deputy sheriff at Battele, was killed by his 10-year-old son. The boy had been fighting with other boys and his father whipped him for it. The child afterward secured the parent's pistol and blew part of his father's head off.

NEWS IN BRIEF

King Edward and Queen Alexandra have left for Copenhagen to attend a family gathering on the occasion of King Christian's birthday, April 8, when he will be 86 years of age.

Genero Castaldi, 7 years old, fell into the Quinnipiack river at Southington, Conn., and was drowned.

The condition of Postmaster General Payne continues favorable, although the progress towards recuperation is very slow.

Mrs. Caroline Robinson, a sister of General Crocker, commander of the famous Crocker brigade, died at Marshalltown, Ia. She was the only woman ever committed to a soldiers' home.

William Summerfield, a steerage passenger, was lost overboard from steamer Lake Champlain, at St. John from Liverpool.

Deputy United States Marshal John E. Thorne died at his home in Brooklyn from the effects of a dose of oxalic acid given to him by his wife in mistake for rochelle salts.

Allison B. Stone, for 20 years connected with the Chicago Daily News, is dead. He invented many devices for saving time and labor in a newspaper plant.

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r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 23	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 58	cba	1 19 r
r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 15	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 25	a	5 45 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 13	abc	5 32	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 04	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49
r 11 12	abc	11 32			

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 49	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 43	Exp.	9 00
9 00	Exp.	9 15	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50			

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P.M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A.M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P.M.

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MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 11.21 A.M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P.M. SUNDAY—8.51 9.51 A.M. 1.21 5.21 7 21 9.21 P.M.

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LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 AM. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M, then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M. then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —At 7.30 and 30 minutes past every hour until 8 30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10. Sundays: 8.30 A. M., then same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

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QUINCY FARES.

Ten or Twelve-Ride Books at Minimum Rates Wanted.

Editor Quincy Daily Ledger:

I notice in your paper a letter from Mr. Fallon, and later comments on the same. It seems to me neither quite hit the nail on the head.

Notwithstanding the erection of the so-called station at Quincy, which is far below what is due us here, the railroad company are entitled to justice as regards fares.

It appears that 25-ride books are sold from West Roxbury to Boston, 8.1 miles on the Providence division, at just the same rate, 2.25 as from Quincy to Boston, 8 miles, thus giving a 9 cent fare to each place.

This is the only proper way to draw a comparison based on the minimum rate. Thus it costs Quincy people $1.08 per week, and not $1.50.

Of course Neponset being in Boston has the benefit of the 5 cent fare, but that is no reason for reduction to all Quincy stations.

On the whole it seems to me there is no great hope for reduced fare for us at present. If the railroad would issue 10 rides to Quincy from Boston for ninety cents, it would be greatly appreciated. Or if twelve could be given for a dollar, improbable as the suggestion seems, the railroad doubtless would find at the end of the year it had had the use of quite as much and doubtless more money, than it draws from Quincy now when it asks $2.25 for privileges a large number cannot afford to take advantage of.

The railroad would also, with the ninety cents or the dollar package arrangement, secure a good deal of glory for itself, tho' the architecture and arrangement of the Quincy station proves it is not glory it is after.

P. B. P.

Bad Fire In Vermont Town

Chester, Vt., March 28.—Five buildings in the business section of the town were burned during the night, entailing a loss estimated at $50,000. The fire originated near a chimney in the furniture store of C. H. Walker. The members of the F. H. Stearns household escaped in their night clothing, not having time to save a single article of their effects.

Union Stamp Surrendered

Haverhill, Mass., March 28.—The stamp of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union has been surrendered by the John W. Russ Shoe company, the eighth firm to take such a step during the past year. The company will maintain an open shop in the future. More than 350 shoe workers are affected by the change and several of them, it is said, will leave the union.

Looking Into Tucker Murder

Lynn, Mass., March 28.—District Attorney Peters has been in consultation with Chief of Police Burckes of Lynn and upon his decision, after talking with the government's witnesses, will depend the action to be taken in the case of David H. Pacy, who is held on suspicion of the murder of John J. Tucker last Wednesday night by shooting.

Error Cost Engineer's Life

Hawleyville, Conn., March 28.—Rolla Finkle of Pittsfield, Mass., was run over by his own engine here and almost instantly killed. He had dismounted to repair a broken air pipe between the engine and first car of the train. The fireman, thinking that the engineer had entered the station, backed up the train. Finkle was terribly crushed.

Said He Would Kill President

Providence, March 28.—Abraham Shoesmith, 33 years old, an Englishman, was arrested on Wickenden street. The man was insane and escaped from his father's home in Fall River Thursday. He is alleged to have told Captain Murray after his arrest that he was on his way to Washington to shoot President Roosevelt.

Killed Herself by Fire

New Haven, March 28.—Mrs. Fannie Watrous burned herself to a crisp at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Charlotte Watrous. She came here two days ago and since then had acted very queerly. It is believed that Mrs. Watrous poured oil all over her clothes and then set fire to herself. She had threatened suicide.

Suicide by Hanging

Lawrence, Mass., March 28.—The lifeless body of Mrs. Laura Stoehren, aged 48, was found in the cellar of her home here, hanging suspended with a rope around her neck, the other end of which had been tied to a water pipe. It is alleged that the husband of the deceased quarreled with his wife some time ago.

Spencer Not a Murderer

Montpelier, Vt., March 28.—Fred Spencer, who was charged with the murder of John McLane at Worcester, Vt., on the night of March 12, was released after a hearing before Judge Woodward in this city. Spencer was discharged because there was no evidence against him.

Electric Cars In Smashup

Chelsea, Mass., March 28.—Five persons were injured and two electric cars badly damaged in a head-on collision at a switch in this city last night. The cars were passing too close on the switch and came together head on. The front vestibules of both cars were totally wrecked.

REAL MARTIAL LAW

Censorship Is Even Resorted to In Colorado

NEWSPAPER SUPPRESSED

Food For Strikers Confiscated by the Military, Whose Services Are Indirectly Paid For by Consumers of Coal

Denver, March 29.—Intense indignation prevails in Colorado over the action of the militia acting under orders of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company in confiscating provisions and commissary supplies owned by the strikers in the southern coal fields. The men struck to get rid of the company stores, scrip and arbitrary assessment features, and no charges of disorderly conduct or violence were made against them. The fuel companies increased the price of coal $1 a ton to consumers and accumulated a large fund with which to hire the militia.

The first steps taken by the soldiers were to place Trinidad and vicinity under martial law, establish censorship in newspaper, telephone and telegraph offices and notify correspondents that suspicious looking envelopes could not be mailed. Soldiers were stationed at the postoffice and every street letter box to see that no bulky letters likely to contain uncensored news matter are mailed. One newspaper has been suppressed and the latest act has been the confiscation of food that was to have been distributed among the wives and children of strikers. Practically the same situation obtains in Telluride, where Bulkely Wells of Boston is in full charge.

Miners are well supplied with funds, contributions coming in daily from every state in the union, and they claim to be able to hold out indefinitely. The result will be the placing of a debt of at least $2,000,000 on the state of Colorado, where the taxation is already very heavy.

President Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners, who was arrested Saturday, is still in jail at Telluride, awaiting the arrival of counsel. At Trinidad two Italians were arrested by the military, because they would not tell of the hiding places of several boxes of firearms that were shipped in since martial law went into effect.

President Mitchell has been communicated with regarding "Mother" Jones and the other strike leaders who were deported, and it is expected he will take some action to have them returned under permission of the military authorities.

They Lost a Fortune

St. Louis, March 29.—Mr. and Mrs. John B. Altman decided to die together and turned on the gas to accomplish it. Altman and his wife came to the United States 15 years ago. They accumulated $500,000 by speculation in New York city, lost nearly all their fortune by signing notes for friends, and, removing to St. Louis, purchased a home with the remanent of their fortune. This home was mortgaged and the mortgage was about to be foreclosed.

Blockade's Queer Feature

St. Paul, March 29.—The Northern Pacific expects to reach St. Paul shortly with the first of the delayed transcontinental trains. Coming at the close of March, the railroad lines were tied up as tightly as they could have been in January. A comparatively meagre amount of snow caused the trouble. The cuts were in some cases filled to a depth of 18 feet, while the surrounding country, in spots, was almost bare.

President Pardons Aquino

Washington, March 29.—Following the recommendation of Secretary Taft, the president has granted a full pardon to Servillano Aquino, the brigadier general in the Philippine insurgent army who was sentenced to a long term of imprisonment for having, it was alleged, ordered the summary execution of five American prisoners during the insurrection in the Philippines.

Darlington Hotel Indictments

New York, March 29.—Indictments for manslaughter were ordered by the grand jury against Pole and Schwandter, members of the firm of iron contractors, and Eugene C. Allis, secretary of the Allison Realty company, which had taken over the title and construction of the collapsed Hotel Darlington. Pole and Allison have both disappeared.

White House Clerk's Crime

Washington, March 29.—Charles G. Forster, a clerk employed in the White House offices, shot and killed his wife and himself at their home in Kensington, Md. Forster was a brother of Rudolph Forster, one of the assistant secretaries to President Roosevelt.

Not All Heard From

St. Johns, March 29.—The sealing steamer Walrus has arrived here with 17,000 seals. Only eight ships have so far been reported. The arrival of 12 other vessels is awaited before the degree of the success of the seal fishery can be measured.

Hopes For Lamorna Waning

Marshfield, Ore., March 29.—Steamer Alliance reports picking up a large boat belonging to the British grain-laden ship Lamorna of Greenock, which is supposed to have foundered during a recent storm.

LATEST PENSION ORDER

Precedent Was Established by the Cleveland Administration

Washington, March 29.—The senate for three hours discussed the recent order of the pension bureau making old age an evidence of disability, and then passed the District of Columbia appropriation bill. The discussion of the pension order was based on the resolution offered some days ago by Mr. Carmack, directing the committee on the judiciary to inquire into the authority of the executive branch of the government to make such an order.

Mr. Carmack contended that no such authority exists, but several Republican senators argued that the order was in line with the regulation issued by Judge Lochren, commissioner of pensions under Mr. Cleveland, fixing 65 years of age as an evidence of infirmity. They also declared that the new order would have only the effect of affording prima facie evidence of disability and not that of giving a pension solely because the age of 62 years had been reached by the pension applicant.

No Light on Murder

Randolph, Mass., March 29.—The Randolph mystery is yet unsolved. Unshaken in the main points of his story, young Harris Dexter, who claims that his brother, Parker, was shot by one of two strangers on Sunday noon, passed through the ordeal of a searching cross-examination by the police. Stoutly the boy clung to his story. He varied but slightly in the essential points. Though Deputy Sheriff Farrell and State Detective Scott do not believe the story as told by the lad, they had to confess themselves mystified at the lad's apparent frankness and the way he answered pressing questions.

Showed Folly of Panics

New York, March 29.—An alcohol lamp, used in connection with a liquid air exhibition on the stage of Hurtig & Seamons' Music hall, was accidentally overturned and set fire to the table cover. Several women started to leave the house, but the asbestos curtain was promptly lowered and quiet was restored. When all had resumed their seats the curtain was raised, revealing the fire still burning and beside it a fireman, who quickly quenched the blaze with a jet from a chemical extinguisher.

Missionary Craft For Guam

Norwich, Conn., March 29.—Steam propeller Sunbeam, which was chartered last summer by C. O. Iselin as a tender for the Reliance during the yachting season, has been sold by the owner, F. W. Browning, to the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions. The steamer will be fitted up for a voyage of about 20,000 miles to Guam, where it will go into commission in place of the missionary craft Morning Star.

Abeel Must Pay $75,000

New York, March 29.—A sheriff's jury assessed James N. Abeel $75,000 for engaging to marry Eleanor L. Anderson under the name of J. Ogden Goelet. Miss Anderson sued him for $75,000 for breach of promise of marriage. The young man failed to answer the complaint and a default was taken, upon which the supreme court granted an order to Sheriff Erlanger to empanel a jury and assess damages.

Receiver For Trust Company

Indianapolis, March 29.—The Commercial Trust company has closed its doors in anticipation of a suit brought by the state auditor for the appointment of a receiver. The company had nearly 2000 depositors and $104,000 paid up capital stock. Judge Carter appointed the Union Trust company receiver.

Bad Outlook For Labor

New York, March 29.—Unless the bricklayers and the laborers on strike in this city go to work at once the members of the Material Dealers' association that supplies all the brick, sand, lime and cement for the Metropolitan district have decided to close the yards and refuse to furnish any material for building purposes.

Flood Distress In Michigan

Detroit, March 29.—Encouraging reports from towns where flood damages have been estimated up in the hundreds of thousands of dollars show that 14,000 people are in distress at Grand Rapids and at Saginaw a large portion of the business section of the city is flooded.

Four-Year-Old's Great Feat

Memphis, March 29.—The 4-year-old colt Little Scout, owned by George C. Bennett & Co. of Memphis, easily won the Montgomery handicap, at a mile and 1-16th in 1:49. The race had a total value of $5135 and it was worth $4435 to the winner.

Still Worrying the Sultan

Paris, March 29.—Advices from Morocco say that Bu Hamara (the Moorish pretender) is again active. Several depredations have taken place and it is feared they mark the beginning of fresh and serious opposition to the sultan.

Germany and Venezuela

Berlin, March 29.—The foreign office says the report that Germany intends to make a naval demonstration against Venezuela in order to compel the settlement of the rest of her claims is incorrect.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Wednesday, March 30.
Sun rises—5:31; sets—6:08.
Moon sets—4:59 a. m.
High water—10:15 a. m.; 10:30 p. m.

There have been local snows in New England and the middle Atlantic states. There will be rain in south and west New England.

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PANIC IN A CHURCH

Congregation Alarmed by Cry of "Fire" During the Service

New Haven, March 28.—A panic occurred in St. Michael's Italian church here in which almost a score of persons were injured. Two women and two children were taken to the New Haven hospital, but it is not believed that the injuries of any of these are fatal.

Some one in the congregation yelled "Fire" during a prayer, and with hardly a second's delay the great majority of the worshippers arose and rushed for the door at the rear of the church, the only exit. Women and children were trampled upon and dragged along the floor by the others in their endeavor to get out of the building and in the height of the confusion some one sent in a fire alarm from a nearby box.

The engines were soon on the scene and the sight that met the eyes of the firemen was a wild one. Men and women whose children were in the church were yelling and fighting to gain an entrance, while those on the inside were fighting equally hard to get out of the building.

Missing Man Found Dead

Salem, Mass., March 28.—The body of Wilson Chamberlain of the jewelry firm of Chamberlain & Co., who had been missing since Wednesday, was found by his brother, John A. Chamberlain, in a small ravine, about a mile and a quarter from the highway. It is supposed Chamberlain perished from exposure. He had been suffering from the effects of the grip and wandered from home. He was 53 years old.

Has Mania For Robbing

Meriden, Conn., March 28.—Arthur Wilcox, a Meriden man, who escaped from the Middletown insane asylum 10 days ago and last week entered and robbed five places in Westfield, came to this city again Saturday night and robbed four houses. He is heavily armed. The police of this city and a detail of officers from the state asylum are making a search for Wilcox.

Sailed Past Coal Ports

New York, March 28.—Steamer Nebraskan has arrived from Californian ports with a large cargo of wine, etc. The Nebraskan is fitted with an equipment to burn oil as fuel. She left San Francisco Jan. 23 and used the oil continuously and successfully throughout the voyage, enabling her to steam direct to New York without making the usual stops at coal ports.

Rose Must Foot the Bill

Helena, Mont., March 28.—The divorce suit of Rosamond Sullivan, or, as she is better known, Rose Coghlan, the actress, against John T. Sullivan, was dismissed in the district court here and the costs charged to Miss Coghlan. No reason is given for the dismissal.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Into the jungle took
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He took the Lion and the Lamb
Together at their tea,
Both eating from a pot of jam,
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He took the Elephant, who played
The part of circus clown,
There standing in the jungle shade
On his head upside down.

He took the Snake, who juggled plates
Upon his tail, you know.
He took some other funny things
We haven't room to show.
—Atlanta Constitution.

One on the Professor.

Once upon a time Professor Wilson of Edinburgh wrote on the blackboard in his laboratory:

"Professor Wilson informs his students that he has this day been appointed honorary physician to the queen."

In the course of the morning he had occasion to leave the room, and found on his return that a student had added to the announcement the words:

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Dowie's Jaw Again Working

Adelaide, Australia, March 28.—In consequence of a speech insulting King Edward, the government has refused the use of public buildings to John A. Dowie. The mayor of Adelaide wrote to Dowie telling him he was a disgrace to his nationality.

Killed Wife and Baby

Saratoga, N. Y., March 28.—Victor E. Millward murdered his wife and baby and then set fire to the apartments in which the family lived. Millward is supposed to have suddenly become insane.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

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WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	37	47	57	48	50
Monday,	43	47	52	46	44
Tuesday,	47	45	40	48	50
Wednesday,	—	56	53	49	55
Thursday,	—	57	48	40	45
Friday,	—	62	60	49	41
Saturday,	—	66	60	67	61

New Advertisements Today.

To Let—Furnished Rooms.
Boston School of Elocution.
Wanted—Young Woman for housework.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Furniture.
S. I. Wood—Spring Millinery.
William St. Pierre—Bicycles.
Wanted—Girl for housework.
George W. Jones—Spring Goods.
Ike Shane—Shoes Repaired.
Wanted—Washing.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

H. P. Elwell of Quincy Point has returned from his trip abroad.

Mr. Bennett of Pray street has gone to Marblehead for a much needed rest.

Work has commenced at the shipyard preparatory to an extension of the tool shop.

F. D. Fellows & Co. have a handsomely decorated Easter window at their store.

Miss Martha Jenkins of Billings street, who has been ill with measles, is convalescent.

The many friends of John Larkin are glad to see him once more on his old beat at the Point.

Rev. Edward Norton will officiate at the funeral of Parker Dexter at Randolph tomorrow.

Ernest L. Hayden of South street is breaking in as motorman on the Old Colony Street Railway.

Miss Lenora Remmington of Brookline was a guest of Miss Laura Hall of Newbury avenue this week.

John M. Wight of Washington street who has been in feeble health for some time is now confind to his bed.

Clifford Thayer, foreman of the steampipe fitters at the Fore River works, left the employ of the company on Saturday.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Quincy Point church will hold its monthly consecration meeting in the vestry this evening at 7.30.

The Society of the Colonial Dames is considering the purchase of the Dorothy Q house and Mr. Wilson has given them the refusal of it.

There is a new block of stores being built on East Howard street near Newcomb Sq. The stores are becoming numerous in this district.

The High school base ball team is taking advantage of the vacation to get in a little practice preparatory to the opening of the ball season.

Cards are out for the marriage reception of Miss Annie Henderson Graham and Mr. Elmer Francis Ricker at the Graham homestead the twelfth of April.

Antonio Di Presca must have been born under an unlucky star. Last week he had his nose nearly severed from his face by a knife, and now he is in jail awaiting trial on a criminal charge.

A surprise party was given to Miss Ida May Wood, Saturday evening, at her home on Fort street, and she was presented with a beautiful gold locket and chain. The party was attended by a large number of her friends who enjoyed the evening with music and games, The house was beautifully decorated. Refreshments were served.

The Atlantic boys are revelling over their playground which is by far the best in Quincy since the improvements last fall and this spring. It ought to inspire any ball-player, but the Atlantics don't need inspiration, they are excellent without aid. It is hoped there will be many lively games on the playground this spring.

Miss Mattie Richardson is visiting friends in this city.

The City Council Committee on Finance will meet tonight.

A regular meeting of the School Committee will be held tonight.

Unless a special meeting of the City Council is held this week it will be late in April before the annual budget is passed.

Henry H. Faxon has so far recovered from his recent illness that he is able to go out walking or riding every day. He says that other than feeling a little weak he is all right.

Mrs. Wallace Davis of Merrymount road, is to read several selections at the Junior Sons and Daughters entertainment on Friday evening at Colonial hall. She is a great favorite with Quincy audiences.

Mrs. S. I. Wood, is to have her Easter millinery opening on Wednesday and Thursday of this week in her millinery parlors in the Adams building. She has an unusually fine display this year.

Miss Gordon Walker, the beautiful young harpist and dramatic reader, is to give an afternoon recital in First Church chapel, on Thursday April fourteenth, for the benefit of the organ fund of the church. Several well known young matrons of the church are interested in the affair and it promises to be a great success.

Phenomenal Shipment of Tobacco.

For the first time in the history of the tobacco business a shipment has been made in one order, to one concern, of a solid train of Manufactured Smoking Tobacco.

On March 1st, the Norfolk & Western Railroad started from Durham, N. C., a train consisting of 30 cars, all loaded with "Duke's Mixture," the entire lot of tobacco being a purchase made by Messrs. Sprague, Warner & Co., Wholesale Grocers, of Chicago, Ill.

Durham, where this tobacco is manufactured, is the famous tobacco town situated in the Golden Tobacco Belt of North Carolina. "Duke's Mixture" was named many years ago for Mr. J. B. Duke, the famous tobacco man, and its enormous growth has made it his pet, and the greatest care is exercised in its manufacture.

This shipment contains 2,880,000 single packages of tobacco, and would furnish each male adult in the United States with five smokes each, or one package to each of the soldiers of the standing armies of the United States, England, France, Germany, Italy, Austria and Russia.

This train went direct from Durham, N. C., to Chicago, Ill., attracting much attention en route, and arrived in Chicago, March 9th.

Cooking a Fowl.

The only way in which a fowl is usually made tender enough to eat is to cut it up and cook as fricassee, roast chicken being considered possible only when one wishes to pay the extra price for young birds. It must, however, be the toughest of hens or roosters which does not succumb to the "pot roasting" process if carefully done. Prepare as for roasting and place in a pot deep enough to hold the fowl without crowding one-half pound of suet for three pounds of chicken. Cut up an onion and let it cook till brown, when add the chicken, covering tightly. It should simmer for six hours. Roast quickly for half an hour.

Thimbles.

A soreness in what is called the thimble finger and even serious inflammation are sometimes caused by the use of cheap thimbles. These thimbles, which are composed of lead or something equally injurious, may be tempting by reason of their low price, but they are not safe. Silver thimbles are the best, but for those to whom they prove too expensive nothing is better than thimbles of highly burnished steel. By a person who gains her living with her needle a steel thimble is always liked, for it will outlast two or three of the more expensive silver ones.

Agate Ware.

To clean agate ware put the ware on the stove filled with water, and into the water put a tablespoonful of salsoda (washing soda), and then after awhile use a scouring soap, and you will be pleased with the result; also put your bean pot on the stove and a good generous tablespoonful of soda, and it will wash as easily as a cup. A little soda put in your greasy baking pans and keeping them warm while washing your other dishes will help along that most disagreeable task.

—It is estimated that the state census next year will show that Massachusetts has a population of 3,200,000,—nearly 30,000 of whom live in Quincy.

DIED.

COLGAN—In Milton, March 27, Miss Elizabeth F., daughter of Mr. Patrick and Mrs. Hanora Colgan of Vose's lane.

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Defended Rialto Company Before the Postal Department--Vacation of Seat Expected--No Delay In Contest For It

St. Louis, March 29.—Joseph Ralph Burton, senior United States senator from Kansas, was convicted by a jury in the United States district court of having accepted compensation to protect the interests of the Rialto Grain and Securities company of St. Louis before the postoffice department. The jury deliberated 41 hours.

A motion for a new trial was immediately filed by counsel for the senator. Judge Adams thereupon ordered that Senator Burton appear in court either in person or by proxy from day to day until the court has heard the arguments for a new trial.

Lawyers who are close to Governor Bailey regard the conviction of Burton as an immediate vacation of his seat and the contest for the place will, it is believed, commence at once.

"A judgment against a man in a case of this kind," said a former justice of the Kansas supreme court, "is regarded by the courts as a conviction in the meaning of the statutes, even though an appeal may be taken and the decision of the lower court subsequently reversed."

Governor Bailey refused to discuss the case. Politicians close to the chief executive express the belief that the choice of Senator Burton's successor lies between Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow of Salina, Kan., or Cyrus Leland, Jr., former Republican national committeeman from Kansas.

The evidence adduced against Burton may be summarized as follows:

In November, 1903, he accepted a proposal to become general counsel of the Rialto Grain and Securities company, a concern whose operations at the time were under the scrutiny of the postoffice department. Burton demanded $2500 for his services, but he was satisfied to be paid in monthly instalments of $500 each.

Soon after his employment it developed that the federal grand jury was investigating the Brooks Brokerage company, with which Hugh C. Dennis, president of the Rialto company, had been associated. Numerous letters written by Burton showed that the senator was using his influence to prevent the issuance of a fraud order against the Rialto Grain and Securities company.

Burton submitted regular reports to the Rialto people, telling them how matters were progressing at Washington, advising them of complaints filed at the postoffice department and closing with the assurance that "if you look after things at your end of the line, I will attend to matters here."

At the Washington End

Washington, March 29.—Members of the senate committee on privileges and elections have discussed informally the question of Senator Burton, but until the matter comes before the committee the members are loath to give their personal views. It will take a formal action by the senate to declare Burton's seat vacant and this will not be done until a court of last resort has passed upon the case. Senators do not know of any precedents, as no convictions of senators are within the recollection of the oldest senators.

Woman Charged With Forgery

Philadephia, March 29.—Miss Nellie Maguire, daughter of Richard Maguire, wife of a former ink manufacturer of New York, is held in $10,000, charged with forgery. Her accuser is Mrs. Henrietta Crosby, who charges that Miss Maguire represented herself as Mrs. Crosby and forged her name to several mortgages on which she borrowed money to the amount of nearly $10,000.

To Fight Cotton Gamblers

Brussels, March 29.—Negotiations, which will in all likelihood be successful, are being carried on between cotton spinners of Belgium, France and Great Britain, with a view to the establishment of a syndicate to fight American speculation in raw cotton by restricting the output of manufactured goods.

Failure of Shoe Manufacturers

Columbus, O., March 29.—The Crown Shoe Manufacturing company, incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000, was thrown into involuntary bankruptcy on application of stockholders. The liabilities are estimated at $60,000; assets $45,000.

Rejected Lover's Double Crime

Pittsburg, March 29.—Timothy Sullivan, a mill-worker of McKeesport, 29, shot and instantly killed Cecilia Farrell, 27, and then fatally shot himself. Sullivan was engaged to marry the young woman, but she had tired of his attentions.

Filipinos Die of Pneumonia

St. Louis, March 29.—Two Filipinos have died and three are seriously ill of pneumonia, contracted during the trip of the 300 members of the Filipino colony at the World's fair from Tacoma to St. Louis.

WHO IS TO BLAME?

Idle Hands in Mischief—What a Western Judge Did.

Editors of the Ledger:

In a most kindly, helpful spirit, one of our western judges has, at the morning assemblies of the public schools, as the need was shown and opportunity offered, given careful definite instruction on the laws of the city and state, specializing such laws as covered the case in hand. As a result, personal and community rights are now recognized by the children of that community and instances of lawlessness are rare. The boys have a proper pride in their city. A knowledge of the laws regarding rights of citizens, and, as carefully presented by this Judge, recognize the fairness of these laws and the imperative need of their giving heed to them, else on a second offense would the just punishment follow.

The names of offenders are never given at these talks, but the searching eye of the judge shows his knowledge and he announces his intention of bringing just punishment for a second offense.

"I do not name, but I know the boys who broke this law, and since they now know the law I shall be sure that a second offense is punished," he says.

Previous to his living in the community a private school held in the basement of an Episcopal church had been given up because the boys threw stones breaking glass and making it dangerous for little children within. A lady owning a large fruit yard had the pleasure of owning the trees but enjoying none of the fruit, and the judge was told he could do nothing with them. Certainly knowledge proved to be power in this case.

Sunday found two or three of our Quincy boys with nothing to do, consequently they took it upon themselves to pull out the work of state and City. Meddled with the water gate at entrance to Merrymount Park throwing the platform into the water thereby leaving a dangerous opening into the well below. Who is to blame?

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RED CROSS IN JAPAN

TREMENDOUS GROWTH OF THE SOCIETY ORGANIZED IN 1877.

How Popular Interest In the Work Is Stimulated—Empress Haruko a Liberal Patron—Russia's Society the Richest In the World.

The Red Cross societies of both Japan and Russia are not surpassed by those of any other nation, that of the latter country being the richest in the world, having at the present time several million dollars in its treasure. While the Japanese society has not so large a bank account, it is amply supplied with funds and in point of membership and enthusiasm in the work easily stands first.

The Red Cross Society of Japan is the noblest of the many charitable institutions that have sprung up in the land of the mikado since it burst its bonds of exclusiveness and opened its doors to the outer world, and in no other country have efforts to minimize the horrors of war met with such unparalleled success as among the Japanese.

During the insurrection of the southwest provinces in 1877 a society having for its object the relieving of the wounded and sick on the field of battle came into being. It adopted the name Hakuaisha (Society of Benevolence). After the rebellion was crushed the society decided to form a permanent organization and prepare for similar emergencies. When the imperial government recognized the articles of the Geneva convention the society decided to place itself in connection with the international committee of the Red Cross at Geneva and to enter into fraternal relations with similar societies throughout the world. Having done this, the name of the organization was changed to the Red Cross Society of Japan.

Since then, fostered and promoted by imperial favor, the society has grown to tremendous proportions, the membership now being above 800,000. This is no doubt due in a great degree to the example set by the mikado and the empress of Japan. The reigning family takes a deep interest in Red Cross work and contributes liberally to the funds of the society. An imperial prince is always its honorary president, and the empress takes an active part in its work. She is a frequent visitor to the headquarters of the society and to the Red Cross hospital.

Popular interest is further stimulated by annual gatherings of the members from every part of the empire. These meetings are usually held in one of the public parks of Tokyo, and the attendance is seldom less than 200,000. Lectures illustrated by magic lantern pictures are given by medical men and attract much attention.



EMPRESS HARUKO OF JAPAN.

The headquarters of the society are in Tokyo and consist of a number of buildings containing the administrative offices, storerooms and various other departments. The amount of hospital supplies kept at headquarters is enormous. Within a day or two the Japanese Red Cross society can load a hospital ship or railroad train without the least confusion. Surgeons and nurses are ready at all times, and the arrangement of the hospital stores is so systematic that they can be moved at an hour's notice. The surgeons and nurses are under military rule and work with military precision. Two hospital ships owned by the society, the Hakuai Maru and Kosai Maru, were especially constructed for the care of the sick and wounded.

The Red Cross hospital in Tokyo is the finest in the city. It is in this hospital that the Red Cross female nurses receive their training. It has a capacity of 250 beds, and its staff is composed of the best physicians and surgeons in Tokyo. The nurses receive the most practical kind of instruction through lectures and demonstrations given by members of the staff. They serve an apprenticeship of three years and on passing a rigorous examination receive credentials which permit them to enter private practice and in the case of war to enter the field service under military rule.

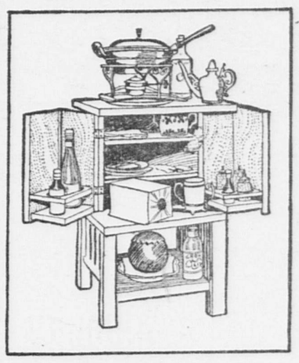
Haruko, empress of Japan and special patron of the Red Cross society, was a princess of the house of Ichijo, one of the five ancient families descended from the Fujiwara clan, from which the emperors always selected their wives. She was married to the emperor in 1867, the year after his coronation. The five children of the emperor, one son and four daughters, have all been brought up according to western ideas.

HOUSEHOLD DEVICES.

Cabinet For the Chafing Dish Outfit. Individual Breakfast Set.

An occasional indulgence in some new article for the table or the house adds zest to housekeeping and keeps up one's interest while attending to many tedious and irksome duties, suggests the Boston Cooking School Magazine in illustrating some of these.

A chafing dish cabinet is a convenience in any home where chafing dish cookery is often indulged in, but it will be found of especial delight to the bachelor, man or maid, whose house furnishings in the way of buffet



CHAFING DISH CABINET.

and storage closet are limited. In designing the cabinet the architect planned that every available inch of space be made useful. The doors are admirably adapted to carry out this idea, the shelves with which they are fitted being perforated with holes of suitable sizes to hold the bottles of condiments so necessary to a complete chafing dish outfit. When the doors are closed all food supplies are shut out from sight and from floating dust.

The individual breakfast service comes in pretty but inexpensive chinaware or in ware "costly as thy purse can buy." A veritable boon is this service to the hostess discommoded by the presence of a guest at the necessarily early family breakfast. Rare is the guest or member of a family who would not feel himself flattered to be told on retiring that when breakfast was ready it would be served in his room or in the adjoining den or even in the serving room, carefully aired for the occasion. Who would not be glad to escape attendance when the children are being started for school and the adults to town? Who wishes to hear or have others hear the admonitions to Jane or the commissions to John that must be attended to the instant he arrives in town? If the individual breakfast service will simplify matters, by all means let us have it.

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The last word in regard to coats comprises a three-quarter sack, set



CHIC SPRING COATS.

slightly full from the shoulders, with sleeves modeled Chinese-wise in one with the body, of soft cloth in some one of the new strange apple greens, hussar blues or that inevitable ecru, elaborately inlet at the hem of the coat to the depth of eighteen inches or more with woolen lace, which latter invariably harmonizes with the cloth.

For a Bruise.

To prevent a bruise on the flesh from becoming discolored apply immediately a cloth wrung out in water as hot as can be borne, changing the cloth as soon as it loses its heat. If hot water is not to be had, moisten some dry starch with cold water and cover the bruised part with the paste thus made.

To Remove Paint From Glass.

In order to remove paint from windows take strong bicarbonate of soda and dissolve it in hot water. Wash the glass with this, and in twenty minutes or half an hour give it a good rubbing with a dry cloth.

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GIRL WANTED—In packing room at Graham Shoe Factory, Sumner street. Quincy, March 23. tf

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Quincy, Jan. 30. tf

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Quincy, March 28. 1m

WALL PAPER.

LATEST DESIGNS.

CHAS. C. FOSTER,

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WILL CALL WITH SAMPLES.

HOUSES FOR SALE AND TO LET.

Quincy, March 15. 1m

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Jan. 31. tf

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Quincy, Feb. 2. tf

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VALET SERVICE.

March 26. 16t-p-1w

MURDERER FRIGHTENED OFF.

Telephone Said to Have Rung Just After the Fatal Shot.

Revenge as a Probable Motive for the Randolph Murder.

Funeral Today of the Little Victim of the Sunday Tragedy.

Considerable allowance must be made in a case like the Randolph mystery for newspaper reports of the alleged sayings of a boy of 14 years like Harris Dexter; also of the reported sayings of detectives and the district attorney who generally talk but little.

As the Ledger understands it, Harris Dexter did not state positively that there were two men concerned, but he thought there was. Probably there were not. If the man wore whiskers and no moustache, it is very probable that he was disguised, and if he was disguised he certainly came to the house with serious intentions which boded no good to the occupants.

It is a very easy way for the police to get out of it, by accusing a little 14 year old boy. They say what motive could anyone else have had, but many mysterious things are done apparently without a motive. Pray, what motive could Harris Dexter have had? None at all.

Harris and Parker were loving brothers. They were well-behaved boys with a good home training. They owned no revolver, and were not familar with the use of one.

The Herald today says: The police of Randolph are as far as ever, apparently from solving the question: "Who shot little Parker Dexter on Sunday in his home on Pond street, and where is the revolver with which he did it?" The older brother of the murdered boy, Harris Dexter, is staunch in his adherence to his original story, that a big man with black whiskers and no mustache was the murderer, and no amount of questioning by the officers has induced him to deviate from that statement.

It was stated yesterday at Randolph that Harris Dexter has said that just after the fatal shot was fired the telephone bell in the house rang, and that he believes the murderer heard it, and thinking perhaps, the surviving boy was calling for assistance, hastened away from the house. This statement, if true may account for the fact that nothing in the house was disturbed, upon which some who have disbelieved the story that an unknown man committed the deed have commented.

All attempts to find any person who had any enmity against Mr. Dexter which might have prompted such a horrible revenge have been futile. Mr. Dexter has declared that he had not a known enemy in the world, and he has been favorably known in the town during his residence of more than 16 years in the house which was the scene of the tragedy. He is a Mason and an Odd Fellow.

The nearest house to that of Mr. Dexter is a third of a mile away. It is opposite the pumping station and near Robbins' grove. In the woods along the shore of the pond are several cottages, mostly occupied only in summer. It is said that a great deal of drinking goes on in the woods at times, and it has been surmised that perhaps some of the men who have participated in these orgies at some time may have wandered on to Mr. Dexter's premises and been driven off, and may have sought revenge, and apparently the police have been running down this possible clew.

The fact that there was blood on the shirt of Harris Dexter when the physicians and police arrived is not considered at all surprising, for he says he tried to help his brother and got the blood on his shirt in that manner.

Harris Dexter has many acquaintances, all of whom speak of him in the highest terms. "He is a perfect little gentleman," said one of them. Harris is a student at Thayer Academy at South Braintree, and is a bright scholar. He and his brother were especially fond of each other and were always together when not at school.

One of the residents of Randolph said last evening, "Harris Dexter never shot his brother, and you will find out so one of these days. The police have been unable to find the murderer and they want to fasten the crime on some one."

Yesterday afternoon the The Herald reporter talked with two boys, who would not give their names, who both said they know nothing of Harris or Parker Dexter having any revolver. One of them said the day before the Fourth he heard Harris say he wished he had a pistol. They both spoke very highly of the Dexters. Neither of them believed the shooting was accidental.

Medical Examiner Jones of Quincy was the first one who examined the revolver owned by Mr. Dexter. Soon after he was called to the house Sunday night by Dr. Chase, he asked Harris where his father kept his revolver. The boy said he did not know. In company with Weston Alden the medical examiner went upstairs and found the weapon in the commode drawer in Mr. Dexter's chamber. He found all the chambers loaded and smelled of the barrel, passing it to Mr. Alden with the remark that it had not been fired recently.

The funeral of Parker Dexter, the murdered boy will be held this afternoon from his late residence. The Rev. Edward Norton of Quincy, who is supplying a Randolph pulpit, will conduct the service.

Presentation Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy were visited Saturday evening at their home No. 20 Pleasant street, by about seventy-five of their friends. By the time the surprised couple had composed themselves and as best they could recognize and welcome their many friends, an elegant adjustable-end divan was ushered into the parlor, where Mr. Kennedy and his wife were escorted and presented with this elegant piece of furniture.

Ex-councilman Harry S. Nicol, in a brief speech made the presentation. Mr. Kennedy responded and thanked all present for their kindly remembrance of himself and wife.

After the presentation the party enjoyed themselves in singing and dancing. There was step dancing by Miss Sheriff, Miss Muir and Miss Helen Kennedy. Songs were rendered by Miss Teedan of Pawtucket, Miss Annie Sherriff, Miss Mamie Kennedy, Mrs. Cavan, Mr. David Taylor, Mr. Daniel Donovan, Mr. A. Perry and Mr. Robert Kennedy.

Mr. Harley Smith and Mr. F. McNeil took an active part in serving the refreshments.

—The valuation of Milton, the richest town in the State, is $87,172, 900; an increase of $1,079,100 in valuation the past year.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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☞ Main Spring while you wait. Watch cleaned, $1.—Williams.

May Breakfast.

One of the great institutions of Lynn is the annual May breakfast to which the public is invited. They have trouble in getting a building large enough. The Lynn Item says: May breakfast in the great Realty building in Liberty square is a novelty that will be attractive. This annual function has been popular from its very inception, and no building yet has been found large enough to meet the demands of the feast. The proposed location meets all conditions, easy of access, plenty of room, and general availability. Another year and the great building will be occupied with machinery, and be a literal hive of industry, and what will the Associated Charities do then? Well, by that time there may be another Realty block in process of erection that will afford the necessary space.

Master Builders' Banquet.

The banquet of the Master Builders' Association will be held this evening in the Quincy Music Hall. The guests who have accepted include President Bowles and General Manager Smith of the Fore River Ship & Engine Co., Congressman McNary, Judge Avery and Hon. W. B. Rice. Senator Brackett will be unable to attend.

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Full line of Rubber Tires and Bicycle Sundries.

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Quincy, March 28. tf

THREE QUESTIONS CONSIDERED.

Relative to Increased Accommodations for High School Pupils.

Opposed to New Building in Ward Three; Also to Annex on Dorothy Q. Lot.

Vote in Favor of an Enlargement of the Present High School Building.

An important meeting of the School Committee was held Tuesday evening. Messrs. Porter, Smith, Churchill, Burke, Record, Hallowell, Hunting and Miss Adams were present.

In the absence of Secretary Parlin, Miss Adams was elected secretary pro tem.

The greater part of the evening was devoted to High school matters and the board put itself on record by a vote of 5 to 2 as being against building a new High school at South Quincy; against building an annex on the Dorothy Q lot, and as in favor of building an addition to the present building.

These three propositions were submitted to the board by the joint committees of the City Council. They had been considered by a sub-committee whose report was as above noted.

In support of their report the committee said the estimated cost of maintenance of the High school based on 600 pupils was $14,867.

To have two High schools with one head master and two sub masters [illegible] estimated cost of maintenance [illegible] 400; to have two High schools a[illegible] headmasters $20,050.

The whole city rather than a distri[illegible] should be considered. To have two buildings for 600 pupils the cost of maintenance would be at least $6,000 more than 600 pupils under one roof.

The report was accepted and the question came on adoption.

Mr. Burke argued in favor of erecting another High school. It was the better business proposition. The present plans for enlargement would cost from $135,000 to $140,000. It should be considered as a whole. We know that the increase will be such that as soon as the north wing is built the City Council will be asked to build the other wing.

Over 60 per cent of the school population live in the west and south part of the city. Should a fire or epidemic occur in the present building we would have no resources. We should consider the least cost to the taxpayers.

Dr. Hallowell asked Mr. Burke how he reconciled his statement when as a matter of fact, of the present High school pupils, only thirty percent came from the South and West districts.

Mr. Burke—Should say that pupils from the west part of Ward Two and the south part of Ward One would go to the new building.

Mr. Churchill—Do you not think one High school can be run more economically than two?

Mr. Burke—No. Two can be run just as cheap as one. The way the committee has reported, the cost of running the High school as we would like [illegible] see it has not been considered.

Mr. Porter—There would be [illegible] of $1800 in sub m[illegible] building. [illegible] winter [illegible] the [illegible] present [illegible] to a school on the Dorothy lot they would have to walk one-fourth of a mile. There was no necessity in the matter of transportation.

Dr. Record—How large a building would you have at South Quincy?

Mr. Burke—One at least of twelve rooms to accommodate 600 pupils.

Dr. Record—The committee got no estimate of any High school building that costs less than $140,000 to accommodate that number.

Mr. Porter—You cannot accommodate 600 in a twelve or sixteen room building. You must have not less than twenty rooms. It is a different proposition from a grade school. In a High school you have got to have a hall, class rooms, lavatory, chemical, manual train-

(Continued on Page 4.)

Easter Sunday will Soon be Here.

There is an old Superstition that good luck will abide with you throughout the year, if you wear something new on Easter Morning.

Are YOU going to appear in New Spring Togs? Here they are.

New Spring Suits, New Top Coats, The Swell Rain Coat, The Correct Hat.

The LATEST Ideas in Gloves, Fancy Hose, Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, and The Right Tie.

They are all here in Great Variety.

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Handsome Suits in Russian Blouse, Sailor Blouse, Norfolks, "Buster Brown," and Double Breasted,

In neat effects are all here awaiting your inspection.

The Person who comes to look is as welcome as the one who calls to buy. Suppose you drop in for a look, and see what's what. We're always at Your Service.

YOURS FOR GOOD CLOTHING.



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March 30. 4t

Major Gen. O. O. Howard

WILL LECTURE AT

Bethany Church, Quincy,

Under auspices of the

Woman's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A.

Proceeds for Building Furnishing Fund.

Wednesday Evening,

APRIL 6th, at 8 o'clock.

SUBJECT:

Battle of Gettysburg

The surviving leaders in our great Civil War have become few in number. Soon there will be none who can speak from personal experience of that great drama. General Howard was a distinguished participant, and is an eloquent speaker.

Tickets on sale at Hill's Pharmacy.

25, 35 and 50 cents.

March 30. l-6t--p-1w

HOUSE TO BE GIVEN AWAY.

HOUSE ON WILLARD STREET, 58,370 feet of Land to be sold in lots to suit. One lot, size 60x132, having a fine orchard and partly burned house which will be given free with price of land. For further particulars apply to J. MAGLOTT, 5 Willard Street, West Quincy. March 30—1-2t--p-1w

By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer.

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REAL ESTATE

—OF—

L. E. McTEER,

Will be sold at Public Auction from premises No. 8 Fort Street, South Quincy, Mass., on

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The property consists of an 8-Room House in good repair, about 1-4 acre land, located in the centre of everything that one desires in these modern days. This place will make a comfortable home and should command attention.

Sale positive as owner has left the city and does not care to hold the real estate.

Give this your attention, some one will get a trade, no strings to the sale. Positive sale to highest bidder.

For information apply to Auctioneer or Julius Johnson, Adams Building.

$100 deposit on day of sale, balance on easy terms.

March 25. 7t

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of

JOHN A. WIGHT,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make payment to me,

[illegible]OWMAN, Administrator.

[illegible]reet.

3t--16-23-30

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss.

TO the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

ELIZABETH S. BARKER,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to William F. Barker of said Quincy, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of April, A. D., 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1904.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

March 16. 3t--16-23-30

JAMES F. BURKE,

REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE.

MORTGAGES.

Justice of the Peace. Notary Public.

Room 4, Savings Bank Building.

June 5. tf

C. C. HEARN'S UNUSUAL OFFER.

Sell Dr. Howard's Specific at Half-Price, and Guarantee a Cure.

"It isn't often that I have faith enough in the medicine put up by other people to be willing to offer to refund the money if it does not cure," said Chas. C. Hearn to a Ledger man who dropped into his store, "but I am glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that basis.

"The Dr. Howard Company, in order to get a quick introductory sale, authorizes me to sell their regular fifty cent bottles at half-price, 25 cents, and, although I have sold a lot of it, and have guaranteed every package, not one has been brought back as unsatisfactory.

"One great advantage of this specific," he continued, "is its small dose and convenient form. There are sixty doses in a vial that can be carried in the vest pocket or purse, and every one has more medicinal power than a big pill or tablet, or a tumbler of mineral water.

"I am still selling the specific at half-price, although I cannot tell how long I shall be able to do so, and anyone who is subject to constipation, sick headache, dizziness, liver trouble, indigestion, or a general played-out condition, ought to take advantage of this chance. You can tell your readers that if they are not satisfied with the specific they can come right back to my store and I will cheerfully refund their money." 23-30-6

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GOOD AFTERNOON.

A young lady named Aniline Dye recently took her own life in St. Louis. She faded away.

It must be terribly exciting to live on the shores of the Yellow Sea where there is "a decisive naval battle fought" every day. We should think it would cause nervous prostration.

Interested parties in Washington are making a desperate effort to have Congress fasten a civil pension list upon the government. It will fail. If clerks who have been in the employ of the country for many years at a much higher salary than the clergy or school teachers of the country get and who earn twice the average income of farmers, cannot save enough to live on by the time they are sixty or seventy, they should ask nobody to take care of them.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Lawson testifies that he and Rogers had dealings together to the amount of $100,000,000, and that their profits on one deal were over $46,000,000, and all this on verbal contracts. He also says that $1,000,000 of stock that was set aside for him, was held by Rogers, who engaged Lawson as his broker, to sell it for him, and then undertook to prove that it was Lawson's because he handled it. There is said to be honor among thieves, but how is it among brokers, and gas speculators, and copper manipulators? Lawson must have felt very bad when he found that he had been cheated out of that million, and also been made the messenger to carry off the spoil.—Lynn Item.

Strikes are often compared to [illegible] which, indeed, they do resemble [illegible] any particulars, though it is dangerous to carry the parallel too far, in either justification or condemnation. So far as the cost, the loss, and the waste are concerned, the likeness is very apparent; so also is the damage which befalls the non-combatants, and the demoralization of useful activities in many directions. Except for our complex system of society and industry there could be no such thing as a great strike; but it is that very complexity which distributes the disasters, when there are disasters, far and wide. Several thousand men, idle for weeks in succession in a city like New York, set in motion influences which are felt far beyond their own vicinage. The strikers themselves may not think of this; and when the fact is brought to their attention they may resent it or glory in it, according to their temper—but the truth holds in either event.—New Bedford Standard.

—Alexander Willis, a rural letter carrier at Great Shellford, Eng., is a wonderful old man. In July, 1861, he began his letter carrying duties, and during the subsequent 38 years, in which he walked a total distance of 84,000 miles, he never missed a single delivery. Although Willis is over 70 years of age he continues his work and covers a six-mile circuit daily.

—Some Egyptian boats made of cedar probably in use 4500 years ago, have been found buried near the banks of the Nile, and furnish an interesting proof of the power of that wood to withstand the ravages of time.



It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents [illegible] cents.

RUSSIANS ON THE OFFENSIVE

Force a Battle Fifty Miles Northwest of Ping Yang

THEY MET WITH DEFEAT

Cavalry and Infantry on Both Sides Engaged In the Battle--Russians Reinforced by Three Companies and Attacked Japanese With Cross Fire--Latter Failed to Occupy Position Evacuated by the Enemy--Bravery of Japs Recognized

St. Petersburg, March 30.—General Kuropatkin, in his first report to the emperor from the scene of war, announced that offensive land operations had taken place against the Japanese upon the sixth anniversary of the occupation of Port Arthur by the Russians. These operations took the form of a cavalry attack by six companies of Cossacks, led personally by General Mishtchenko, against four squadrons of Japanese cavalry which the general believed to be beyond Chong Ju, but which he found in occupation of that town.

Despite a cross-fire which General Mishtchenko cleverly directed against the enemy, he pays a tribute to their tenacity and bravery, the Japanese only ceasing to fire after a combat which lasted for half an hour. Before the Russians could follow up their advantage three Japanese squadrons galloped towards the town, which two of them succeeded in entering, while the third was driven back in disorder, men and horses falling.

The fire maintained from the town was so destructive that the Japanese were unable to make an effective return.

Further Japanese reinforcements arrived an hour later and in view of the superiority of the enemy, General Mishtchenko determined to retire, doing so without embarrassment, although he carried with him three killed and 16 wounded.

Cavalry and infantry on both sides were engaged. The Russians occupied a commanding position. The Japanese fought gallantly, but owing to their heavy losses were unable to occupy the position abandoned by the Russians.

General Mishtchenko's Cossacks have been endeavoring for some days to come in contact with the Japanese patrols, but the latter refused the combat. This skirmish will have the effect of firing the policy of the Russians to retard as much as possible the advance of the Japanese army.

General Kuropatkin's dispatch reporting General Mishtchenko's operations does not give the place of its origin, but it is presumed that the commander-in-chief is either at Liao Yang or en route to New Chwang.

General Kuropatkin's report is as follows: "I have the honor to respectfully communicate to your majesty the report of General Mishtchenko, dated March 28, at 10 p. m., which says:

"'For three consecutive days our small outposts attempted to draw the Japanese cavalry into action, but their patrols, after contact was established, retired beyond Chong Ju (about 50 miles northwest of Ping Yang).

"'Having learned that four squadrons of the enemy were posted five versts beyond Chong Ju, on March 27 six companies marched toward Kasan and on March 28 reached Chong Ju at 10:30 a. m. As soon as our scouts approached the town the enemy opened fire from behind the wall. Two squadrons promptly dismounted and occupied the heights 600 yards distant. An engagement ensued.

"'In the town a company of infantry and a squadron of cavalry were lying in ambush. Our men were reinforced by three companies and attacked the Japanese with a cross fire. Notwithstanding this and our commanding position, the Japanese gallantly held their ground and it was only after a fierce fight of half an hour's duration that they ceased fire and sought refuge in the houses. The Japanese hoisted the Red Cross flag at two points.

"'Soon afterward three squadrons of the enemy were seen advancing along the Kasan road at full gallop toward the town, which two of the squadrons succeeded in entering while the third fell back in disorder, under repeated volleys from our troops. A number of men and horses were seen to fall.

"'For an hour afterwards our companies continued to fire on the Japanese in the town, preventing them from leaving the streets and houses.

"'An hour and a half after the beginning of the engagement four companies were seen on the Kasan road hastening to attack. I gave the order to mount and the entire force, with a covering squadron, advanced in perfect order and formed in line behind the hill. The wounded were placed in front and the retirement was carried out with the deliberation of a parade.

"'The Japanese squadron, which was thrown into disorder, was evidently unable to occupy the hill which we had just evacuated and their infantry arrived too late.

"'The detachment protecting our rear guard arrived quietly at Kasan, where we halted for two hours in order to give attention to our wounded. At 9 p. m. our force reached Noo San

"'It is supposed that the Japanese had heavy losses in men and horses. Our side unfortunately had three officers severely wounded—Stepanoff and Androonke in the chest and Vaselevitch in the stomach. Schilnikoff was less seriously wounded in the arm, but did not leave the field. Three Cossacks were killed and 12 were wounded, including five seriously.'

"General Mistchenko bears witness to the excellent conduct and gallantry of the officers and Cossacks, and especially praises the Third company of the Argunsk regiment, commanded by Krasnostanoff."

Size of Armies Not Known

London, March 30.—No Japanese report of the land operations in Korea has yet been received here and there is much speculation as to the size of the opposing armies, regarding which there is no reliable information.

A correspondent at Russian headquarters in Mukden telegraphs that according to reports received there about 10,000 Japanese have crossed the river at Chin Changau and 5000 have advanced north from Chong Ju.

The Chronicle's Shanghai correspondent asserts that practically the whole Japanese army in Korea, consisting of 100,000 men, is concentrated at Pan Chen and Anju, only small detachments being left in southern Korea to maintain communications.

Arguing on "Sealed Letter"

New Haven, March 30.—Philo S. Bennett's will was admitted as a competent document for probation by Judge Gager of the superior court, as the result of the first day's hearing in the appeal of William J. Bryan from the decision of the probate court which disallowed the "sealed letter" found with the will and which gives Mr. Bryan $50,000. The chief contention—the admissibility of the "sealed letter" as evidence—was being argued by counsel at the time the court adjourned for the day.

Victory For Royal Arcanum

Lincoln, Neb., March 30.—The effort to drive the Royal Arcanum from Nebraska has failed. It was made by the representatives of a home insurance order on the ground that Massachusetts fraternal companies' rates were lower than those fixed by the fraternal congress and were therefore a violation of the reciprocal laws. The Nebraska insurance auditor decides that the fraternal sections are exempt from the reciprocal features.

Boy Bleeding to Death

Kensington, Conn., March 30.—As the result of being hit by a foul tip while watching a game of baseball here Edward McKeon, 17 years old, will probably die. He is bleeding freely from the nose and efforts of the physicians to stop the flow of blood have been futile. The force of the ball hitting him ruptured arteries in McKeon's nose, the doctors state.

Granite Cutters May Quit Work

Milford, Mass., March 30.—The Granite Cutters' union voted to reject the offer of the Granite Manufacturers' association of $3 a day for the minimum wage of 42 cents an hour for the better laborers. Unless some new action is taken the cutters will stop work Thursday night, their old contract expiring on that date. This affects several thousand workmen.

Instructed For Parker

New York, March 30.—Democratic county conventions in Madison and Oswego counties passed resolutions instructing delegates to the state convention to favor an instructed delegation from the state for Judge Parker. The Chenango county convention passed resolutions commendatory to Parker, but left the delegation to the state convention uninstructed.

Green's Murderer Insane

New York, March 30.—Doctors MacDonald and Flint, insanity experts, examined Cornelius Williams, the negro who murdered Andrew H. Green, and pronounced him, in their opinion, insane. Williams will, therefore, be sent to an insane asylum, where he will be kept until he is cured. He will then be placed on trial for Green's murder.

Union Conditions Recognized

Washington, March 30.—Secretary Duncan of the Granite Cutters' National union has effected a settlement with the Mount Airy Granite company of Mount Airy, N. C., which provides that hereafter none but union granite cutters shall do their work. The settlement closes a contention which has covered a period of nine years.

French Labor Troubles

Paris, March 30.—The strike resulting from the application of the new socialist law establishing a maximum of 10 hours for labor in the department of the north is assuming serious proportions and threatening to involve most of the large textile factories. Several minor clashes have taken place with the military.

Japan Her Destination

Boston, March 30.—The protected cruiser DesMoines, which has been laid up at the Charlestown navy yard for three weeks, started for eastern waters today. The DesMoines will first go to England, and thence direct to Japan, where the vessel will join the Asiatic squadron.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Thursday, March 31.

Sun rises—5:29; sets—6:09.

Full moon—7:44 a. m.

High water—11 a. m.; 11:30 p. m.

Pressure continues high over Atlantic coast districts. The weather in New England will be fair.

CITY BREVITIES.

League bowling this evening.

All the frost is out of the ground.

Master Builders' banquet this evening.

The new house of Elmer Ricker and the residence of John F. Hunt on Bigelow street are being connected with the sewer.

Reference to the next Legislature has been reported on the petition of Peter T. Fallon for authority to construct a bridge over Town river near the electric light station.

As a military writer, General Howard has an unusual power of distinguishing main events and their causes from things merely incidental or adventurous. A lecture by him on a campaign is a piece of history. Gen. Howard will speak at Bethany chapel, Wednesday evening, April 6.

Stainers' Great Work.

The choirs of Christ church and St. Chrysostom's church will sing Stainer's great work, "The Crucifixion," on Good Friday evening at Christ church. While this is most distinctly a religous composition and the service will be in no sense a concert, it is thought best to have admission by ticket in order to prevent the serious over-crowding of last year.

Melville the Only Survivor

Manistique, Mich., March 30.—With the death here of Frank X. E. Mansion, it is believed there is but one survivor of the ill-fated Arctic expedition commanded by DeLong. This is Rear Admiral Melville. Mansion's death was due to his experiences in the Arctic. Long crippled with rheumatism, he was stricken with paralysis five years ago and had since been practically helpless.

Strike Considered Unlikely

Boston, March 30.—An informal conference of representatives of the Coal Teamsters' union and the coal dealers was held to discuss the demands of the former for increased wages and reduced hours. No agreement was reached, but it is believed that the trouble will be satisfactorily adjusted without recourse to a strike.

Mail Ordered Held Up

Boston, March 30.—As the result of evidence forwarded to Washington by Postoffice Inspector Snow, Postmaster Hibbard has been directed to intercept all mail arriving here for the Preferred Mercantile company of Boston. The company is charged with using the United States mails for fraudulent purposes.

Sick Man Hanged Himself

North Adams, Mass., March 30.—Thomas K. Ladd, 57 years old, a veteran of the Civil war and a prominent member of the First Congregational church, committed suicide by hanging in his barn. Ladd had been ill for some time.

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At All stores	Elsewhere	List Price	Cut Price
POTATOES—Fancy Pk.	30	28	25c
HEINZ'S MIXED PICKLES, Qt. jar,	20	16	14c
MOLASSES—Porto Rico, Qt. can,	16	13	11c
STARCH—Extra Laundry, 3-lb pkg.,	30	25	20c
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RIGHTS OF CONSULS

Martial Law at New Chwang May Raise Serious Question

EXERCISE OF FUNCTIONS

Not Recalled That It Has Been Customary For Belligerents to Interfere In Time of War--United States Will Use Caution

St. Petersburg, March 30.—The emperor has received a dispatch from General Kuropatkin giving a lengthy report from General Mishtchenko, which says that an important engagement took place near the town of Chong Ju, in which the Russians were defeated, retiring in perfect order. The Japanese suffered heavily, but the Russian losses are not stated.

Washington, March 30.—Minister Conger has cabled the state department from Pekin that the Russian authorities have declared martial law at New Chwang and have formally notified all foreigners.

Mr. Conger's message makes no reference to the reported hauling down of foreign flags by the Russians. The officials here assume that if this has been done it simply means that Russia has assumed the responsibility for the protection of foreign property belonging to the belligerents, and that no effort will be made to interfere with the consular flags.

Nor does Mr. Conger refer to the reported notice from the Russian authorities at New Chwang to the consuls that they may no longer exercise consular jurisdiction and consular functions, especially extra territorial jurisdiction. It is said that if any such action has been taken it will raise a very serious question, for the consuls exercise their power in this treaty port under treaty stipulation with a sovereign power which is not party to the war. It is not recalled, moreover, that it has been customary in time of war for belligerents to undertake to deprive consuls of their functions.

However, the state department is determined to move with the utmost circumspection and deliberation in taking any action or lodging any protest which might convey the impression that the United States was injecting itself into the present struggle without the most pressing necessity. In fact, it is stated that it is the intention to let matters run along for a while in order to allow actual experience to determine whether American interests really suffer from any of the acts taken by the belligerents in Manchuria as a result of these various notices and proclamations.

Part of this policy is to refrain from pushing to their posts Messrs. Cheshire and Davidson, the American consuls at Mukden and Antung, respectively. Mukden is an armed camp and Antung is in the very vortex of the war and it is realized here that it might be embarrassing to the belligerents to have foreign consuls newly located there, especially as their coming could not be defended on the ground of trade necessity, for there is no trade at present between these towns and the United States.

Secretary Hay's callers yesterday included Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister, and Sir Cheng Tung Liang Cheng, the Chinese minister, but they came separately and said that they were seeking news.

American Flag Hauled Down

London, March 30.—A correspondent of The London Times at New Chwang says: "The Russians have ordered the American flag on the correspondents' mess to be hauled down. The proclamation of martial law completely paralyzes the whole commerce of this port."

Duck Hunters Meet Death

Chicago, March 30.—Four men were drowned in Lake Calumet by the capsizing of their boats while hunting ducks. The men were in rowboats, two men being in each boat. The men were seen from the shore to rise in their boats and fire at a flock of ducks that passed over them. Just as they fired their boats went over.

Reduction In Price of Coal

Philadelphia, March 30.—The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company has issued a circular reducing the price of domestic sizes of anthracite coal 50 cents, the reduction to take effect April 1. The Pennsylvania Railroad Coal company will follow the action of the Reading company.

Judge Orders Daly's Acquittal

New York, March 30.—Phil Daly, Jr., was, by direction of the court, acquitted of the charge of maintaining a gambling house, after District Attorney Jerome had presented an argument in opposition to a motion by Daly's counsel for a dismissal of the case.

Bulk of Delegates For Davis

Little Rock, March 30.—Returns from 71 out of 75 counties show that 802 delegates to the state convention favorable to the nomination of Governor Davis were chosen. The number necessary to nominate is 222.

Pledge of $40,000 Made Good

St. Louis, March 30.—It is announced by the committee in charge of arrangements for the national Democratic convention that the $40,000 pledged to the national committee has been subscribed by business men.

COCKRAN'S INQUIRY

Seeks Light on Pension Ruling by Interior Department

Washington, March 30.—Representative Cockran (N. Y.) introduced a resolution in the house providing that the committee on the judiciary be instructed to inquire and report to the house whether there is any authority of law for the recent order of the secretary of the interior granting pensions to all veterans 62 years old and, if no such authority is found, to report whether the issue of the order amounts to a usurpation by the executive of the constitutional powers of the legislative and what steps, if any, should be taken to vindicate the constitutional authority of congress, and particularly of the house, over the raising and expenditure of revenues.

The secretary of the interior sent to the senate a communication in response to Senator Overman's resolution directing the secretary to furnish the senate a copy of the recent pension order issued by the department making 62 years the minimum age limit for pensions and to report by what amount the order will increase pensions annually. The communication was long and recited reasons heretofore given for issuing the order.

In regard to the increase of pension appropriations needed to carry the order into effect, the secretary gives the estimate of the acting commissioner of pensions, $5,400,000, made public with the order.

Stuck to Jeff Davis

Washington, March 30.—Burton N. Harrison, a lawyer of New York, husband of Mrs. Burton Harrison, the authoress, and father of Congressman Harrison of New York city, died here last night, aged 65. He was born in New Orleans and graduated from Yale in 1859. During the war he was private secretary to Jefferson Davis, remaining with him in the relation almost as a son as well as of a secretary, to the end of the war. He shared in the capture of Davis, rather than forsake his fortunes at their fall.

No Case Against Pacy

Lynn, Mass., March 30.—David H. V. Pacy, the Boston hotel clerk who has been held since last Thursday in connection with the murder of John J. Tucker, walked out of court today a free man. Pacy was arrested through evidence of two men who claimed to have recognized in him the man who shot Tucker the night before. Pacy declared his innocence and a dozen hotel employes as well as the proprietor came to this city twice to establish an alibi, which was recognized by District Attorney Peters.

A Child's Change of Front

Chicago, March 30.—Five young men were on trial for murder here, the witness being a little girl, Appolina Starosta, who first gave direct, straightforward, eye-witness testimony apparently establishing beyond question the guilt of the men. Yesterday she repudiated her sworn evidence. The child declared that she had been instructed how to testify by the widow of the murdered man. Charges were withdrawn and the five men set free by order of the court.

Servia Will Square Herself

Belgrade, March 30.—A settlement of the difficulties between Servia and certain of the powers resulting from the assassination of the late King Alexander and Queen Draga will be announced next week, involving the removal from the court of the officers concerned in the conspiracy which resulted in the assassinations. The changes will justify the powers in restoring diplomatic relations with Belgrade.

Kept His Own Dying Record

Escanaba, Mich., March 30.—Clutching a record he had written showing his condition from day to day as he lay dying of a fever, the body of Hans C. Jepson was found in a log shanty in the woods 40 miles from here. His nearest neighbor lived 15 miles away. The diary covers a period of 18 days and indicates the progress of the fever which culminated in death on the day of the last scrawl of the diary.

Boys Used Train For Target

New York, March 30.—Passengers on a local train while passing through a cut in the Bronx last night were alarmed by a succession of rifle shots which shivered several windows. The train was brought to a halt and a search of the cut resulted in the capture of two boys, armed with a rifle.

Bindery Strike at Chicago

Chicago, March 30.—The strike of bindery girls in several of the large printing and publishing houses has been given the support of the men's bindery union. The men refused to work on material handled by non-union girls.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Representatives acting for Baron Von Sternberg have leased one of the most beautiful estates at Lenox, Mass., for the use of the German ambassador during the summer and autumn.

The Cunard Steamship company's report for 1903 shows a profit of $1,359,830 and a dividend of 4 percent.

Rev. Samuel L. Bates, for 13 years secretary of the Vermont State Congregational convention, died at his home at Burlington, aged 72. He was a native of Brookfield, Vt.

George L. Moore, superintendent of maintenance of way of the Chicago and Alton railroad, has resigned to take a similar position with the Rutland railroad in Vermont.

Postmaster General Payne is now able to move about without the use of crutches.

FUNDS MISAPPLIED

Receivers For a Concern Whose Treasurer Is Missing

Boston, March 30.—The American Marine Transportation company, builders and constructors of vessels, with a plant in East Boston, passed into the hands of receivers, T. A. Appolonio and A. P. Friend being appointed by Judge Lowell of the United States circuit court.

The present condition of the company's affairs is said to be due to the unexpected absence of Everett Abbott, treasurer of the company. The total amount of the company's liabilities is $21,500. The company gives as assets $80,000, which amount has been expended on one ship now in progress of construction, and upon which there is a lien of $20,000.

The bill states that Everett Abbott, the treasurer, abandoned his duties on March 13, at which time he left Boston; that since his departure his books and accounts have been found to be inaccurate and misleading; that he has misapplied the funds of said company and that an investigation will be necessary.

Suspicion of Double Murder

Boston, March 30.—A double murder, rather than murder and suicide, is the latest assumption upon which the police are proceeding in the Brown family tragedy at Roslindale. Willis H. Wilson, son of the murdered woman, is detained by the police pending further inquiry into the manner of death met by Frank A. Brown and Dora, his wife, on Saturday. The fact that the woman's wounds are powder-scorched, while the wound of the man is not, is difficult to reconcile with Wilson's story that his stepfather shot his wife and then himself. Further, Brown was a right-handed man, and he was shot in the left ear, the ball ranging horizontally into his head.

Shoe Workers' Wages Reduced

Brookfield, Mass., March 30.—A pricelist cutting the wages of feed men from 20 to 25 percent from the old scale has been submitted to the Boot and Shoe Workers' union by the T. H. Moulton company. It is to take effect immediately and continue one year. Action on the new scale will be taken by the union Thursday night. The factory has been closed, all orders, it is stated, having been filled. About 300 hands are affected.

Electrical Workers Lose Jobs

New London, Conn., March 30.—Fifty-three electrical workers employed at the plant of the Eastern Shipbuilding company asked Superintendent Bessellevre to discharge Ernest B. Corson, who they allege acted in the interest of the company against them in their strike last summer. The superintendent declined to discharge Corson and, on the refusal of the men to work with him, discharged the whole 53.

Jail Inmate Kills Himself

Springfield, Mass., March 30.—William P. Casey of Westfield, aged 28, committed suicide in Hampden county jail by cutting his throat with a knife which he snatched from a work bench. He severed both jugular veins. Casey was committed on a three months' sentence for drunkenness. It is believed that he was depressed and melancholy over his confinement.

Resigns Government Position

Boston, March 30.—Assistant United States District Attorney Casey has forwarded his resignation to Attorney General Knox. He gives as his reason a desire to devote all his time to his extensive private law practice. Mr. Casey was appointed assistant district attorney in 1893 and has handled many important criminal cases in this city.

To Fight Carpenters' Union

Springfield, Mass., March 30.—The Master Carpenters' association of this city, Chicopee and West Springfield, voted last night that each member put up a $200 forfeit as a guarantee of good faith in the contest which is to be made against the Carpenters' union, which has asked for an increase in pay of 50 cents a day, to take effect May 1.

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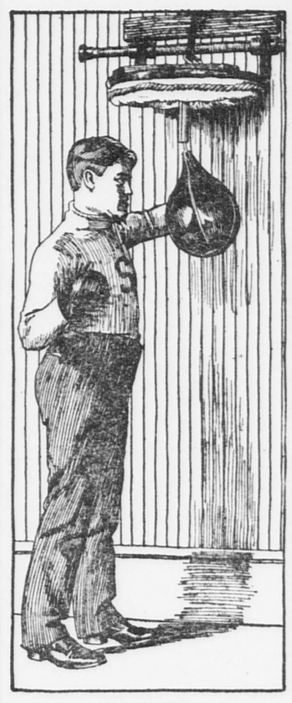
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The Sporting World.

Topics of the Moment Among Horsemen and Pugilists. Jockey Robbins.

Jockey Walter F. Robbins is the latest pupil of the Crescent City Jockey club's kindergarten for riders who will make a bid for eastern patronage and money this season. He will ride on the New York tracks, but just who his employer will be has not been definitely decided upon. He has had two offers—one from James R. Keene and the other from Tom Healy, the trainer for R. T. Wilson, Jr.

Robbins is third on the winning list of riders at the New Orleans track. He has had great success with Doc Street's horses, which are all leased



YOUNG CORBETT PUNCHING THE BAG.
[Young Corbett, the wonderful little Denver featherweight fighter, is a splendid bag puncher. He believes the exercise to be most valuable and always indulges in it while in training for a fight. Young Corbett recently wrote a book on bag punching, and in it he displayed a wonderful knowledge of the scientific side of the sport.]

thoroughbreds belonging to James R. Keene. Through this lad's clever handling these horses have won $14,298, nearly $3,000 more than any other stable secured during the winter.

It was this success and ability in the saddle that caused Mr. Keene, through an agent, to ask Robbins his terms for his services during the summer months. The lad wired that he would accept a $1,000 retaining fee, with the additional $25 and $10 winning and losing mounts.

This offer had scarcely been sent when Robbins received a telegram from Healy asking him not to close with any other horseman before he had heard from R. T. Wilson, Jr. Healy said that the young millionaire horseman was out of the city and that he would try to secure some proposition from him looking toward Robbins' services.

All this occurred but recently. Since then no further moves have been made toward the employment of Robbins. In all probability he will ride for Mr. Wilson this summer.

Robbins has had two years' experience in the saddle on the western tracks and is considered a first class rider, as he has nice hands and is an excellent judge of pace. His particular forte is riding in front of the field. He can ride at ninety-five pounds.

Physicians state that "Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien, who recently fought Tommy Ryan for the middleweight championship, is endangering his life by his continued activity. He has fought so many battles during the last two years that a well known medical man says that unless he takes a rest he will drop dead of heart disease within a year or two. Another specialist, however, has assured him that his heart is sound and all he need worry about is a slight disorder in his stomach. The next doctor who comes along will be claiming that O'Brien is suffering from enlargement of the chest if he keeps up his winning gait over the kind of company he fights.

O'Brien has a wonderful muscular development. The Quaker City boxer when stripped ready for the fray is a physical marvel. His arm, neck and shoulder muscles stand out like whipcords. In this respect O'Brien is in a class by himself. He has all of the other boxers outclassed when it comes to muscles. Even Jim Jeffries has not the perfect muscular development O'Brien possesses.

Ordinarily the muscles of the fighter are little in evidence. When relaxed they are scarcely seen. Fighters do not believe that a heavy muscular development is necessary. Jeffries and Corbett have muscles that are supple, yet have power and strength. Fitzsimmons comes nearer to O'Brien in his muscular development than any of the other fighters. Notwithstanding the development of his body muscles, O'Brien possesses great speed. He is not muscle bound. He can land a terrific blow with as much speed as any of the topnotch boxers.

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7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
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r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 23	cba	1 49 r
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r 11 12	abc	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 15	dba	5 36 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston, b Norfolk Downs, c Atlantic, d Neponset, e Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.49 6.16 6.46 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—6.16 8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

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FIRST DIVISION.

TIME TABLE

Corrected to March 25th, 1904.

(Subject to change without notice.)

LEAVE QUINCY

For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brockville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH 5, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 mi ast each hour until 11.20 P M. (Addition Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.5) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as we rs.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25,), 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A M. 12.00,), 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.50 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs)—At 7.30 and 30 minutes past every hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10. Sundays: 8.30 A. M., then same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston)—6.05, 6.35 A M. then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.25 A M, then the same as week days.

LEAVE NEPONSET

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March 28. 6t

WANTED—Girl for general housework; to go home nights preferred — four in family, no children. Apply at 32 BIGELOW STREET.
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GIRL WANTED—In packing room at Graham Shoe Factory, Sumner street.
Quincy, March 23. tf

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TO LET—Tenements, all improvements. Apply to J. W. PRATT, 74 Independence avenue, Quincy Adams. Tel. 108-2.
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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	37	47	57	48	50
Monday,	43	47	52	46	44
Tuesday,	47	45	40	48	50
Wednesday,	50	56	53	49	55
Thursday,	—	57	48	40	45
Friday,	—	62	60	49	41
Saturday,	—	66	60	67	61

New Advertisements Today.

Notice.
House to be given away.
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Bethany Church—Battle of Gettysburg.
To Let—Rooms with board.
F. D. Fellows Co.—Easter Clothing.
Found—Yellow and White Dog.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

John Sweetser moved to Houghs Neck on Tuesday.

Stephen E. Wilson has opened new auction rooms at South Quincy.

Frank E. Parlin, superintendent of schools, is out of town this week.

Henry Glidden is having a veranda built on his house at Quincy Point.

Walter Burbank of Somerville spent Tuesday with friends at Quincy Point.

The electric light company is removing its old poles on Quincy avenue.

Hose 4 was called out on a still alarm at 8.30 Tuesday night for a grass fire on River street.

Mr. Haskins of Providence, R. I., has accepted a position at the Fore River shipyard.

Rev. E. N. Hardy pastor of Bethany Congregational church is confined to to his bed by illness.

A clam chowder will be served at the meeting of Paul Revere Post, G. A. R., on Thursday evening.

You can get something new for Easter at the clothing store of the F. D. Fellows Co. You are invited for a look.

The battleship Rhode Island is to be launched at the Fore River Ship and Engine Company yards on Saturday April 30.

NINETY YEARS OLD.

The Birthday Anniversary of George S. T. Whiting Observed.

Mr. George S. T. Whiting, a sketch of whose life was published a few years ago in the Ledger, celebrated his ninetieth birthday on Tuesday, at his home on Quincy avenue. Mr. Whiting had many callers during the afternoon and evening who not only extended their congratulations, but left flowers and many tokens of value. Mr. Whiting was assisted in receiving by his son, James B. Whiting and wife.

Although the hours of reception were from 2 to 10 o'clock, there was a stream of callers all day, many even calling the night before.

During the afternoon there was a brief congratulatory address by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy of the Bethany Congregational church, of which Mr. Whiting has been a member for 61 years. With the exception of Miss Judith Spear of Saville avenue he is the oldest member of the church.

There were also brief remarks by Dr. Joseph M. Sheahan, the family physician and Deacon Simeon Scammell.

During the early evening a number of the members of Unity circle of King's Daughters called to extend congratulation and leave remembrances, and the Christian Endeavor society sent flowers.

Mr. Whiting received many gifts during the day not a few of which were sums of money.

He is in excellent health in spite of his advanced years, and had a word of cheer for all. He told many amusing incidents of by-gone days in Quincy, and kept his callers in constant good humor.

A BIRTHDAY.

Ramblers Observe the Anniversary of Ward L. Hayward.

The Ramblers were out in full numbers Tuesday night. Word had gone forth that Ward Hayward was to have a birthday. Ward was born on the 29th of the month, and according to the rules of the club was 29 years old Tuesday.

The club members assembled at early candle light and at the first stroke of midnight the last guest closed the outer door behind him. It is needless to say that the evening was a pleasant one. The voices of the soloists and chorus was in good trim, the rough edges having been taken off with a fine grain file. Music, mirth and laughter prevailed. The poet read an original poem in which all the members were mentioned and then there was the supper. What more could be asked.

HIGH SCHOOL.

(Continued from page 1.)

ing, library, etc. Such a building would be cheap at $150,000.

Mr. Burke A building to accommodate 600 in some other part of the city, can be built for a great deal less than what a plan for enlarging the present building calls for.

Mr. Porter asked him his idea of the cost of a building to accommodate 600 pupils.

Mr. Burke could not be prevailed upon to give figures but said he had them from a competent builder.

Dr. Hallowell—It would be more expensive to accept a building as a gift and run it than to pay $150,000 for an addition to the present building.

Mr. Burke—Would not the educational results be just as good in two buildings?

Dr. Hallowell—No.

Mr. Burke—If I should say I had letters from five or six superintendents and prominent educators that there should not be more than 600 pupils in one building, what then?

Dr. Hallowell—I should say that they had not been given the correct proposition. No one will tell you it is a good idea to divide locally.

Mr. Burke—This was explained to them thoroughly.

Mr. Porter—It is easy for a person to give an off hand opinion without discussing the pro and con. The situation has got to be met some time. Then comes the question whether you wish to have a Latin and English school. He did not believe in crossing the bridge until we come to it.

Mr. Churchill—Would it not be better to effect the saving by one building and pay the difference to the teachers and thus retain our teachers. There is great harm done by changing teachers.

Mr. Burke—Have you considered the cost of additional teachers?

Mr. Porter—It would cost no more for teachers at the present building than at a new building. One hand washes the other.

Miss Adams—The school at present in the old building is run as a department. It is not proposed to run a new building as a department. What is the objection to the larger number in one building?

Mr. Burke—From an educational standpoint better results are obtained.

Miss Adams—How are they better?

Dr. Record—When are you going to get a school of 600 for a new building at South Quincy? Not for five, six or ten years. You will have less than 300.

Mr. Burke, in reply to Miss Adams, said he got his authority from educational experts.

Miss Adams believed a division a good thing, but not on the line of two schools. She would have them near together and the division made a classified basis. Two High schools in different parts of the city would not meet the wants of the people.

The report was then adopted by a vote of 5 to 2 as follows:

Yeas—Hallowell, Record, Hunting, Churchill and Smith—5.

Nays—Adams and Burke—2.

Not Voting—Porter.

GOULD PLANS FAVORED.

The sub committee who have been considering plans for the enlarging of the present High school reported that four sets of plans had been considered, viz:—Murray, Parks, Gould and Wright.

The committee recommended that the Gould plans be approved.

At this hour, however, several of the members were obliged to leave, and the matter of accepting or rejecting the report was postponed until a special meeting to be held Friday exening.

TEACHER ELECTED.

Miss Virginia Rowell was elected a teacher at the Lincoln school to fill vacancy.

FINANCES.

The financial report was as follows:

Salaries,	$25,371.57
Janitors,	1,772.46
Books, Supplies and Sundries,	2,651.57
Fuel,	78.88
Transportation,	165.60
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Boston, March 30.—Wallace H. Ham, formerly Boston manager of the American Surety company of New York, was sentenced late yesterday to serve not less than 15 nor more than 20 years in the state prison at hard labor. Ham last week pleaded guilty to two indictments charging him with the embezzlement of nearly $250,000 from the company and from the St. Luke's home for convalescents in Roxbury. The sentence was imposed by Judge Harris of the superior bench.

When Ham was brought into court at the close of the regular session of the day, to receive his sentence, every seat in the chamber was occupied and hundreds of people were standing in the corridors unable to gain admittance. Before announcing to the clerk the nature of the sentence, Judge Harris read a statement which was in the nature of a summary of the consideration which had led him to arrive at his decision.

"Mr. Bartlett," he said, turning to counsel for Ham, "I have considered the remarks which you made when the defendant pleaded guilty. I have also conferred with my associates, in order to make sure that the sentence imposed would meet with the approval of them. The defendant has offered a plea of guilty as a silent assent to the evidence of the government. This is a case of deliberate stealing which has been going on for years and of betraying of trusts imposed. Nothing has been sacred to this man. We even find that he has been stealing from an institution founded to aid sick women. He has been a shrewd and successful operator. Nothing has been offered by Ham to show what has become of the money which was appropriated. It does not seem to be plausible that he does not know.

"As Boston manager of the American Surety company of New York he had a warning constantly before him and he always held it up to others. There has been deliberate, methodical and persistent stealing and it demands a most substantial sentence. It has been represented that Ham already has suffered much, that he is in poor health. This court cannot consider the penalty which follows morally in the breaking of the laws. I assume that the commonwealth will not allow the defendant to suffer unnecessary physical pain."

The clerk then read the sentence of from 15 to 20 years in state prison, the first day in solitary confinement, and the rest at hard labor.

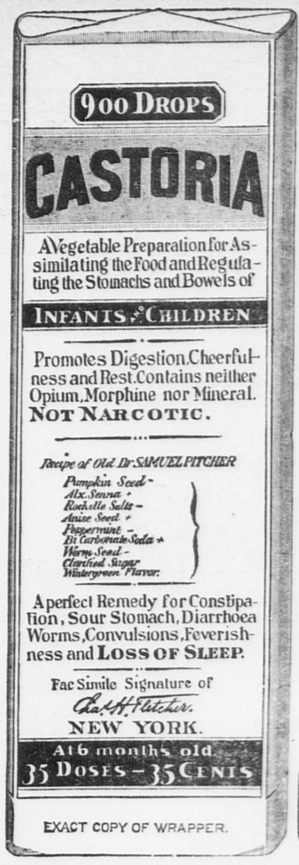
When sentence was read Ham bowed his head. He gave no evidence of whether the sentence was heavier than he expected. He was at once taken from the court room and a little later removed to the prison.

The indictment upon which Ham pleaded guilty included the charge of the larceny of $224,000 from the surety company and $24,000 from St. Luke's home for convalescents in Roxbury, of which he was treasurer. The plea of guilty was upon all but one of the 18 counts of the indictment.

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Quincy, March 15. 1m

GRAND BANQUET.

Quincy Master Builders' and Traders' Association.

The Development of the City Discussed by Well Known Gentlemen.

President Bowles of the Fore River Shipyard, the Guest of Honor for the Evening.

Cooperation and interest in public affairs were the points emphasized by the speakers at the annual banquet on Wednesday evening at Quincy Music hall of the Master Builders and Traders Association, when about 200 of the business men of the city assembled. It was a very harmonious meeting which should be productive of much good for the business interests of Quincy, and for the city as a whole.

The head table extended the entire width of the hall in front of the platform, and four long tables extended lengthwise of the hall. On the platform were palms and tropical plants and behind them was stationed Wilson's orchestra, which played inspiring music during the banquet, and interspersed the speaking.

The dinner was served by Whittemore & Girard at 7.30, the menu being:

Escalloped Oysters
Lobster Salad — Chicken Salad
Ham — Tongue — Turkey
Mashed Potatoes — Cranberry Sauce
Banana and Apple Fritters, Wine Sauce
Ice Cream
Harlequin — Neapolitan — Tutti Frutti
Frozen Pudding
Sultana Roll, Claret Sauce — Bisque Glace
Lemon, Orange, Raspberry Sherbet
Cake
Almond Maccaroons — Pound Kisses — Frosted Lady Fingers
Rolls — Coffee
Fruit

Edward J. Sandberg, the president of the association, opened the post prandial exercises by extending a hearty welcome, and introduced as the toastmaster Charles H. Johnson of the Board of Assessors.

Mr. Johnson considered it an honor to preside at a gathering of Quincy business men, and sounded the keynote when he said the aim of the association was to foster civic enthusiasm. Where can you find said he, a city which stands for so much.

Mr. Johnson proposed as the first toast:

THE CITY OF QUINCY.—Long may she stand, as in the past, for good government, high ideals and all that go to make for good citizenship; and we, officials and business men, pledge ourselves to uphold the fame and history of our city. Who can better respond to this toast than the chief executive of our city, who has given many years from an active business life to public service. Our much respected and highly honored Mayor, Charles M. Bryant.

Mayor Bryant, who responded, said it was of the utmost importance for all to look out for the business interests of the city, and to respond to all calls which may be made. The trouble was the people generally expressed but little commendation, but much criticism of public officials. When I entered the City Council it was with the idea of doing the city some good, and have kept that idea foremost. As the executive, my aim has been to have the city as well governed as any city in Massachusetts. A government on business principles where the taxpayers get dollar for dollar.

Much has been accomplished without a burdensome tax rate. I feel sure the shipyard will develop the city wonderfully. Quincy has had a national reputation for granite, and will soon have for warships. There was a brilliant future ahead for Quincy, and every citizen should consider it an honor to hail from Quincy.

Let all work for the interest of the city. If every man in the hall does this the effect will be wonderful. Instead of criticism, have words of praise for the Commissioner of Public Works, the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department and other city officials who are doing the best they can. Be grateful to the Councilmen who give generously of their time without pay.

OUR INDUSTRIES.—For many years the sightly public buildings, memorial mouments and the silent shafts in many a quiet burying ground have proclaimed the fame of Quincy's granite hills. Now on the blue capped waves of the mighty deep, the seven masted merchantman or serpents lite destroyer in time of war will proclaim the great ship building industry on our water front.

President Bowles of the Fore River Ship & Engine Co. responded, and was greeted with three rousing cheers and a tiger. He was glad to meet the business men of Quincy, as he was now a ship builder of the city. He expressed the belief that the United States would soon build the ships for the world, and said he had reasons for such belief. He said we have all the elements in Quincy and Boston necessary.

It was necessary, first, that shipbuilders have brains and capital. Boston and vicinity certainly have both.

Next, supply and material must be at hand. All these elements were to be found near Boston.

Third, there must be a supply of labor with skill and character. We must have contended labor—willing to give a fair day's work at a fair day's pay—and appreciation of the capabilities of labor.

The Fore River Co. has established a large industry, which requires a capital of three or four million dollars. There are now employed 2500 men and the pay roll amounted to $33,000 per week. It was important to Quincy that this $33,000 should stay right here in Quincy. It will not stay here unless the employes can obtain comfortable homes; good railway accommodations to all parts of the city; recreation grounds, etc. They must be contented.

It is for our mutual interests that the policy of no-license should continue in Quincy. (Applause).

It is also important that land should not be held at fictitious values, and not be made use of. (Applause).

OUR CITY COUNCIL.—A training school for aspirants for any political office. At the present time for the study of architecture and erection of new buildings and remodeling of old. The man with the gavel — President W. F. Nichols of the City Council.

President Nichols of the City Council responded, and brought the greetings of that body. It was the intention of the City Council, he said, to foster and encourage local industries. This is a strenuous life for nation, state, city and individual. Many improvements were wanted, but there was always the question of finance and of taxation. Members of the City Council endeavored to act conservatively. To thoroughly study all orders. To give honest and efficient service. It would be well often if people showed more appreciation of good services.

The great necessity just at present was increased accommodations for High school pupils. Sewer and water extensions, and Metropolitan improvements were also important.

OUR LOCAL COURT—Many of you may have had official business with his honor, the Judge, but those who have had the privi lege of meeting his honor socially have grown to admire him.

Judge Avery responded and told of reminiscences when he was a student at Adams Academy, when the late John Q. Adams and Henry H. Faxon were prominent at town meetings. From experience in the local court I realize that Mr. Faxon has done a great deal for Quincy. He deserved the commendation of the people. As President Bowles said, never again should license return to Quincy. The Mayor would tell you it would be necessary to increase the police force two or three times. Mr. Faxon is right when he says drunkenness is the ruin of any place. Judge Avery told several stories and closed by urging the necessity of upholding the justice of the law.

Mr. William Ward Whitcher, who is soon to become a resident of Atlantic, was introduced as a "filling in man." It was evident that he has missed his calling for he is the representative of a door and blind company when he should be on the platform. His remarks had a local flavor, but were punctured with pungent stories which took the house by storm.

He was encored and after much persuasion made another speech as replete with stories as the first.

ASSISTANTS TO WORK—Mr. Smith of the Fore River.

A. G. Smith, the right hand man of President Bowles at the shipyard responded, and accentuated the remarks of his chief. He said:

The foremen employed are a very desirable class of people who would make good citizens of Quincy, but they are scattered over a radius of ten miles. They would like homes in Quincy if they could be secured, and they would become a more integral part of the plant and the city if they were residents of Quincy.

Music by the orchestra was followed by the toast:

OUR BANKS.—An honor to our city; many have met and found the gentleman I shall introduce a pleasing and obliging public official.

R. F. Claflin, cashier of the National Granite Bank responded. He was pleased at the remarks of the Mayor and admired his courage. He cared nothing for a big navy, except to protect us, but as a mercantile enterprise, he welcomed it to Quincy. The interest of great men in taking up the work of the common people was most encouraging, and he was glad of such an association. Quincy was a good average Massachusetts city and would flourish if it did not try to rival some of the very rich towns.

OUR KINDRED ORGANIZATIONS;—President W. T. Johns of Roxbury Association.

Thomas E. Johns responded, and brought greetings. He found many too willing to let others do the work which organizations and not individuals must accomplish. Everyone has a responsibility. Mr. Johns took a pessimistic view of New England's future as an industrial centre, and urged reciprocity.

OUR OLD INDUSTRY — The Granite Business. A well known granite manufacturer.

John L. Miller responded, and thought business men should not be cast down because we have had a winter of unusual severity. He was proud of the Quincy granite industry, saying our granite was to be found in Athens, Siam and all distant parts of the world as well as all parts of this country. He welcomed shipbuilding to the city and thought Quincy prospects were good.

OUR OWN ASSOCIATION.—Its aim and object; by the Treasurer.

Ex-Mayor John O. Hall, the treasursr of the association, was limited in time, but urged cooperation, and a more ready response on the part of capital.

THE PRESS—If you would be a Leader, you must be an Advertiser; if you want the balance on the right side of your Ledger, then Post your 'ad," and Herald your business all over the Globe.

City Editor Frank F. Prescott of the Daily Ledger responded, and urged the habit of loyalty and patriotism for Quincy. To get together and work for the city. To trade at home and enthuse over local affairs.

The best was reserved for the last and Representative Fallon responded to this toast:

OUR REPRESENTATIVES TO THE GENERAL COURT.—For some time the gentleman I shall introduce to you has been busy giving his attention to fares it is said when he is through with the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. he will give his attention to other roads; and people have said, behold another Peter the Great has arisen and future ages will acknowledge him to be an expert on fares. So I am going to request the gentlemen to give us his opinion of the bill of fare placed before you the first of the evening.

He went back to the early days of building associations. Lower railroad fares were needed to develop Quincy, and he announced that the Railroad Commissioners would give a hearing in a few weeks. He didn't agree with the Roxbury man relative to the decadence of New England industries, saying we were the greatest market of the country in wool, leather and cotton. Iron had gone where it belonged. Don't grow faint. Massachusetts manufactures more goods than all the central and middle states. Boston was a great commercial port, with a better harbor than New York.

It was after 10.30 before the orchestra concluded the festivities of the evening.

At the head table were:

President Edward J. Sandberg
Mayor C. M. Bryant

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Better Than Ever.

An eight-hour workday has resulted in a greater and better output, says Pres. James Duncan of the granite cutters' union in the Boston Globe next Sunday. March average 314,875. Order today.

MANY FLOWERS.

At the Funeral of Parker Dexter of Randolph.

The funeral of Parker Dexter, who was mysteriously murdered at his home in Randolph on Sunday, was held Wednesday afternoon. There was a very large attendance at the services, who were largely relatives or immediate friends of the family.

There were many beautiful floral tributes, the casket being almost hidden from view. It seemed almost as though everybody had sent flowers.

Mrs. Dexter was much affected, and Harris the older brother showed some emotion.

Rev. Edward Norton of Quincy, who is supplying the pulpit at the Randolph Congregational church, conducted the services and spoke touchingly of the death of the boy.

Arrested with Hammers.

John Marshall, somewhat under the influence of liquor, was doing a sprint toward the Quincy depot Wednesday noon, when he was overhauled by Officer Murray, whose suspicions were aroused by the bulging pockets of Marshall's clothing. Investigation brought to light two bush hammers. There have been a number of bush hammers stolen in Quincy of late and after Marshall had been locked up Inspector McKay looked into the matter and found that Antony Issacson and Stephen Molina, stone cutters employed at Malnati sheds were minus bush hammers which they had before dinner. The hammers found in Marshall's pockets proved to be those owned by the two workmen. Marshall was arraigned in court for the larceny of the hammers.

On an Old Warrant.

While at Doble's corner Wednesday evening Officer Goodhue's eye rested on the form of a man whom he thought he recognized. He followed the man as far as School street, where he placed him under arrest. The man was John Frazier who was wanted for a felony. The warrant was issued against Frazier in December, 1902. When the officer went to serve the warrant Frazier could not be found. He has not been seen since that time by the police until Officer Goodhue spotted him at Doble's corner. Frazier was arraigned in court.

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Give this your attention, some one will get a trade, no strings to the sale. Positive sale to highest bidder.

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$100 deposit on day of sale, balance on easy terms.

March 25. 7t

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Wednesday Evening
APRIL 6th, at 8 o'clock.
SUBJECT:
Battle of Gettysburg

The surviving leaders in our great Civil W have become few in number. Soon there w be none who can speak from personal experience of that great drama General Howard was a distinguished participant, and is an eloquent speaker.

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Drift of Opinion.

☞ Prosperity is a hindrance to changes in national politics. There is a well known and striking coincidence the disappearance of mortgages in braska and Kansas and that of Mr. yan as a presidential candidate. The ce of the southern staple, cotton, ough not so intimately and obviously nnected with the operation of the ters' minds—which are influenced in t section by some other and power- l factor—is still of considerable im- rtance.—New York Times.

☞ If the contest for the nomination all narrow down, as it is not unlikely a choice between Parker and Hearst, e great and overwhelming reason for oosing Parker will not be that Parker offers much prospect of victory, but that defeat with Parker would leave the party in some kind of condition, while defeat with Hearst would be such a combination of crushing rout and unrelieved disgrace as no American party has yet suffered. The nomination of Parker is not calculated to inspire enthusiasm, but it may prove to be necessary to the party as a sheer matter of self-preservation.—Baltimore News.

☞ On the question of reciprocity with Canada, those who are loudest in crying for it ignore the fact that Canada herself broke off negotiations leading up to it and it only waits her initiative to resume them. Furthermore, Canada though her leading men has declared that she does not want reciprocity. What are you going to do? force it upon her? Henry M. Whitney wants reciprocity—why? For two reasons. He is a Democrat and it is a political demand against a Republican administration. Furthermore, Henry M. Whitney is an owner in immense coal fields in Canada and might find an outlet for his product in New England. It would make but little difference, apparently, to him whether the country suffered or not so long as he profited by the sale of his coal.—Waltham Free Press.

Eastman Files a Demurrer

Concord, N. H., March 31.—Counsel for Albert H. Eastman of Berlin have filed a demurrer to the indictment recently found by the grand jury of the United States district court in which Eastman is charged with the misapplication of the funds of the Berlin National bank.

Preferred to Surrender

Providence, March 31.—Having walked from Taunton, since his escape from the insane asylum at that place, Wallace Andrews gave himself up to the local police, saying he preferred to do thus rather than have the authorities upon his track.

Brush Fire Fatality

Attleboro, Mass., March 31.—Miss Carrie E. Gamage was tending a brush fire when her clothing became ignited and she was burned to death. She was 46 years old.

—Baratonga is a little dependancy of New Zealand, which has a British resident and a miniature legislature based on the British model. This little Pacific parliament has just passed a bill transferring the observance of the Sabbath from Saturday to Sunday.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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S. F. COPELAND,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston.

—Packages cannot be mailed to the Yukon country, according to an order recently issued by the postoffice department. Letters and postal cards can be sent to the Yukon territory, but there is no way in which parcels, or third or fourth-class matter, can be forwarded.

Kickham—Fifteen dollars for an Easter bonnet! You must think I have money to burn, my dear.

Mrs. Kicham—Well haven't you? Another box of cigars came today.—Harper's.

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TWO OTHERS INVOLVED

Superintendents of Mining Properties Ordered to Pay Fine of $1000 Each--Result of Suit Over Michael Davitt Lode

Butte, Mont., March 31.—F. A. Heinze, the Montana coppe magnate; A. L. Frank, superintendent of the Johnstown Mining company, and J. H. Trerise, superintendent of the Rarus mine for the Heinze properties, were found guilty of contempt of court by Judge Beatty in the United States court in the action brought by the Butte and Boston Mining company against the defendants for entering the Michael Davitt lode claim and extracting therefrom valuable ore on which is known as the Ennargite vein.

Heinze was fined $20,000, while Frank and Trerise were fined $1000 each. If the fines are not paid today the defendants will be taken to Helena and confined until the fines are paid. Carlos Warfield, another defendant, was found not guilty and discharged.

The judgment applies only to the first count against the defendants. Judge Beatty's reservation of decision on two of the three counts on which Heinze was charged with contempt in disobeying a former order of the court, that an inspection of the Heinze mines be allowed in order to permit of the survey of certain ore veins, has the effect of keeping an imprisonment sentence hanging over Heinze. Judge Beatty announced, however, that no imprisonment order will be issued if the fine is paid and there is no further violation of the court's order. But any infraction of the court's order for a permanent inspection board of the mines will, he says, be severely punished. It is not thought that the decision will have the effect of closing down any mine or throwing any men out of work.

The litigation which resulted in Heinze being fined is of four years' standing and is over the Michael Davitt claim, adjoining both the Rarus mine, owned by Heinze, and the Pennsylvania, owned by the Amalgamated Copper company. In the latter part of 1899 the claim was put under injunction by Judge Knowles of the United States district court, both parties to the suit being enjoined pending decision as to title, which decision is still pending. Up to June of last year both parties observed the injunction. Federal inspectors appointed by Judge Knowles were refused admittance to the Rarus mine, whence they wished to get into the Davitt, even when guided by United States Marshal Lloyd. Then the circuit judge called in Judge Beatty to decide whether the orders of the federal court had been violated.

Three weeks ago, Heinze, Trerise and Frank were arrested on Judge Knowles' order after they had refused the marshal and federal inspectors admission to the mine. They were allowed to go on parole until Judge Beatty could get here.

After the action of Judge Beatty representatives of the Heinze and Amalgamated Copper company held a conference and an attempt will be made to agree upon a board of inspectors.

Seven More For Andover

New York, March 31.—The New York Association of Alumni and Students of Phillips academy, Andover, Mass., held its annual dinner here last night. The Chinese minister, Sir Chentung Liang Cheng, of the classof '82, was the principal speaker, responding to the toast "What Phillips-Andover did for me." He recalled many of his experiences while at the academy and said that he intended to send all of his seven sons to Andover.

Panama Needs the $10,000,000

Panama, March 31.—Great surprise is manifested here over the alleged nonfulfillment by the United States of the agreement that in exchange of ratifications of the canal treaty the United States should pay to the new republic the sum of $10,000,000. It is said the delay of the United States to make the payment has forced the government of Panama to float a loan in New York.

Editor Convicted of Murder

Paris, March 31.—Frederick Greuling, editor of an art paper, charged with the murder of Elise Papesco, a Roumanian singer, in his rooms at the Hotel Regina, has been declared guilty. The jury found extenuating circumstances in the case and Greuling was sentenced to 10 years at hard labor and to 10 years' police supervision.

Zion City Profits by Strikes

Chicago, March 31.—"Dr." Dowie's Zion City is profiting by the strike now going on in the big printing and publishing houses of Chicago. The employers are sending a great quantity of their bookbinding work to Zion. Dowie's factories also got the benefit of the recent strike of candy workers.

Bad Place For Americans

Washington, March 31.—The consul general at Cape Town, in a report to the state department, says that business in the Cape of Good Hope is in a very depressed condition and that there are thousands of Americans in the country in unfortunate circumstances.

A REPLY TO GILLETT

Southerner Points Out a Few Queer Occurrences

Washington, March 31.—In the house Mr. Bartlett (Ga.) briefly replied to statements of Mr. Gillett (Mass.) made last Monday on the negro question. He said that Gillett had lectured the south for disregard of violations of the law, whereas in Marion, Mass., persons who had tarred and feathered a man and woman had been acquitted and were paraded through the streets as heroes. He read from statistics of Massachusetts showing the number of "disgraceful" marriages of whites with negroes in the city of Boston. If these facts are true, Mr. Bartlett said, "the teachings of the gentleman from Massachusetts and those who believe as he does are like chickens coming home to roost."

He did not believe, he declared, that the people of Massachusetts entertained or echoed the sentiments of Mr. Gillett. While the people of Massachusetts may have peculiar notions as to some things and may be stern in their convictions, they at least have awakened to believe that the white people of the south are entitled to work out this problem in their own way, "as God shall will it."

Hairy People From Japan

Victoria, B. C., March 31.—The Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of Japan has arrived from Yokohama. Among her passengers were a party of hairy Ainus from the island of Hokkaido, in charge of Professor Starr, lecturer in the department of anthropology at the University of Chicago. He collected these extraordinary people among the mountains of Hokkaido. The men are small, but well proportioned and have long beards and intelligent faces. The women are handsome and dress in gaudy costumes.

Flag Desecration Charged

Denver, March 31.—Secretary Haywood of the Western Federation of Miners was arrested here on a charge of desecrating the flag. He was released on a $300 bond and the case set for April 2. The Western Federation of Miners issued a dodger, the background of which is a picture of a United States flag, headed, "Is Colorado in America?" On the stripes are short sentences commenting in sarcastic language on the policy of the governor and the militia.

Thousands of Miners to Go Out

Des Moines, March 31.—The subcommittee appointed by the Iowa miners to consider the strike situation last night agreed to disagree and will so report. The present contract with the operators expires today and with no other agreement a general shutdown is inevitable. There seems to be a very slight chance that the conference will again take up the question and come to an agreement. It is expected that 13,500 miners will go out.

Capital and Labor Lose Heavily

London, March 31.—President Macara of the Federation of Master Cotton Spinners' associations, in an exhaustive statement on the situation of the cotton trade, shows that the loss to the wage earners resulting from the necessity for short time amounts to $550,000 weekly, or $6,875,000 since the short time was started. The total loss to the employers is $200,000 weekly, making the loss to Lancashire $750,000 weekly.

German Baron In Sorry Plight

Hamburg, March 31.—A newspaper here prints the following from Johannesburg: Baron Alfred Von Dallwig, formerly a captain in the second Uhlan regiment of the guard and later a captain in the Boer artillery, is starving here. During the Boer war he was shot in four places and his right arm had to be amputated. He has found it impossible to gain a livelihood and his situation is desperate.

Wouldn't Work With White Man

Richmond, March 31.—Fourteen negro wagon-drivers of the Richmond Baggage Transfer company notified the company that they would not work with a white man who had been employed as a driver. The company discharged the whole negro force and substituted white drivers.

Negro Presidential Convention

East St. Louis, March 31.—W. T. Scott, a negro, announces that preparations have been completed for a national convention for the nomination of a negro candidate for president. The convention will be held in St. Louis July 6, the date set for the national Democratic convention.

Alleged Briber on Trial

Green Bay, Wis., March 31.—The trial of E. T. Webster, a sewer contractor, charged with paying a bribe to Alderman Morgan, has begun. Of the 36 cases resulting from the grand jury investigation into city affairs, the Webster case is the first one to come to trial.

Coroner's Verdict Turned Down

New York, March 31.—The grand jury has withdrawn the indictments ordered against the iron contracting firm of Pole & Schwandtner, whom a coroner's jury held to have been guilty of criminal negligence in connection with the collapse of the Hotel Darlington.

The Weather Forecast

Almanac, Friday, April 1.
Sun rises—5:27; sets—6:10.
Moon rises—7:44 p. m.
High water—11:45 a. m.; 12 p. m.

The area of high pressure that covered Atlantic coast districts has given way very slightly and continues to block the advance of the western area of low pressure. Rain is indicated for New England.

BOTH WERE MURDERED

Medical Examiner's Conclusion In Brown Family Tragedy

Boston, March 31.—Dr. F. W. Draper, medical examiner for Suffolk county, made an autopsy on the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Brown of Roslindale, who died from bullet wounds on Saturday. At the time of the tragedy it was the generally accepted theory that Brown had killed his wife and then taken his own life.

Dr. Draper's autopsy dispels the suicide theory, as the report which was filed in the district attorney's office this morning states that, in his opinion, neither Brown nor his wife ended their own lives, but that both were murdered.

On Monday the police arrested and held on suspicion of murder, pending the report on the autopsy, Willis H. Wilson, the son of Mrs. Brown by a former marriage. Wilson was the only witness of the tragedy and in his story to the police on Saturday he said that Brown killed Mrs. Brown and then committed suicide.

Dr. Draper's report is extremely technical. In the case of both Mr. and Mrs. Brown there were no indications that the shots which killed them had been fired at close range, as would necessarily be the case in a shooting with suicidal intent. The deaths were caused, he concludes, by "homicidal bullet wounds."

Pickpockets' Rich Harvest

Boston, March 31.—Two pickpockets on an elevated train at the North station stole $2600 in cash from a prominent builder in Everett, whose name the police refuse to divulge. The victim of the robbery was obliged to stand in an elevated train. As he was leaving the car two strangers jostled against him roughly, and a few minutes later he discovered that 26 $100 bills had been taken from his pocket.

Grievance of Fish Men

Boston, March 31.—Boston fish importers and dealers will unite with those of New York and Philadelphia in a fight against the recent treasury order, assessing on the entire contents of an imported package of fish, including brine, salt, ice, etc. At a meeting of the trade the entire matter was left in the hands of a special committee, with full power.

Big Fire Followed Explosion

Shelton, Conn., March 31.—Almost total destruction to the factory of the Derby Silver Plate Cutlery company in this place was wrought last night by a fire of unknown origin. The loss is $60,000. Shortly before the fire was discovered there was an explosion that shook this place for a radius of several blocks and which was heard over a mile away.

A Ten-Hour Schedule

Valley Falls, R. I., March 31.—Beginning next Monday the 300 hands employed at the local car repair shops of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad will resume full time schedule of 10 hours a day. About two months ago the working was shortened to eight hours a day, having for some time previous been on a nine-hour schedule.

Dragged Quarter of a Mile

Boston, March 31.—As the result of a runaway accident in the Roxbury district late last night, Miss Laura Shuman, 25 years old, received injuries that probably will prove fatal. She became entangled in the reins and was dragged for a quarter of a mile before the horse was stopped. She sustained a fracture of the skull and internal injuries.

Old Firm In Bankruptcy

Boston, March 31.—In the United States circuit court Charles K. Darling was apointed receiver of Pettingill & Co., advertising agents. The firm of Pettingill & Co., one of the oldest and most extensive advertising agencies in this country, was petitioned into bankruptcy. The total liabilities will amount to fully $1,000,000.

Aged Woman Assaulted

Boston, March 31.—Mary Foye, 67 years old, who lived at 673 Albany street with her son, Martin, and his wife, Mary A. Foye, is at the city hospital suffering from a gash in the head caused by a blow from an axe. Her son and daughter-in-law are locked up, charged with assaulting her with a deadly weapon.

No Light on Parker Murder

Randolph, Mass., March 31.—The officers who are trying to solve the mysterious murder of young Parker Dexter last Sunday report but little progress. State Detective Scott, who started off upon a clue, has returned and admits that his investigations have led to no definite conclusions.

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CITY BREVITIES.

Sixteen and one half tons of sugar in cartoon boxes were delivered in Quincy on Tuesday. This should sweeten people up for a time.

Mrs. Charles S. Ewell of Hampden circle entertained her whist club Tuesday evening. Mrs. Charles Brown took first prize and Mrs. Herbert Hanson the second prize.

Mr. Caswell, who has resigned his position at the Fore River Ship & Engine Co., leaves for New York Saturday, where he has accepted a position with the Eastern Steamship Co.

An illustrated sketch of the Quincy High school with the proposed enlargement will appear in tomorrow's Ledger, together with a description of the building after enlargement. It will make an imposing appearance.

The solos to be sung by Mrs. Frank Moore at the entertainment given at Colonial hall on Friday evening by the Junior Sons and Daughters of the Revolution, are to be illustrated by stereopticon pictures. Mrs. Moore has a delightful voice, which in conjunction with beautiful pictures, cannot fail to please the audience.

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Granite Cutters Win.

A Washington despatch says, National Secretary James Duncan of the Granite Cutters' Union effected a settlement Tuesday with the Mt. Airy Granite Company of Mt. Airy, N. C., which provides that hereafter none but union granite cutters shall do their work and that union wages shall be paid for the customary eight-hour day of the trade. The contention has covered a period of nine years.

—Submarine divers have not yet succeeded in reaching 200 feet below the surface with all the advantage of armor, air supply and weights to sink them. The effort has been made to reach a wreck in 250 feet of water. The accounts state that at 130 feet the diver began to experience serious trouble. At 200 feet, after suffering terribly, he lost consciousness and was hauled up. Divers cannot work much below 100 feet.

—Nathan Soule of Duxbury, for forty years a school teacher, died on Tuesday.

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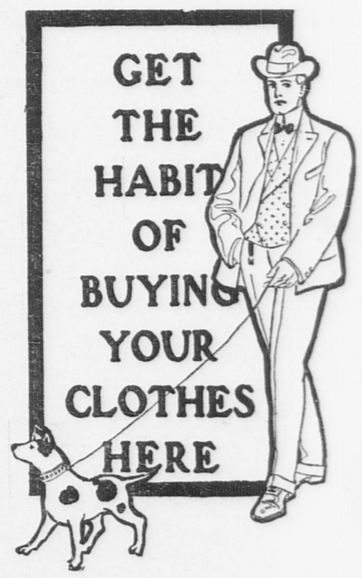
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r *5 19	abcdefghi	5 47	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 23	ad	7 42	8 28	cba	8 49 r
7 29	Exp	7 45	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 7 42	a1c	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 45	Exp.	1 02
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r 9 42	abc	10 02	1 23	cba	1 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	1 58	cba	2 19 r
r 10 42	abc	11 02	2 23	cba	2 49 r
r 11 12	a1c	11 32	2 45	cba	3 06 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 45	cba	4 06 r
r 1 42	abc	2 02	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 15	dba	5 36 r
r 3 42	abc	4 02	5 26	a	5 45 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 46	ihgfdcba	6 15
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 59	abcdefghi	8 07	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 04	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	11 28	cba	11 49
r 11 12	abc	11 37			

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 49	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 1
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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9 00	Exp.	9 15	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
10 18	Exp.	10 33	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 22	abcdefghi	10 50			

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 11.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.16 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 7.16 9.16 P. M.

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BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 9.16 10.16 11.16 A. M. 12.15 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

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For BRAINTREE, HOLBROOK and BROCKTON—6.20, 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 8.50 P M. 9.20, and 9.50 P. M. to Brookville Square. 10.50 P. M. to South Braintree Square. Sundays: 7.50 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST MILTON (and West Quincy), —5.40, 6.05, 6.35, A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For EAST WEYMOUTH—5.45, 6.05, 6.20 6.50 A M, then 20 and 50 minutes past each hour until 11.20 P M. (Additional car Wednesdays and Saturdays only, at 11.50 P. M.) Sundays: 7.20 A M, then the same as week days.

For HOUGHS NECK—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 7.40, 8.20, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A.M. 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.30, 5.10, 6.00, 7 00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P.M. Sundays, 7.00 A M, then on the even hour until 10.00 P M., then 10.50 P M.

For NEPONSET (via Hancock St.)—5.40 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.55, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55 A M, then 25, 40 and 55 minutes past each hour until and including 4.55 P M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P M. Sundays: 7.40, A M, then the same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Norfolk Downs) —At 7.30 and 30 minutes past every hour until 8 30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10. Sundays: 8.30 A. M., then same as week days.

For NEPONSET, (via Wollaston) —6.05, 6.35 A M, then 5 and 35 minutes past each hour until 10.35 P M, then 11.00 P M. Sundays: 7.05 A M, then the same as week days.

For WEYMOUTH LANDING—5.55, 6.35 6.55 A M, then 25 and 55 minutes past each hour until 9.55 P M, then 10.50 P M. Sundays: 7.35 A M, then the same as week days.

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Quincy, Mass., March 29, 1904.

ALL PERSONS are forbidden to trust my wife Jennie, after this date, as she has left my bed and board without causes. FRANK HOLMES, 202 Safford street, Quincy.
March 30. 3t

PARKER STRONGER

Has Two Thirds of Delegates to the State Convention

MURPHY ADMITS DEFEAT

Tammany Leader Likely to Get Into Judge's Band Wagon, Which His Previous Attitude Permits Without Humiliation

New York, March 31.—It is conceded at Tammany hall that the result of the primaries in Brooklyn and Buffalo make it practically certain that Judge Parker's friends will control the state convention. Senator McCarren carried all but two of the Brooklyn assembly districts, while Charles F. Murphy's Buffalo ally, William J. Connors, was beaten all along the line in Erie county by Norman E. Mack, one of Parker's most earnest supporters.

It looks now as if Parker will have fully two-thirds of the delegates to the convention, and that there will be no trouble in putting through instructions for him if his friends choose to go to that extreme. Murphy repeats his declaration that he will continue his fight against instructions, but it is evident that he has no hope of winning. Some of his lieutenants frankly acknowledge that the game is up as far as the state convention is concerned and that the only thing to do is to get into the Parker bandwagon or transfer the fight to St. Louis.

Murphy can come to the support of Parker without any great humiliation. All along he has carefully refrained from saying a word against Parker. He has simply declared a preference for Cleveland and for an uninstructed delegation. Parker is the last man among all the prudential candidates except Hearst to whom he would willingly give his support, but it is beginning to appear as if he must support David B. Hill's candidate in the end, unless a very strong sentiment for some other candidate develops at the national convention.

Judge Parker has been growing in strength steadily in the last few weeks, not only up the state, but also in New York city. There are two reasons: First, a belief that Cleveland will not consent to run under any circumstances. Second, the attacks of Bryan and the Hearst followers on Parker.

Friends of Cleveland, who have talked with him lately, say that nothing can change his determination to stay out of politics. Charles F. Murphy received a notice to this effect from a former Cleveland cabinet officer, while he was at Atlantic City recently, and was informed that if he (Murphy) introduced Cleveland's name in the state convention to prevent instructions for Parker, that the ex-president would promptly repudiate such action and declare that he is out of politics for good.

Murphy told some friends at Tammany hall that his expected defeat in the state convention was not due to Hill's strength, but to the fact that Hill had a candidate, while Tammany did not dare to mention its choice in the convention. He said, in substance:

"If Mr. Cleveland would permit the use of his name we could sweep the convention for him, but he stands by his letter of last month, and all we can do is to go into the convention without a candidate and with the tame proposition that the delegates to the national convention be uninstructed. The other side has its candidate, and can whoop things up for him; it is not surprising, therefore, that we are likely to be beaten."

The other reason for the increase of Parker's strength is even more powerful in its effect. Many of the Democrats who do not care particularly for Parker and who particularly dislike Hill are coming to the support of Parker because they think he is now the only man in sight whose candidacy can defeat the Bryan radical force in the convention. The first choice of these conservative Democrats is Cleveland, but they have abandoned the hope that Cleveland will accept or that he can be nominated, even if he appeared as a candidate.

South Dakota Men For Hearst

Sioux Falls, S. D., March 31.—The Democratic state convention did not complete its work until a late hour last night. The report of the committee on resolutions, which was unanimously adopted, reaffirms the principles of Democracy "as enunciated by Jefferson, Jackson and Bryan" and instructs the delegates to the St. Louis convention to support William R. Hearst "first, last and all the time for the presidential nomination." The resolutions declare that Hearst will never compromise with trusts and term him the champion of labor.

Small Catch of Seals

St. Johns, March 31.—The seal outlook is very unfavorable and it is feared that the fishery will show the smallest results for years. Only 216,000 seals have as yet been accounted for, and the total catch is not likely to exceed 240,000, whereas, last year it exceeded 300,000.

Miners and Operators Agree

Pittsburg, March 31.—The conference between the coal operators and miners to settle upon local conditions under the basic scale adopted at Indianapolis ended in an amicable agreement, and the men will continue at work.

THE "SEALED LETTER"

Counsel For the Bennetts Has a Little Tilt With Bryan

New Haven, March 31.—In the second day's hearing on the appeal of William J. Bryan from the decision of the probate court, excluding the famous $50,000 "sealed letter" as part of the will of P. S. Bennett, Counsel Stoddard and Mr. Bryan engaged in a wordy war and the court had to intervene. It followed immediately after reference to the correspondence between Bryan and Bennett had been made by Stoddard, in which it was alleged that Bennett was brought to the point of writing the "sealed letter" by Bryan. Mr. Stoddard implied that Bryan was withholding their contents and said: "If this man insists upon getting $50,000 from the widow by suppressing facts and showing that these letters were written at his behest the court should know the facts."

Mr. Bryan jumped to his feet and insisted that Stoddard had misstated the facts, but the court ordered him to sit down. The decision of Judge Gager on the arguments on the admission of the "sealed letter" as evidence will be given today.

The day was taken up entirely by arguments on the question of admitting the "sealed letter."

World's Biggest Locomotive

Berlin, March 31.—A giant three-cylinder locomotive, which it is the intention to exhibit at the St. Louis exposition, was tested on the military railroad in the presence of a large company of civil and military personages. The engineer of this locomotive rides on its forward part and communicates with the fireman through a speaking tube. The front and rear cones of the locomotive diminish the resistance. The locomotive alone attained a speed of 80 miles an hour and of 62 miles an hour when drawing six vestibule passenger coaches weighing a total of 225 metric tons. No effort was made to develop full speed.

Delarey's Feelings Injured

Krugersdorp, March 31.—General Delarey, the former Boer commander, addressing a congress of farmers here, said he regretted the forthcoming representation of scenes from the Boer war at the St. Louis exposition, which, he said, would be a shameful production. The Boers, he said, had abandoned all thoughts of vindictiveness towards Great Britain, and that it was now their privilege to work in peace.

Menelik's Generosity

Washington, March 31.—King Menelik was generous to the members of the Skinner expedition. Beside the present to President Roosevelt, Menelik gave decorations to 29 out of the 30 members of the party. All of the medals and decorations have been transmitted to the state department, where they will be retained until, by special act, congress authorises the men to accept them.

Grand Array of Warships

Pensacola, Fla., March 31.—With the arrival here of the gunboats Newport and Castine from Colon, the largest fleet of warships ever assembled in times of peace is gathered here. The combined fleet engaged in target practice includes seven battleships, five cruisers, seven gunboats, three monitors, two torpedo boat destroyers and a number of tenders, colliers and supply boats.

Conference Without Result

New York, March 31.—A conference between the executive committee of the Bricklayers' association and the Laborers' Protective association last night, for the purpose of modifying the demands of the laborers, came to naught. After an argument lasting four hours, the meeting broke up.

Aged Forger Convicted

Los Angeles, Cal., March 31.—J. Overholtzer, aged 64, a former member of the Iowa legislature, was sentenced here to serve two years in state prison for forgery. Overholtzer requested the court to change the sentence to life imprisonment.

Officer Charged With Killing

New York, March 31.—Policeman William Bossa of Brooklyn is under arrest, charged with having killed Patrick Farrell, a bartender. Farrell had been assaulted and died a few days later in a hospital. Bossa denies the charge.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The William Allen & Sons Co., boiler manufacturers of Worcester, Mass., have gone into the hands of receivers.

The navy department has decided to send a torpedo boat destroyer to St. Louis, under escort of the Nashville.

Four ice houses at Washacum pond, Sterling, Mass., with 7000 tons of ice, were destroyed by fire, causing a loss of $10,000. It is believed that sparks from a passing locomotive started the fire.

Among the many generous responses received by Countess Cassini for the fair to be held at Washington on May 6 for the benefit of the Russian Red Cross are two checks from New York, one for $1000 and the other for $500.

Rev. John Gordon, formerly president of Tabor college, Iowa, was formally inaugurated president of Howard university of Washington.

J. C. Keith's stable at Brockton, Mass., containing 50 wagons and carriages was burned, with a loss of $5000. Seventy horses stabled in the basement were removed without injury.

Rev. Austin O'Grady, pastor of the Church of the Holy Rosary (Catholic), died at Spencer, Mass., of paralysis, aged 44.

TO TOKIO BY MAIL

How War Correspondents Are Required to Forward News

JAPAN FEARS A LEAKAGE

Possibility That Re-embarkation of Portion of Troops In Korea Is Contemplated--No News as to Progress of Hostilities

London, March 31.—The Daily Telegraph says the Japanese authorities have refused correspondents the use of the field telegraph lines and that all dispatches must be sent to Tokio by mail. The paper further says that there is no sign that any foreigners will be permitted to go to the front, though the native newspaper men will be allowed to do so.

The Daily Telegraph, in an editorial on the unprecedented severity of this censorship, suggests that Japan has some new and important move to conceal, possibly the re-embarkation of a portion of her forces already in Korea for some other point in the theatre of war, and is anxious to guard against the possibility of leakage through foreign correspondents who might sympathize with Russia.

A correspondent of The Daily Telegraph at Seoul reports that the Russians are evacuating the positions they occupy in Korea.

Specials from Shanghai repeat the rumor that the mikado will shortly proceed to Korea with the headquarters' staff.

The Seoul correspondent of The Daily Mail describes Korea, outside the districts occupied by the Japanese, as being in a state of anarchy and in readiness for rebellion. The correspondent asserts that the censorship prevents any reference to local disturbances.

There is no further news of any kind concerning the progress of hostilities.

Sleeps With Clothing On

Cronstadt, March 31.—The president of the War Relief society has received a cablegram from Vice Admiral Makaroff, dated at Port Arthur, March 29, which says: "Last night was a very hot one, but we cannot hope for a very quiet time either now or in the near future. I sleep without undressing, in order that I may be ready for any emergency. Consequently, I cannot observe your medical advice to take care of myself; nevertheless, I feel splendid."

United States Flag Rehoisted

London, March 31.—A correspondent of The Times at New Chwang says: "The Russian police have apologized and have rehoisted the United States flag over the correspondents' mess." The same correspondent, cabling on Monday, recorded the fact that "the Russians today ordered the United States flag on the correspondents' mess to be hauled down."

Supposed Mines Not Located

Vladivostok, March 31.—In order to allay the apprehension of the people, the authorities have instituted a search for mines alleged to have been planted by the Japanese which were to be exploded at an opportune moment. Borings have been made in the mountain upon which is located the "No Name" battery, but nothing suspicious was found.

Vladivostok Squadron In Port

Paris, March 31.—According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of The Echo De Paris it is not denied in Russian official quarters that the Vladivostok squadron has returned to port, but the officials ignore the statement that the squadron has captured any Japanese warships or trading vessels.

To Depart From New Chwang

New Chwang, March 31.—The United States gunboat Helena has received orders to proceed to Shanghai. She will take away all Americans who desire to leave New Chwang.

A National Labor Protest

Cleveland, March 31.—Union labor of this city has begun a movement to circulate petitions throughout the United States to be sent to the president and to congress protesting against the presence of troops in the mining district of Colorado. It is expected that 400,000 names will be attached to the petitions.

Springfield Lynching Recalled

Springfield, O., March 31.—Earl Sulkins, a baseball player, was arrested last night on the charge of breaking in the county jail on the night of March 7 and aiding in the lynching of Richard Dixon, the murderer of Patrolman Charles Collis. The special grand jury will not report for several days.

A South African Cruise

Washington, March 31.—It is announced at the navy department that the south Atlantic squadron will sail from Culebra in May for South African waters. The squadron will visit Cape Town and may cruise up the coast of Madagascar. The squadron will comprise four vessels.

Noted "Fat Lady" Dead

New York, March 31.—Mrs. Chauncey Morlan, known as the fattest woman in the world, died of diabetes in her room in a museum where she had been on exhibition with her husband. Mrs. Morlan weighed 420 pounds.

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"Now that you have such fine Sunday clothes, I should have a new hat," said Mrs. Pigeon to Mr. Pigeon.

"What kind of a hat?" asked Mr. Pigeon.

"A hat with ostrich feathers," said Mrs. Pigeon.

"Where can I get them?" asked Mr. Pigeon.

"From the tail of that ostrich walking across the field," said Mrs. Pigeon.



"I'LL TRY," SAID MR. PIGEON.

"Oh, he would not let me pull the feathers from his tail!" cried Mr. Pigeon. "Only men can do that."

"You surprise me!" cried Mrs. Pigeon. "Why, with that high hat and polka dot tie and standing collar and striped trousers you look so much like a man that the ostrich will think you are a man. Run along over there now like a good husband and get me the feathers."

"I'll try," said Mr. Pigeon, and off he went. He got up real close to the ostrich and made a dive for a feather.

The ostrich turned his head and dealt Mr. Pigeon a fearful whack with his bill. The high hat was split clear in two, and Mr. Pigeon rolled over on the ground in a heap half senseless. Then Mr. Ostrich walked away as if nothing had happened.

"He didn't think I was a man," said Mr. Pigeon to his wife as she bathed his head.

"You silly goose!" said she. "You should have told him you were a man. Then it would have been easy."—Worcester Post.

No Questions Asked.

Old Brother Cooley is a colored philosopher, but he is superstitious in the extreme. He tells this story:

"I once wuz in a house what wuz haunted—but I didn't know it. Dar wuz a bright fire burnin' in de room I wuz in, w'en all er a sudden de do' opened, en a man with his throat cut shuck his head at me! Now, I knowed right well it wuz a ha'nt, en de only thing ter do wuz ter ax him, 'In de name er de Lawd, what does you want?'"

"And did you ask him?"

"No, suh! Bless God, I wuz too feared dat he'd tell me."—Atlanta Constitution.

The Dog In Paris.

The "chien mouton" is especially the family dog with the fairly well off and holds a very dear place in the feminine heart. Lucky is his lot if his mistress be wealthy, for he will be fed on the best of everything; he will have his wardrobe, including coats for all occasions, even to that for automobiling; he will woo sweet sleep on silk covered cushions and in the end be buried decently in the cemetery for dogs, his memory being perpetuated by a monument over a bower covered grave. When this love of the dog is understood, the importance of his appearance and the necessity for the "tondeur" are at once apparent. A lady has been seen to stop her carriage on the "quai" above and send the footman down with the dog to the barber. And while the lady waited and dreamed above the footman waited and fidgeted below, saying things that were not for other ears.—Windsor Magazine.

The Women's Favorite.

The secret of how women may remedy nature's defects by dress will be told in the Boston Globe next Sunday. March average 314,875. Order today.

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Cold-Blooded Murder

Pearson, Ga., March 30.—Walter McNeal was shot and killed near here by Henry Cook, his father-in-law. The killing was the finale of a quarrel that had been nursed by the two men for some time. Cook met McNeal and ordered him out of his buggy. McNeal complied, whereupon Cook drew his revolver and killed McNeal.

Injunctions Against Unions

Chicago, March 30.—Four labor injunctions restraining interference with the business of 17 factories have been granted by Judge Kavanagh. The injunctions are in favor of members of the Chicago Brass Manufacturers' association, and are directed against seven labor unions, members of which are on strike.

Hearing on Harwick Disaster

Pittsburg, March 30.—The coroner's jury to inquire into the Harwick mine disaster, by which 178 lives were sacrificed, has begun its sittings. The testimony thus far shows that there was a conflict of authority among the officials of the mine, and that many sections of the mining law were not obeyed.

Hicks-Beach to Retire

London, March 30.—Sir Michael Hicks-Beach has notified the constituency of West Bristol, which he represents, that he has definitely decided to retire from active politics.

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EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1903.	In 1900.	In 1897.
Sunday,	37	47	57	48	50
Monday,	43	47	52	46	44
Tuesday,	47	45	40	48	50
Wednesday,	50	56	53	49	55
Thursday,	48	57	48	40	45
Friday,	—	62	60	49	41
Saturday,	—	66	60	67	61

New Advertisements Today.

L. M. Pratt & Son—Easter Eggs.
Notice.
Position Wanted by Lady Cashier.
Lost—Pocket Book.
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NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Business at the district court has been brisk of late.

The Choral Union will meet at the Point church this evening.

Miss Helen Buckston of Walker street is visiting friends in Salem.

Mrs. Tate, who has been living on Broadway, has moved to Silver street.

Tomorrow will be all fool's day, and the young people will make the worst of it.

Work was commenced this week on the pile driving for the Wollaston Yacht club.

Miss Frances Bellows of Squantum street is spending part of the week at Wellesley Hills.

Mr. William Jackson of West Elm avenue is remodelling his house into a two family dwelling.

A new store building is being erected on the South side of Copeland street near Brewers corner.

Capt. Charles N. Hunt, who has been confined to his home since January is able to be out again.

Calvin Fletcher had the misfortune this afternoon to fall from a car at Quincy Adams and fracture one arm.

Mr. Copeland, proprietor of the Wollaston pharmacy, will open the drug store formerly owned by George L. York.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Boyd Smith of Coscob, Conn., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William B. Smith of Washington court Quincy Point.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Smith of Quincy Point were pleasantly surprised on Tuesday by the return of their son Charles B. Smith, who has passed the last two years at Cavite, P. I. Mr. Smith has been employed as master-builder, by the government at that place.

It is hoped every one interested in patriotic work, especially in the work being done by the young people of the city will show their approval financially, by attending the entertainment which the John Adams Chapter, Sons and Daughters of the Revolution, are giving at Colonial hall on Friday evening.

The Brownie whist club met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Newcomb, Newport avenue, Wollaston, Wednesday afternoon, 54 being the highest score. Mrs. Kate A. Hayden was presented with a box of stationery, Mrs. Emma Marnock with a bureau scarf, and for the consolation, Mrs. Longhead was given a kitchen apron.

"Who was that man yon were talking to this morning, Henderson?" asked the Skeleton Dude of the Fire-Eater.

"Oh, he was an agent from the Freak Life-Insurance Company. He wanted me to take out a policy."

"Did you do it?"

Nope. I carry nothing but fire-insurance on myself. It's cheaper and more necessary. You see, these spring days I get so very dry during business hours that I'm constantly afraid I shall catch."—Harper's Bazar.

DIED.

RAILA—In Quincy, March 30, Sulo O., son of Mr. Matti and Mrs. Mary Raila of Smith street, aged 1 year, 1 month and 14 days.

WEYMOUTH NIGHT.

Both Quincy Teams Lose All Their Games at Bowling.

Both Quincy teams were the victims and the Weymouth teams the victors in Wednesday night's bowling games in the Old Colony League.

AT QUINCY POINT.

The game in Quincy was at the Point alleys, between the Weymouth and Quincy Point teams. Weymouth was an easy winner on all three strings. On totals Weymouth won by 64 pins.

WEYMOUTHS.

	1	2	3	Total
Burrell,	86	80	80	246
Peleran,	86	76	72	234
Sullivan,	76	71	79	226
Turner,	72	72	90	234
Connell,	96	106	82	284
Totals,	416	405	403	1224

QUINCY POINTS.

	1	2	3	Total
Dunn,	82	76	80	238
Crocker,	78	71	75	224
McMasters,	71	75	79	225
Lyons,	77	81	70	234
Flynn,	84	81	74	239
Totals,	392	390	378	1160

AT EAST WEYMOUTH.

The Quincys suffered defeat at East Weymouth at the hands of the local team. Quincy lost all three strings, the East Weymouth leading on three string totals by 30 pins.

EAST WEYMOUTHS.

	1	2	3	Total
Smith,	80	89	81	250
Newcomb,	71	91	69	231
Farres,	75	77	81	133
Flannery,	105	69	81	215
Welch,	92	74	96	262
Totals,	423	400	408	1231

QUINCYS.

	1	2	3	Total
Morton,	83	82	80	245
Nash,	76	66	63	205
Moran,	94	87	90	271
Grant,	91	80	84	255
Moorhead,	71	73	81	224
Totals,	415	388	398	1201

League Standing.

The standing to date:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent
Quincys	63	48	15	76
Weymouths	63	36	27	57
East Weymouths	63	25	38	39
Quincy Points	63	17	46	26

THE HOME DOCTOR.

For snake bite or other poisoning a poultice of onion is effective.

For any kind of a sore that "is always getting hurt" protect it well with a cushion of cotton batting.

When a finger is cut or bruised or any poisonous wound made, apply turpentine freely at once. It takes out the soreness immediately.

A wash made of witch hazel and cocaine to be applied to the nasal passages when the asthma comes on is an effective cure for hay fever.

Cloths wrung out of hot water with which a tablespoonful of turpentine is mixed is effective in cases of inflammation of stomach and bowels.

Any one can add strength and weight to his body by rubbing well with olive oil after a warm bath. Oil baths are particularly beneficial to delicate children.

Children and Nutmegs.

"Every careful mother," said a doctor who had just treated a child made violently ill from chewing a nutmeg, "should keep nutmegs as far out of reach of her children as she does the ammonia bottle or the carbolic acid. Nutmegs are a deadly poison. I remember a case about six years ago where a boy eight years old died in great agony after chewing and swallowing two nutmegs. As a general thing small children do not like to interfere with pepper, ginger and similar aromatic spices left around in kitchen cupboards. One taste is enough usually. But it seems to be a fact that most children will chew nutmegs if they can get them."

Starchy Foods.

Too much starchy food is eaten in many households. Potatoes are served with every meal, and they are usually mashed or boiled. It is well to substitute rice, hominy and macaroni for potatoes two or three times a week at the very least and better still to omit any of these at many meals. Fried hominy is a delicious substitute for potatoes when chicken is served. Boil the hominy in the usual way, pour it into a shallow dish to cool and slice pieces half an inch thick. Flour lightly and fry in chicken fat or butter and drippings. This is an excellent breakfast or luncheon dish served with maple sirup or chicken gravy.

Antidote to Poisons.

It is a great thing to thoroughly understand what simple antidote to take if one is so unlucky as to swallow poison of any kind through mistake or otherwise. Sweet oil is to be found in nearly every house, however humble, and a half pint of it taken immediately is an effectual antidote to almost all poisons. Any one with a strong constitution should take a larger quantity of this simple remedy.

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NEW CLUBHOUSE.

Dedicated by Quincy Point Club with Informal Program.

The formal opening of the new building on Washington street, to be devoted solely to the use of the Quincy Point Young Men's club was held last evening. There was no formal dedicatory exercises, the affair being made as informal as possible.

Speeches were eliminated and the whole evening was given up to enjoyment. Members were privileged to invite their friends, and as a result the affair was largely attended.

The evening's pleasure opened with a short entertainment. Miss Elizabeth R. Smallman presided at the piano. Miss Ruth E. Wellington contributed violin and vocal solos and there were duets by the two ladies.

The entertainment was followed by dancing which continued until 10.30. During the evening light refreshments were served in the lower rooms by Mrs. George Bailey and Miss Kate C. Starbuck.

The club building is situated on Washington street between Madison avenue and Broadway. It has a frontage on Washington street of twenty feet, a depth of 40 feet, and is two stories high.

On the street floor are two rooms so arranged that the partition can be removed making one large room. These will be used as an assembly hall, smoking, reading and billiard room.

There is no partition on the second floor which will be used for social gatherings similar to that of Wednesday evening.

The rooms are supplied with a piano, billiard table and games of various kinds.

The Young Men's club which was organized a little over a year ago with fifteen members, now has a membership of 85. They have a glee club and debating society among the members and anticipate many pleasant evenings in their new rooms.

The present officers of the club are:
Leon A. Turner, president.
Stanley C. Foote, vice president.
Carl W. Sherburne, secretary.
Elijah P. Barrows, treasurer.

MILTON.

The Thursday Evening club went to Charlestown Monday evening and gave an entertainment at the Sailors' Haven. The program consisted of vocal and instrumental music, club swinging, etc.

The fire department was called out by an alarm from Box 67 at 10.10 Wednesday morning for a grass fire on Grafton avenue.

The annual fair of the ladies of the Mission of Our Saviour church will be held next Wednesday afternoon and evening at Ellsworth hall. There will be an entertainment in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hyslop are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter on Monday.

Christopher Graham who underwent an operation at the Massachusetts General hospital on Monday for a stomach trouble is reported as doing nicely.

A supper and entertainment will be given at the East Congregational church tonight.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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BANQUET.

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Toastmaster C. H. Johnson
Admiral F. T. Bowles, retired
Rev. E. C. Butler
H. G. Smith
W. H. Teasdale
A. W. Stetson
Judge Albert E. Avery
Representative P. T. Fallon
Ex-Mayor John O. Hall
President Nichols of City Council
Julius Johnson
Rupert F. Claflin
John Harkins
Thomas E. Johns
Lucien C. Greber
William T. Spargo
John L. Miller
Principal Assessor James Thompson
T. L. Williams
Gilbert M. Miller
Daniel Desmond

At the other tables were:

J. Francis Merrill
E. D. Gourd
F. W. Crane
A. L. Melcher
W. G. Shaw
William W. Robertson
Mark Gordon
J. Albert Simpson
Russell Tupper
Frederick E. Tupper.
G. W. Abele
Francis Abele, Jr.
Calvin G. Dyer
Joseph F. Hogan
Mark I. Myatte
F. W. Austin
H. Hultin
William Erikson
William J. Fallon
F. G. Smith
C. F. Carlson
John Bjork
Alexander Fryer
Delcevare King
H. E. Crane
Albert M. Parker
V. E. Miller
Levi S. Thompson
Ward Whitcher
Frank F. Prescott
Albert Nelson
Arthur H. Dunham
Elmer W. Baker
Charles F. Wilson
Frank M. Wild
Eric A. Carlson
Gustaf Willbas
J. Peterson
J. A. Bernhard
C. A. Spear
W. R. Lofgren
C. B. Huston
H. E. Emerson
H. P. Tracy
P. J. Williams
J. S. Swingle
C. G. Fletcher
John W. Nash
A. F. Macleod
W. M. Marden
A. G. Dolliver
C. H. Scammell
Carl Tinglof
Theodore Hermanson
W. S. Brown
Charles Pearsen
John H. Ash, M. D.
A. L. Baker
Thomas Whelan
F. Favorite
Chester I. Campbell
Bertram D. Corliss
George Taylor
Lora C. Merrill
Amos E. Damon
Fred L. Zoller
Frank N. Benson
Thomas F. Burke
George C. Fogg
J. F. Gleason
Edgar G. Cleaves
C. F. Knowlton
Henry G. Fay
Oscar S. Sandberg
John A. Olson
R. C. MacGregor
John Jepson
W. T. Shea
James A. White
Anthony C. Fratus
Gustuf Fornell
Sam Fornell
John A. Weeden
Johan Johanson
Eric G. Bergfors
Edward D. Marnock
John Masson
Richard Prout
Andrew Anderson
Joseph W. Hayden
John M. O'Brien
Francis T. O'Brien
Fred A. Coombs
E. S. Tenney
C. J. Kellar
M. H. Maloney.
William Westland
Andrew Milne
Paul G. Harting
Charles H. Penniman
Elbridge F. Porter
Eben W. Sheppard
John P. Bainbridge
Geo. W. Jones
Arthur W. Loud
W. W. Adams
J. M. Nowland
A. A. Murphy
A. W. Parker
James F. Burke
W. E. Piper
William L. Thomas
Henry J. Matthews
Walter H. Cobb
T. J. Collins.

FELLOWS--FRAME.

Hyde Park Young Man Comes to Wollaston for a Bride.

An unusually pretty home wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Anna Frame on Lincoln avenue, the contracting parties being her youngest daughter, Miss Bessie B. Frame, and Mr. Frank Marshall Fellows of Hyde Park, son of Mr. George F. Fellows, well known to Boston's literary and education centres.

The ceremony was preformed by the Rev. Edward Abbot Chase of the Wollaston Congregational church, the bride and groom standing beneath an arch of green, from which was suspended a large marriage bell made of white carnations. Flowers with potted palms and ferns made pretty decorations.

The bride, a dainty, petite blonde, looked charming in a cream white crepe de chene made entrain and trimmed with rare lace. She wore the conventional veil and orange blossoms and carried bride roses.

Miss Elizabeth J. Frame, a sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor and Mr. James S. Frame, a brother as best man.

Miss Frame, who is a tall and stately brunette, was most becomingly gowned in peau-de-cyne of the champaigne shade and held a bouquet of yellow carnations. Mr. G. L. Furbush and Mr. Weston Fellows were ushers.

At precisely 7.45 o'clock to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march the bridal party began the descent of the stairs, proceeding by a ribboned pathway to an alcoved window that had been converted into a floral bower for the occasion.

The impressive double ring betrothal service was used and the bride was given away by her mother. After the ceremony congratulations and later refreshments were in order. The parents of the groom and mother of the bride assisting in receiving.

Though the invitations had been limited to the immediate relatives and near friends of the families, they numbered nearly fifty, coming from Boston, Worcester, Cambridge, Malden, Hyde Park, Melrose and Framingham.

The presents were numerous and costly, consisting of silver-ware, china, cut glass, pictures and a great variety of bric-a-brac. Among the more noticeable was a solid silver service from the groom's father and mother, a complete set of table service including knives, forks, and teaspoons from the bride's family, and a diamond brooch from the groom.

At a late hour Mr. and Mrs. Fellows left amid a shower of rice and the best wishes of those present for an extended trip through the south, after which they will be at home to their friends at 78 Lincoln avenue, Wollaston.

HINTS ABOUT HATS.

Preserve the Balance Between Your Figure and Your Headpiece.

Do not buy a hat unless you have tried it on before a cheval glass. It must suit your figure as well as your face. A very short woman is ridiculous in an immense hat unless she is pretty and graceful enough to be piquant. On the other hand, a woman who is far too tall is nothing less than overwhelming in a huge picture hat. There is a certain balance between the headpiece and the figure, and this balance must be preserved. Your own good taste will guide you in this matter.

Color has laws so subtle that only long study can make you sure of them. The general laws are affected by a slight tint of complexion. You must learn the colors that are yours, and then never, on peril of your beauty, depart from them. You have day colors and evening colors, dark and light colors, and you must know what they are.

The old rule of "match your hair by day and your eyes by night" is now regarded as almost meaningless. Experiment proved its mistakes in many cases.

In general, the dead white hat should be worn by none except the girl with dark hair and delicate complexion and is therefore the most difficult of all hats. The black hat is safe for almost any one and can be worn by many whose skin is too dark to permit of black below the face. Black above and white below the face are inclined to make a sallow woman look fairer.—Washington Star.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Mrs. James J. McDonnell of Braintree, for violation of the liquor law was called and she was fined $100. Appealed.

Edward D. Billings was arraigned for using a horse unfit for labor at Braintree. He entered a plea of nolo-contendere, and paid a fine of $15.

The continued case of Max Peeven, for collecting junk without a license at Quincy, was heard and he was fined $15. Appealed.

John Marshall was arraigned upon three complaints, two charging him with larceny and the third with drunkenness at Quincy. He was fined $30 on the complaints for larceny and the drunk case was placed on file.

John Frazier was arraigned for assault at Quincy and fined $25

The continued cases of Teresa Forgione and Antonio Di Piesca were heard and they were held for the grand jury.

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FOR SALE—House and about 5700 feet of land, numbered 91 Independence avenue. House of 8 rooms and bath, all modern improvements. Practically new and in first class condition. Apply to E. J. MURPHY, corner School and Hancock street, Quincy.
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TO LET—Rooms with board. 6 Greenleaf street, corner Hancock street.
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TO LET—Furnished Rooms, with or without board, to ladies only. Apply at 170 Willard street, West Quincy.
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TO LET—Wollaston, near station, Modern House, 9 rooms, bath, set tubs, furnace, range, cemented cellar, open fireplace, hard floors, electric lights. Rent reasonable. Possession April 1st. Address or apply EDWARD B. MARSH, 41 Irving place, Quincy.
March 23. tf

TO LET—Furnished Rooms with all improvements. Centrally located. References required. Apply 112 Upland Road.
Quincy, March 22. 12t

TO LET—Stable, 3 stalls, large loft, water, 198 Washington street. Apply C. W. GAREY, M. D., 1247 Hancock street.
Quincy, Jan. 30. tf

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